St Barnabas' Anglican Church Parish of Limassol

Sunday 31st January 2021 4th Sunday of Epiphany



Service 10.00am available via ZOOM Rev Ian Nicholson

Readings: Brian F Deuteronomy 18 v 15-20

Psalm 111

Rosemary Corinthians 8 v 1-13

Gospel: Mark 1 v 21–28

Intercessions: Charles

Hymns 658, 297, 32, 485

31 January – 6 February 2021 Making an impression

Mark 1.21-28

Jesus' healing of a man with an 'unclean spirit' is the first act he does in Mark's Gospel and it is dramatic. He is presenting himself from the start as someone who will be different and will make a difference. Both Jesus' teaching and his actions reveal that he is the 'Holy One of God', and the word begins to spread about him.

What is it about Jesus' words and actions that show authority? What do you need to see to give authority to someone's words?

This week we explore how we recognise authority.

Join Father lan for our Zoom services but please remember to TURN ON MUTE we should only hear the voice of person reading.

COLLECT We say together

God of heaven, you send the gospel to the ends of the earth and your messengers to every nation: send your Holy Spirit to transform us by the good news of everlasting life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

PSALM 111

- 1 Praise the LORD. I will extol the LORD with all my heart in the council of the upright and in the assembly.
- 2 Great are the works of the LORD; they are pondered by all who delight in them.
- 3 Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever.
- 4 He has caused his wonders to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and compassionate.
- 5 He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever.
- 6 He has shown his people the power of his works, giving them the lands of other nations.
- 7 The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy.
- 8 They are established for ever and ever, enacted in faithfulness and uprightness.
- 9 He provided redemption for his people; he ordained his covenant forever— holy and awesome is his name.
- 10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who follow his precepts have good understanding. To him belongs eternal praise.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

Do you live on your own? If you are here in Cyprus on your own and not sure where to turn to if you are ill, have an accident, or need to go into hospital. Please consider registering your details with us so that we know who to contact on your behalf or what you wish us to do if such circumstances arise.

This information will be strictly confidential and only used in an emergency. Please contact our Chaplain if this will help you and arrangements will be made to register your wishes.

Remembering in Prayer:

All those known to us who are ill or recovering including:
Stephen, Charles Devadawson, Elizabeth T, Anna Georgiades, Marwan,
Millie Bell, Margaret Josephides, Joan Gilbert, Joyce Willett, Margaret,
James Culley, Ann Constantanides, Rachael Lauren, Chantal, Matthew,
Baby Archie, Daphne Papacharalambous, Shirley Koukoularides,
lan Broughton, Dolly May, George, Natalie's sister in law, Michel,
Lynda Moore, Karen Sutherland, Judith Mowbray, Rita & Doug Overton,
Grace

Please update **Christine Taylor** re prayer list. Both for additions and those who wish names to be removed

| Church Wardens | Christine Taylor | 99339175 |
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Christmas Gift Envelopes still available in the porch if you wish to make a donation to St Barnabas' Church—— our treasurer is delighted with the response so far, so we are extending it to the end of January.

Donations of tinned and dry foods still being collected for the needy, thank you.

Ruth Welford is busy getting new jars of this season's marmalade ready. If you wish to place an order either contact her directly or let Christine Taylor know how many jars you would like. Only €3 per jar.

She would also appreciate receiving any empty jars you may have.

If you cannot make it to church or join us in our Zoom services and would like to speak to our Chaplain or a member of our Pastoral Care Team, please let us know.

Do you have qualifications as a First Responder or First Aider? Please let our Chaplain know if you are willing to be named on our notice board.

SYNOD 2021

Please pray for Fr Ian, Chancellor Stanley Hooper, representatives of Limassol Parish, Brian and Edna and all others participating in the Synod from 8–10th February via Zoom.

Parish of Limassol Annual Meeting - Sunday 25th April 2021

Weekly Zoom Meetings

During lockdown please join Fr Ian and other friends for the followings activities:

Sunday Morning Worship 10.00am
Tuesday Prayer followed by morning tea 10.00am
Friday Afternoon Coffee 3.00pm

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