

## **FREEWILL OFFERINGS AND OPEN PLATE DONATIONS**

<b>EXPECTED AVERAGE WEEKLY AMOUNT</b>	<b>DATE SUNDAY</b>	<b>AMOUNT WE RECEIVED</b>
<b>£721.00</b>	<b>9th DECEMBER</b>	<b>£903.20</b>

### **IMPORTANT CONTACTS**

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### **ADMIN. OFFICE**

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### **ON DUTY NEXT SUNDAY 23RD DECEMBER. JOINT NATIVITY SERVICE BENARTY 10.30AM**

**Welcome:** D. Moore, A. Moore.  
**Reader:** A member of the worship group.  
**Teas:** M. Binnie, J. Adams, E. Danks, A. Moore.

# **WELCOME TO ST SERF'S PARISH CHURCH**

**Our Service Today Is Conducted By  
Rev Geoff Probert & Pamela Scott DCS.**



### **ON DUTY TODAY SUNDAY 16TH DECEMBER. BENARTY 9.45AM**

**Welcome:** E. Smith, A. Seath.  
**Reader:** M. Binnie.  
**Teas:** M. Binnie, J. Adams, E. Danks, A. Moore.

### **LOCHGELLY 11.15AM**

**Welcome:** R. Campbell, H. Campbell.  
**Reader:** R. Millar.  
**Teas:** I. Brown, B. Dickson, W. Malvenan.

**Thank you for joining us today. We hope you will feel you are among friends. Our morning fellowship will continue with a cup of tea or coffee after the service. All welcome.**

***DUNFERMLINE PRESBYTERY - have requested that today we pray for all at Saline & Blairingone Church.***

WELCOME & INTIMATIONS

CALL TO WORSHIP

LIGHTING OF THIRD ADVENT CANDLE AND RESPONSES

LEADER - WE LIGHT THIS CANDLE FOR ALL GOD'S MESSENGERS, PREPARING THE WAY FOR CHANGE, SIGNS POINTING TO A NEW AGE TO COME..

*ALL - GOD, AS WE WAIT FOR YOUR PROMISE, GIVE LIGHT, GIVE HOPE.*

ADVENT HYMN: 282 "CHRISTMAS IS COMING!", (CHORUS AND FIRST THREE VERSES)

OPENING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

TALK FOR ALL

HYMN: MP 151 FOR I'M BUILDING A PEOPLE OF POWER (SING TWICE)

For I'm building a people of power  
and I'm making a people of praise,  
that will move through this land  
by My Spirit,  
and will glorify My precious name.  
Build Your Church, Lord,  
make us strong, Lord,  
join our hearts, Lord, through Your Son;  
make us one, Lord, in Your body,  
in the kingdom of Your Son.

READINGS:

*ZEPHANIAH 3: 14 - 20*

*LUKE 3: 7 - 17*

HYMN: 596 BREATHE ON ME, BREATH OF GOD!

SERMON: "SIGNS OF LOVE IN OUR WORLD"

PERSONAL PRAYER

HYMN: 316 LOVE CAME DOWN AT CHRISTMAS,

OFFERING AND DEDICATION

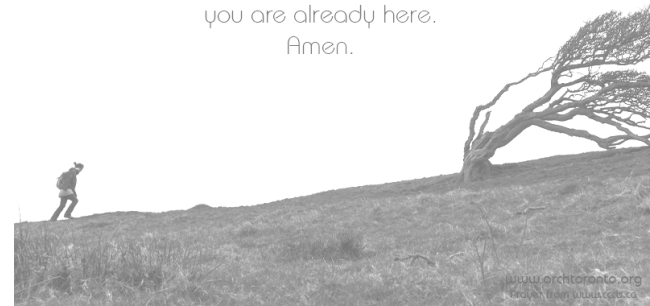
PRAYER FOR OTHERS

HYMN: 512 TO GOD BE THE GLORY, GREAT THINGS HE HAS DONE!

BENEDICTION & THREEFOLD AMEN

### Third Sunday of Advent

Jesus, Messiah,  
help us to see you at work in our lives,  
especially in the moments  
where we feel alone and discouraged.  
Help us to cry out your coming,  
and to hear the prophets of the good news  
whom you send to encourage and remind us  
you are already here.  
Amen.



<p>Come let us <i>Adore</i> Him</p> 	<p><b>JOINT NATIVITY SERVICE IN ST. SERF'S BENARTY ON SUNDAY 23rd DECEMBER AT 10.30am.</b></p>
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