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## NOTICE SHEET FOR 11 February 2018 – Sunday before Lent 9.15am Sung Eucharist

**President:** The Reverend Atalie Gaines

**Introit:** **NEH 336** – Angel voices ever singing

**Reading:** **2 Kings 2:1-12 p 369** read by Robert Burt

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**Gradual:** Psalm 50 (vs.1-6)

**Reading:** **2 Corinthians 4:3-6 p 1160** read by Robert Burt

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**Gospel:** **Mark 9:2-9 p 1011** read by The Revd. Atalie Gaines

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**Preacher:** The Reverend Atalie Gaines

**Prayers:** Jean Stacey

**Offertory Hymn:** **NEH 495** – God is working his purpose out

**Communion Hymn:** **NEH 392** – Lead, kindly light

**Anthem:** *My eyes for beauty pine – Howells – words on inside page*

**Final Hymn:** **NEH 494** – Christ is the world's true light

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## News

**FLOWERS** have been donated by Sue and Chris Warren in loving memory of their son Peter.

**SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE PARTY** – Tuesday 13th February, 5.30 - 7.30. Please take a flyer and invite your friends. We will need help on the evening so please sign up to help with an event that promises to be great fun.

**LENT GROUPS** – We have chosen the Churches Together in England course '40 Stories of Hope'. Please see 'Dates for Your Diary' for days and times.

**THE MEN'S GROUP** will be meeting on Thursday 22nd February at 7pm at the Church and going ten pin bowling at Stevenage. If the weather is inclement (Snow/Ice etc.) then we will instead go for a meal at the Aksular Restaurant, Darkes Lane. If necessary we can decide when we meet what will be best. If you would like to join us let David Simpson know.

**AUDIO INDUCTION HEARING LOOP** – There is a Hearing Loop in the Main Hall. If you use a hearing aid, you may wish to alter the setting of it when in the Main Hall, particularly during our Sunday Services, to give greater clarity to sound.

**CLEANING ROTA** – We are in need of some extra helpers on both of the Thursday Cleaning Rotas. If you are able to help, please speak to Nicola in the office.

**CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES** – Please can all Children's Society Boxes be returned either to the Office or directly to Anne Throup for emptying. If you would like a box, please speak to Anne. Thank you.

### FOR OUR PRAYERS

**We remember those who live in:** Laurel Avenue, Laurel Fields, Mimms Hall Road.

**Those who are ill or in need:** Joshua French, Maureen Savage, Ray Smith, Gillian Fleury, Eamon Brennan, Richard Vincent.

**Those who have died:** Jim Tant, Bill Townsend, Beryl Rudling, John Thrussell.

**Those whose anniversary of death falls at this time:** Kathleen Abson, Peter Warren, Elsa Looney.

**Remember in your private prayers those who have longer term need:**

Valerie Hadley, Dorothea (Avril) Pye, Alex, Nick Brindley, Ron Savage, Chris Warren, Colin Dean, Gill Syms.

### Psalm 50 (vs. 1-6)

1. *The Lord even the most mighty God hath spoken and called the world, from the rising up of the sun unto the going down thereof.*
2. *Out of Sion hath God appeared in perfect beauty.*
3. *Our God shall come and shall not keep silence there shall go before him a consuming fire, and a mighty tempest shall be stirred up round about him.*
4. *He shall call the heaven from above and the earth that he may judge his people.*
5. *Gather my saints together unto me those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice.*
6. *And the heavens shall declare his righteousness for God is Judge himself.*  
(GLORIA)

### Collect prayer

*Almighty Father,  
whose Son was revealed in majesty  
before he suffered death upon the cross:  
give us grace to perceive his glory,  
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him  
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.*

### Anthem:

*My eyes for beauty pine,  
My soul for Godes grace,  
No other care nor hope is mine,  
To heaven I turn my face.  
One splendour thence is shed from all the stars above:  
'Tis named when God's name is said,  
'Tis Love, 'tis heavenly Love.  
And every gentle heart that burns with true desire,  
Is lit from eyes that mirror part of that celestial fire.*

### Post Communion prayer

*Holy God,  
we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ:  
may we who are partakers at his table  
reflect his life in word and deed,  
that all the world may know his power to change and save.  
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

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**Welcome, Notices and Call to Worship (page 16)**

**Song** 195 – I believe in Jesus

*(during which the children can bring up their money for Gaudesia + Isaya our sponsored children through Compassion UK)*

**Confession and Absolution and Creed (Pages 16 and 17)**

**Readings** 2 Kings 2:1-12 p 369 read by Peter Sansom

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**Song** 217 – I'm accepted, I'm forgiven

*(during which the collection will be taken)*

**Gospel (stand)** Mark 9:2-9 p 1011 read by Elaine Hartland

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**Sermon** The Reverend Atalie Gaines

**Prayers** Gary Dakin

**The Peace**

**Song** 346 – Majesty

**The Eucharist (page 20/21)**

**Song** 255 – I want to be out of my depth and 27 – As the deer

**Closing Prayers and the Blessing (page 21)**

**Song** 299 – Jesus we celebrate

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