

DONAGHADEE PARISH CHURCH

14th March 2021

Fourth Sunday
of Lent

MOTHERING
SUNDAY



On-line Worship

NOTICES

Our worship is on-line during the current lockdown. Ash Wednesday Service - Introduction to Discipleship Series is still available to view. donaghadee.down.anglican.org

Each Sunday in Lent our teaching series is on "Being Disciples". The essentials of the Christian life. On Thursday Evenings from 7pm we will dig a little bit deeper into our discipleship series.

PRAYER POINTS - Please use these in your devotions this week!

- * Remember to pray for our Rector Ian, Debbie, and family.
- * For the churches in our town: remembering this week the congregation of St Comgall's Roman Catholic Church, Millisle Road and their priest Father Joe Gunn.
- * For David Mackey from our congregation and all on the Diocesan Parish Reader Training Course.
- * For the ministry of the North Down Storehouse.
- * For our children, young people and parents - this is a stressful times for families.
- * Pray that we, as a congregation, may be sustained by God's Holy Spirit as we cannot physically meet together. May our Lent course enable us to continue to grow in our faith.
- * For us as a congregation as we prepare for renewed face to face worship.
- * For our elderly folk at this time.

Collect of the Day

God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human
family to himself:

Strengthen us in our daily living that in joy
and in sorrow we may know the power of
your presence to bind together and to heal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Lenten Study Series

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on "Being Disciples".

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series.

Why not order the study booklet:

Being Disciples by Rowan Williams
Former Archbishop of Canterbury

Available on Kindle or from Amazon

Or watch the video of his talk - **Being
Disciples with Rowan Williams**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7zt2XKFAmzw>

**The Church Hall is open
Wednesday and Thursday
mornings 10am-12.30pm
to receive items for
the Store House Food Bank.**



**If you wish, you may also leave in your
church envelopes.**

Thank you for supporting our Church and
local community, may we all continue to
know God's care and protection. IG

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Opening Hymn: Rejoice the Lord is King

O Lord, open our lips,
and our mouth will proclaim your praise.

Let us worship the Lord.
All praise to his name.

A sentence of Scripture

(Pause for Silence)

PENITENTIAL KYRIES

In the wilderness we find your grace:
you love us with an everlasting love.

Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

There is none but you to uphold our cause;
our sin cries out and our guilt is great.

Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

Heal us, O Lord, and we shall be healed;
Restore us and we shall know your joy.

Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

Announcement of God's forgiveness.

Lord's Prayer & Collects of the Day.

Bible Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31

Address

Worship Song: There is a higher throne

Some thanksgivings from our young people on
Mother's Day.

Let us affirm our faith in Jesus Christ the Son of God.

**We believe in God the Father,
from whom every family
in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through faith,
and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us
with power from on high.**

**We believe in one God;
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Amen.**

Intercessions

Hymn: Brother sister let me serve you.

The Blessing



*Thank God
for Mums!*

Mothering Sunday

**Today we say thank you to
Mum's and all the ladies in
our lives who care for us and
bless us in our homes and
Church family.**

Thank You all!