

Reading Matthew 19.21-24
Acts 20.35

Kate Glover
Isabel Jorge

Reflection with Bishop Nicholas Soraia Jorge

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Hymn 581 Take my life

Prayers

Hymn 32 O come, O come, Emmanuel

Organ Wake, O Wake — J.S.Bach

Our next Family Service will be on Sunday January 2nd at 10:00 am.

Our annual service of **Lessons and Carols** will be on Sunday 19th December at 6.30 pm.

The **Crib Service** will be on Christmas Eve at 4.00 pm. Children are invited to come dressed as Mary, Joseph, King, Angel, Shepherd or in a special Christmas outfit.

Our Family-Friendly Service on **Christmas Day** is at 10.00 am.

THE PRAYERS

The Departed

Doreen Brown Mark Bartlett

THE NOTICES

Today 18.30 Choral Communion
St Nicholas Mass—Haydn

Tuesday 7th

11.00 am Morning Prayer on Zoom
7.00 pm Concert: Richard Hale School

Thursday 9th

11.00 am Holy Communion in Church

Saturday 11th

7.30 pm Concert by Hertford Choral Society
Christmas Magic!

Sunday 12th

10.00 am Parish Communion
6.30 pm Choral Compline

Mark Bartlett's Funeral will be held at Wollensbrook Crematorium, Hoddesdon on Wednesday 15th December at 2.00 pm.

Doreen Brown's Funeral will be here in church on Monday 20th December at 2.00 pm.



All the Family Service **Advent 2 St Nicholas 5th December 2021** **'Give and you will have riches in heaven.'**

Welcome to today's service which is led by Rev Jo Loveridge.

Hymn—Give God the praise for Nicholas

- 1 Give God the praise for Nicholas
of Myra long ago,
the saint whose anniversary
falls with the winter snow.
- 2 Give thanks for his discipleship,
his treasuring of truth,
his shielding of the flock of Christ
from thief and prowling wolf.
- 3 Give thanks for his warm healing gift,
his hands laid on with prayer;
for innocents whom he redeemed
safe from corruption's snare.
- 4 Give thanks with seasoned travellers,
with sailors, with the young;
for Nich'las is our pattern too,
whose faith inspires our song.
- 5 Give God the praise for Nicholas
of Myra long ago,
the saint whose anniversary
falls with the winter snow.

David Mowbray (born 1938)

Hymn Make way, Make way

Make way, make way, for Christ the King
in splendour arrives;
fling wide the gates and welcome him
into your lives.

*Make way, make way,
for the King of kings;
Make way, make way,
and let his kingdom in!*

He comes the broken hearts to heal,
the pris'ners to free;
the deaf shall hear, the lame shall dance,
the blind shall see.

Make way, make way

And those who morn with heavy hearts,
who weep and sigh,
with laughter, joy and royal crown
he'll beautify.

Make way, make way,

We call you now to worship him
as Lord of all,
to have no gods before him,
their thrones must fall!

Make way, make way.....