

Morningside United Church

Baptism of Jesus - 10 January 2010

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CHURCH NOTICES

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

Great is the Lord, and worthy of all praise!
**Praise and glory and wisdom,
Thanksgiving and honour, power and might,
Be to our God for ever and ever Amen!**

GREETINGS

Hymn 334 On Jordan's bank

PRAYER IN PREPARATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Lord our God, our love for you is like a morning cloud, like the dew
that goes away early. Have mercy on us; deliver us from judgement;
bind up our wounds and revive us; in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ALL AGE TIME

Hymn 641 Seek ye first the kingdom of God

THE WORD

Isaiah 43:1-7 (p.604)

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION **Silent Worship**
G F Handel (1685-1759)

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 (p.51)

GLORIA

HYMN 336 Christ is our light

SERMON

HYMN 513 Courage, brother, do not stumble
(the offering is received)

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

HYMN 512 To God be the glory

THE BLESSING with Sung Amen

Postlude on “Winchester New” A Massimo

PLEASE JOIN US for **COFFEE AND TEA** after the Service which will be served here in church.

ADVANCE DATE: **MUC BURNS' SUPPER** - February 6th at 7.00 pm. Tickets (£18.50) available today!

ECUMENICAL FRIENDS meet in St Cuthbert's on Thursdays at 12.15 pm, bringing their own sandwiches for lunch. The programme this week: “Death and Resurrection in Palestine/Israel” - Rev Colin Douglas

The newly-established **PRAYER GROUP** meets in the Upper Room on Friday 15 January at 2 pm. All welcome, and enquiries to Judith Aitken

The **BOOK GROUP** meets in the Upper Room on Thursday evening this week at 7.30 pm. Subject: “The Problem of Evil”.

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