

# Morningside United Church

Epiphany 3 - 24 January 2010

Au fond du temple saint  
From The Pearl Fishers - G Bizet (1838-1875)

Ministers: John R Smith  
Fran Ruthven  
Director of Music: Dr Alberto Massimo  
Lector: Dorothea Nelson

## 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!**



*He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him.*

Luke 4

## GREETINGS

Hymn 112      God, whose almighty word

## 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 804      You shall go out with joy (twice)

## THE WORD

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10      (p.407)

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION "Folk-song" -  
C A Gibbs (1889-1960) (Sketches for Organ)

Luke 4:14-21      (p.52)

## GLORIA

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HYMN 286 Tell out, my soul

SERMON

HYMN 348 Praise the One who breaks the darkness  
(the offering is received)

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

HYMN 246 Great God of every shining constellation

THE BLESSING with Sung Amen

Overture -  
from "Nabucco" by G.Verdi (1813-1901)

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

**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: "Changes in nursing" Dr Anne  
Claveirole

**MORNINGSIDE PEACE AND JUSTICE GROUP** meets in The Open Door, 420  
Morningside Road, on Wednesdays at 10.30. This week: "Climate change - reviewing the  
evidence" - Professor Michael Tooley

The Cunningham Lectures continue in the Assembly Hall on Thursday at 5.15. **PSALM-  
SINGING IN SCOTLAND THROUGH THE AGES** - Dr Noel O'Regan and the  
Renaissance Singers.

The newly-established **PRAYER GROUP** meets regularly in the Upper Room and all enquiries  
to Judith Aitken

The **BOOK GROUP** meets in the Upper Room on Thursday 28 January at 7.30 pm to begin  
reading "The Shack" - highly acclaimed novel by William P Young

**HAITI  
EMERGENCY  
APPEAL**

Envelopes can be put  
in the plate today, or  
at the Communion  
Offering next week.

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