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St. Andrew's West Parish Church – 28th December 2025

1st Sunday after Christmas

Order of Service

Welcome to worship at St. Andrew's West Parish Church, especially if you are here for the first time. We hope you enjoy worshipping God with us and feel at home in our Christian community. This morning worship will be led by Rev. Dr. Kleber Machado.

Please introduce yourself to your neighbour before the service begins. If you usually worship with another congregation, please pass on our greetings to them.

After worship you are welcome to stay for tea, coffee which will be served in the Oasis Café.

This week in St. Andrew's West

Today	11.00am	Worship led by Rev. Dr. Kleber Machado
Sunday	11.00am	Worship led by Rev. Dr. Kleber Machado

Prelude

Welcome and Intimations

Peace be with you

Introit

Call to Worship:

Minister: As another year draws to a close

All: We gather to give thanks.

Minister: As another year begins

All: We gather to think of all that has been and what is yet to be

Minister: As we reflect on all You have done and still do for us

All: We gather to offer our grateful praise.

Hymn 324 – ‘Angels from the realms of glory’

Prayers of Approach

1st Reading: Isaiah 63: 7-9 OT (p728)

2nd Reading: St. Matthew 2: 13-23 NT (p4)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Hymn 331 – ‘Unto us a boy is born’

Meditation

Silence

Hymn 270 – ‘Put all your trust in God’

**Offering: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

Prayers of Thanksgiving

Hymn 286 – ‘Tell out, my soul’

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

May your kingdom come and your will be done on earth
as it is in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Hymn 237 – ‘Look forward in faith’

Blessing

Sung Amen (Hymn 762): **Glory to God, Glory to God,
Glory in the highest!
To God be glory forever!
Alleluia! Amen!**

Postlude

Announcements

Kirk Session Meeting

The next scheduled Kirk Session meeting will be on Thursday, 8th January at 7.00pm.

Warm Welcome Space

We successfully launched our Warm Welcome Space on Wednesday, 17th December. We had around 20 visitors, people from the congregation, people who live and work nearby, people attending groups in the building, and people going to the Kings Theatre. The next Warm Space will be on 7th January 2026. We encourage you all to come along and bring your friends.

Centre Christmas Closures

Sunday 28 th December	-	normal Sunday opening
Monday 29 th December	-	closed
Tuesday 30 th December	-	closed
Wednesday 31 st December	-	closed
Thursday 1 st January 2026	-	closed
Friday 2 nd January 2026	-	closed
Saturday 3 rd January 2026	-	closed
Sunday 4 th January 2026	-	normal Sunday opening

Serving the Church today

Welcoming:	Eddie.
Hospitality:	Sadie, Avril.
Uplifting Offering:	Eddie, John.
Offering Count:	Avril, Kirsty.

Serving the Church next Sunday

Welcoming:	Charlotte.
Uplifting Offering:	Sadie, Eddie.
Offering Count:	Lynn, Ian.
