

SUNDAY

1st July 2018

Pentecost 6

Charity Number

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The Scottish Episcopal Church

St John's, Arpafeelie: St Andrew's, Fortrose: St Regulus, Cromarty

The Black Isle Family of Congregations

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EVERYONE WHO IS BAPTISED is welcome to share with us in Communion this morning. There is no need to be a member of the Episcopal Church. Please feel free to celebrate with us.

If you are not baptised or would prefer, you are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing (simply come forward with hands together and head bowed as a sign to the priest).



THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

+ **The First Reading : Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24**

+ **Psalm 30**

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

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I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me. O Lord my God, I cried out to you, and you restored me to health.

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down to the grave. Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, his favour for a lifetime. Weeping may spend the night, but joy comes in the morning.

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed. You, Lord, with your favour, made me as strong as the mountains." Then you hid your face, and I was filled with fear.

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

I cried to you, O Lord; I pleaded with the Lord, saying, "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?"

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

Hear, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; O Lord, be my helper." You have turned my wailing into dancing; you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy. Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

My heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God!

+ **Second Reading : 2 Corinthians 8:7-15**

Gradual Hymn/Acclamation

+ **THE HOLY GOSPEL : Mark 5:21-43**



PRAYER REQUESTS

For grace to be Jesus' hands, feet, voice, eyes & heart in the world...that we all may LIVE and BE the GOOD NEWS.

OUR WORLD

For all who have died & those injured by terrorism... For justice & peace the world over. For an end to hatred in all its forms. For our fellow Christians and all who are persecuted for their faith.

OUR COMMUNION

Pray for the peace and unity of the Church. Pray for our brothers and sisters of the Church of North India : Bishop Prem Chand Singh, Moderator.

OUR DIOCESE

For Mark, our Bishop and for our brothers and sisters of St Columba's, Brora ; St Peter & Holy Rood, Thurso ; St John's, Wick. Pray for our sister Dioceses (Quebec, Canada & Tuam, Killala and Achonry, Ireland).

OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY FAMILY & FRIENDS

For Katherine Waters & Marvin Fullerton to be married in St Andrew's on Wednesday 4 July. For Ben Callanan & Angela Boyle to be married in St Andrew's on Friday 6 July. For Cameron M. For A & all battling addictions. For Diana S & all battling cancer. For R & all living with OCD. For Teenie. For Ann & Ray N. For Marjorie T. For Tom McC. For Mark W & loved ones. For Dorothy & Trevor W. For Janet S and all who are discerning their vocation. For Louise & Hayden J. For those whose marriages are struggling. Pray for our Sunday Club in St Regulus'. For our Teen Gatherings. For Karen & her family in Guatemala. For James and his work in Biblical translation in Nigeria. For all we know to be in need of our prayers.

A DAILY PRAYER for the WEEK

God our Father has bound himself to us in an everlasting covenant. In thankfulness and faith, we pray to him:

– Lord, bless your people!

In Christ you have given a new covenant to men: may they know the greatness which they have inherited.

– Lord, bless your people!

Gather into one all who bear the name of Christian, that the world may believe in the Christ you have sent.

– Lord, bless your people!

Pour out your love on our friends, and on all whom we know; may they carry with them the gentleness of Christ.

– Lord, bless your people!

We pray for all people in their need: let your loving presence be known to them, bless and uphold them.

– Lord, bless your people!

Comfort the dying; may they know your saving love.

– Lord, bless your people!

Show your mercy to the dead; may they find their rest in Christ.

– Lord, bless your people!

In a moment of silence, call to mind the concerns of your own heart and lift them up to God.

Conclude with the Lord's Prayer.

NEW CHARGE WEBSITE
episcopalblackisle.scot

THE COMING WEEK

MONDAY

12:15pm : Eucharist in Inverness Cathedral

TUESDAY

7:00pm : Eucharist in St Regulus'

8:00pm : Wedding Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY

STUDY GROUP WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER

10:00am : 1:00pm : CHARITY SHOP

4:00pm : Fullerton/Waters Wedding in St Andrew's

THURSDAY

10:00am : Eucharist in St Andrew's

3:00pm : Wedding Rehearsal

FRIDAY

1:00pm : Callanan/Boyle Wedding in St Andrew's

SATURDAY

10:00am : CAR BOOT SALE - see page 6

10:00am – 1:00pm : CHARITY SHOP

NEXT SUNDAY – 8 JULY - PENTECOST 7

EUCHARIST

8am & 11:30am in St Andrew's (Fr Mel)

9:45am in St Regulus' (Fr Mel)

Holy Communion by Reserved Sacrament

9:45am in St John's (Gail)

EVENSONG

6:30pm in St Andrew's

(Ezek 2:1-5 / Ps 123 / 2 Cor 12:2-10 / Mk 6:1-13)

Readers & Intercessors:

St A : Heather I / Louise J / Helen K / Simon S

Readers & Intercessors this week:

St A: Anna G / Angus F / Michael H / Dorothy W

READERS & INTERCESSORS: PLEASE NOTE

If you are not able to be present when on duty, please make arrangements for a replacement and/or let Fr Mel know in advance to save last minute panic and disruption?

Hymns for Sunday at St Andrew's

Intro:	Be Still
Gradual:	Seek Ye First
Offertory:	Brother, Sister let me serve you
Communion	The Touching Place
Recessional:	Give me Joy

DATA PROTECTION

As of this date, 23 people who currently receive the newsletter have not completed and returned a Data Protection Consent Form. Technically, if I do not receive a consent form, I will require, by law, to stop sending the newsletter to you as I no longer have your permission to do so.

Likewise, as of this date, 29 members of St Andrew's, 9 members of St John's and 7 members of St Regulus all of whom are listed on the Roll of the Black Isle Charge have not returned the requisite Consent Form. Again, technically, the Rector and I can no longer send information to any of those members as we no longer have their permission to do so.

Accordingly, I have once again attached a copy of the Consent Form to this email and would ask that if you have not already done so, would you please complete it and return it to me at your earliest convenience. If I do not receive a response by the end of the month, I am afraid that I will require to remove you from the distribution list as I will be leaving the Church open to substantial penalties if I continue to send what will in effect be unsolicited correspondence.

With regard to the Roll of the Charge, I will ask your Vestry Members to chase up those who have failed to respond.

My apologies for this heavy handed approach but, since the 25th May the Data Protection Laws have changed fairly drastically and I, as Vestry Secretary, cannot afford to put the Charge in a vulnerable position due to us not complying with the new legislation.

Ramsay McGhee

CROMARTY YOUTH OPERA

This year Cromarty Youth Opera celebrates its 5th anniversary with *Tod!* by Andrew Gant. The opera, based on *The Tale of Mr Tod* and other writings by Beatrix Potter has been commissioned by Cromarty Youth Opera and will receive its premiere in Cromarty West Church on [Wednesday 8 August at 7pm](#) with further performances on Thursday and Friday 9 & [10 August](#). The opera will be directed by Will Kerley and designed by Rachel Szmukler, and conducted by the company's founder and artistic director, Edward Caswell. Admission is free, doors open [at 6.30pm](#), with donations welcome.

SAINTS THIS WEEK

Saint Palladius : 6 July

An early Irish missionary, the first bishop of Ireland, and the immediate predecessor to St. Patrick. Perhaps originally of British or Roman descent, Palladius was possibly a deacon in Rome or, more likely, in Auxerre, France. According to the fifth century theologian Prosper of Aquitaine, Palladius convinced Pope Celestine I to send St. Germanus, bishop of Auxerre, to England with the aim of expunging the Pelagian heresy which was then rampant. It seems that Palladius was then consecrated a bishop by the pope who, in about 430, sent Palladius to preach among the Irish. He landed near Wicklow and founded at least three churches in Leinster, but his mission apparently made little impact upon the native population. Palladius departed Ireland and sailed for Scotland, where he preached among the Picts. He died at Fordun, near Aberdeen, a short time after arriving, although there is an unreliable Scottish tradition that he lived among the Picts for more than twenty years.

Classic Film Club

2-4pm

First Tuesday of the month

The Old Mill, 1, Marine Terrace, Rosemarkie, IV10 8UL

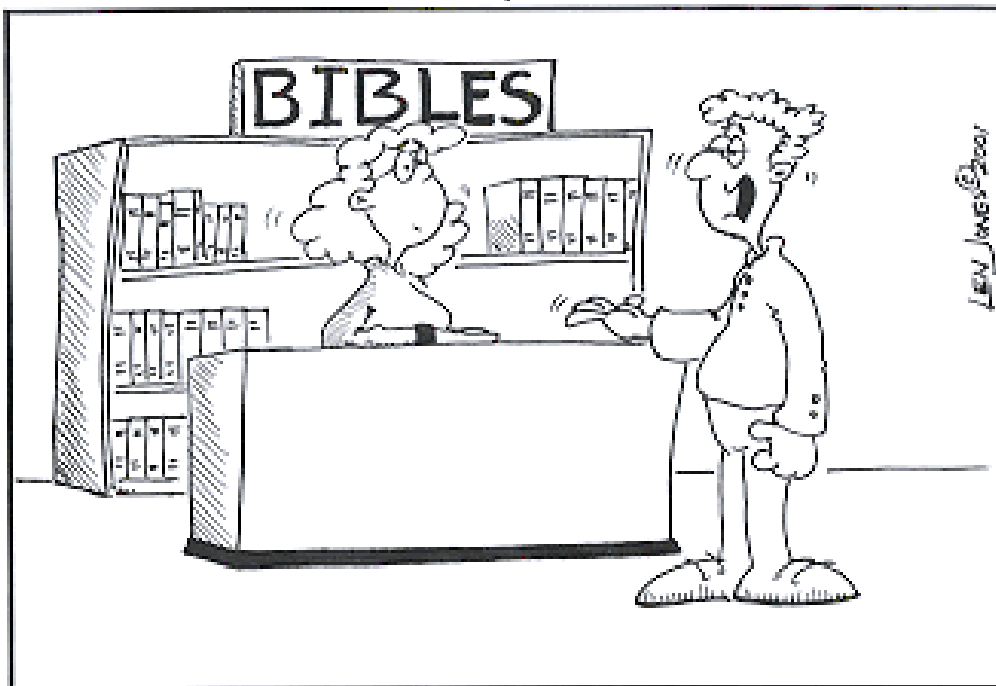
Details from Helen Robinson 01381620243 07889181529

Tuesday Jul 3rd

“Spring and Port Wine”

Come and enjoy a cuppa and the film in pleasant company!

ALTAR EGO by Len Jones



"What I really need is a translation that won't leave me feeling guilty, convicted, or in need of making some kind of decision."

OUR CHARITY SHOP
in Saint Andrew's Hall :
Wednesdays & Saturdays,
10am -1pm.



FOOD BANK APPEAL

All contributions gratefully received - please leave tins in the basket provided at the back of the Church. Things we need:

NEW REQUIREMENTS for the NEXT 2 MONTHS

long grain rice,
tinned tomatoes,
corn beef, and
cat and dog food



Thought for today

Give Life time to spin the unseen threads of destiny. Give Life time to solve your problems. Trust and wait and see. Providence has plans for you. Of that there is no doubt. But they can't be hurried. Give Life time to work them out.

Birthdays
This coming week

Many Happy Returns to
Dorothy Williams



CAR BOOT SALE

The fund-raising team are holding a Car Boot Sale on Saturday 7th July at 10.00 am at St Andrew's Church. The cost is £10 per car and teas and coffees will be served in the Church. There is also the possibility of a "PET'S PARADE" taking place—so get your pet pup, cat, budgie, snake or whatever groomed for the occasion.

BOOKS

by Elizabeth Sutherland

A wide selection of books written by our own Betty Marshall are available at the back of the Church.

- donations should be placed in the box on the back pew.

CARDS –

by Hayden Jeffery

Hayden Jeffery has designed and produced a selection of multifunctional cards - they can be found at the back of the Church and cost £1 each

- donations should be placed in the box on the back pew.

St John's Arpafeelie

Sunday 1st July 2018 -

**Wis 1.13-15;2.23-24
Diana Macdonell**

**Psalm 30
Bridie Graham**

**2 Corinthians 8.7-15
Donald Graham**

Mark 5.21-43

Prayer - Alan Danson



HYMNS

Opening:	11 – Alleluia, sing to Jesus
Gradual:	40 - As the deer pants for the water
Offertory:	48 – At the name of Jesus
Communion:	605 – Take my life and let it be
Recessional:	189 – Glorious things of thee are spoken

From the Diocese of Brechin -

The Friends of the Caird Hall, Dundee - 29th September 2018

The Friends of the Caird Hall Organ are hosting a 'Come and Sing with Paul Mealor' in the Caird Hall. Paul (composer of the royal wedding anthem 'Ubi caritas' and the Military Wives no. 1 hit 'Wherever you are') will lead a fun-filled day of music making, working on Vivaldi's Gloria, Parry's 'I was glad' and Paul's own 'Let all the world in every corner sing'.

Application forms will be available on the Caird Hall website soon. All singers of all abilities are most welcome!

From the Diocese of Argyll and the Isles

Fruit of the Spirit – Diocesan Retreat

Argyll & The Isles Diocesan Retreat 2018 Monday 29th October – Thursday 1st November College of the Holy Spirit & Cathedral of the Isles, Isle of Cumbrae 'Fruit of the Spirit' Explore ways to express your prayers and thoughts about scripture throughout these few days through creative journalling. Led by Revd Jane MacLaren, this promises to be a wonderful opportunity to enjoy silence, space and time in a beautiful environment – what could be better!

PILGRIMAGE

Contemporary Approaches to Faith
Heritage and Issues of Time

ST MARGARET OF SCOTLAND

GALLOWGATE ABERDEEN

21 SEPTEMBER 2018

10.00AM - 4.30PM

David Atkinson advises that this event is being organised by the Provincial Church in Society Committee and that booking should be done through Event Bright but gives no indication as to who Event Bright are or how to contact them.

However, I have discovered that if you use the following link you can purchase tickets (£5) direct from the firm.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/d/united-kingdom--aberdeen/pilgrimage/>

Fuego Volcano

On behalf of the Scottish Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Glasgow and Galloway,

Direction of the Pyroclastic flow

I would like to add my own expression of sorrow for the community of the Glasgow School of Art who has suffered a second devastating fire of their beloved building. This is such a heart-breaking blow for them and the people of Glasgow. We assure them of our thoughts and prayers in the days to come when important decisions will have to be made for the future of the building and its possible restoration, for the second time.

Yours,

+Gregor

