

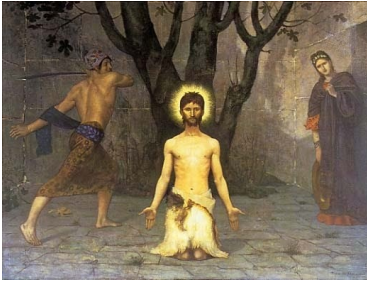
SUNDAY
15th July 2018
Pentecost 8
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The Scottish Episcopal Church

St John's, Arpafelie: 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 : Amos 7:7-15**

+ **Psalm 85:8-13**

Truly God's salvation is near to those who fear him.

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I will listen to what the Lord God is saying, for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who turn their hearts to him.

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that his glory may dwell in our land. Mercy and truth have met together; righteousness and peace have kissed each other. Truth shall spring up from the earth, and righteousness shall look down from heaven.

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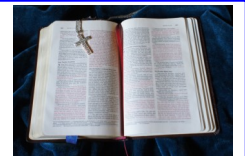
The Lord will indeed grant prosperity, and our land will yield its increase. Righteousness shall go before him, and peace shall be a pathway for his feet.

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+ **Second Reading : Ephesians 1:3-14**

Gradual Hymn/Acclamation

+ **THE HOLY GOSPEL : Mark 6:14-29**



NEW CHARGE WEBSITE
episcopalblackisle.scot

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 the children and parents separated by the American government. Give thanks for the rescue of the young people in Thailand and for their rescuers. 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 Anglican Church of Papua-New Guinea : Archbishop Alan Migi.

OUR DIOCESE

For Mark, our Bishop and for our brothers and sisters of St Andrew's, Tain / St Finnbar's, Dornoch & St Maelrubha's, Lairg. Pray for our sister Dioceses (Quebec, Canada & Tuam, Killala and Achonry, Ireland).

OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY

FAMILY & FRIENDS

For A & all battling addictions. For Cameron M., 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

Christ is the shepherd of his flock: he loves and cares for his people. We turn to him in trust and say:

Lord, we need your care.

Christ our Lord, you are pastor of all the ages, protect our Bishop, **Mark**, and all the pastors of your Church.

Lord, we need your care.

Be with those who are persecuted for their faith, and those cut off from the support of the Church: Good Shepherd, in their pain and isolation may they know your care.

Lord, we need your care.

Bring healing to the sick; give nourishment to the hungry.

Lord, we need your care.

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

Lord, we need your care.

We remember those who make our laws and those who apply them: Lord, give them wisdom and discernment.

Lord, we need your care.

Gather the flock for which you laid down your life: bring home to their Father's house all who have died in your peace.

– *Lord, we need your care.*

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.

THE COMING WEEK

MONDAY

12:15pm : Eucharist in Inverness Cathedral

TUESDAY

7:00pm : Eucharist in St Regulus'

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

10:00am : Eucharist in St Andrew's

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

10:00am – 1:00pm : CHARITY SHOP

PLEASE NOTE THE DIFFERENCE IN NEXT SUNDAY'S OBSERVANCE

NEXT SUNDAY – 22 JULY - FEAST of SAINT MARY MAGDALENE

EUCHARIST

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

9:45am in St John's' (Rev Christine)

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

EVENSONG

6:30pm in St Andrew's

NEXT WEEK'S READERS NOTE:

(Judith 9:1,11-14 / Ps 42 / 2 Cor 5:14-17 / Jn 20:1-2,11-18)

Readers & Intercessors next week:

St J: Jackie M / Diana M / Ann D / Isla C

St A : Ramsay M / Simon S / Marjorie T / Heather I

Readers & Intercessors this week:

St J: Family / Family / Family / Susanna L

St A : Joan M / Jan M / Betty M / TBA

READERS & INTERCESSORS: PLEASE NOTE

If you are not able to be present when on duty, please make arranges 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:	266	-	We hail thy presence
Gradual:	419	-	Sing we a song
Offertory:	243	-	Come O thou traveller
Communion	272	-	O God unseen
Recessional:	172	-	Glorious Things

SAINTS THIS WEEK -

This week's calendar is bereft of saints we commemorate.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Father Dolling (1894):

(Robert William Radclyffe Dolling (10 February 1851 in Magheralin, County Down, Northern Ireland – 15 May 1902 in South Kensington, London, England), often referred to as "Father Dolling", was an Anglican priest. He was much loved and respected and worked, throughout most of his life, in "slum" parishes among the poor and forgotten.)

"War still exists . . . but the Divine Carpenter will have His revenge and His revenge will be complete when by means of labour, war shall cease throughout the whole world . . . when shameful wages and shameful hours and the abominable sweating system, depriving men of the fruits of their labours, shall have ceased universally . . . then the patient pleadings of the Carpenter of Nazareth will be realized, and man -- the temporal redeemer of the earth by the sweat of his brow -- shall refuse to be manipulated by his brethren, either in the sweating dens of financiers, or on the battle-field, or in the armies maintained at present at an impossible cost by politicians or by monarchs for their own selfish purposes."

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.

APPEAL by DOG TRUST for USED STAMPS/POSTCARDS

PLEASE GIVE to Julie or hand in directly to ROSEMARKIE SHOP, where they will be forwarded directly to a representative of the Trust.

SEE WEBSITE for details:

<https://www.dogstrust.org.uk>



DRAWING PINS for outside Noticeboard

NB: there is a new packet of drawing pins in the far right-hand drawer of the unit - this is to avoid using drawing pins from

the Information/Rota Notices on the Main Church Noticeboard.

With Thanks ~ Julie

A truly MAGICAL and AMAZING musical evening
The incomparable
KYIV
CLASSIC ACCORDION DUO



Year after year they WOW the audience! Don't miss them
Thursday 2 August at 7:30pm in Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church
Academy Street, Fortrose
ADMISSION is FREE

(a donation of £6 toward their charity which aids the victims of Chernobyl is suggested and will be gratefully received)

Refreshments will be served at the interval.

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

It was never meant that we should have an easy task,

Getting always what we want and having all we ask.

Set-backs check our progress, slow us down at every turn,

But they give us time to think, and that's the way to learn.

Birthdays

This coming week

1858 Emmeline Pankhurst, British suffragette who formed the Women's Social & Political Union (1903), born in Moss Side, Manchester (d. 1928)

CAR BOOT SALE NEWS

The overall total proceeds from the Car Boot Sale was **£733.54**.

Congratulations to you all on a fantastic result - the Fund Raising Committee would like to thank all those who contributed, took part and who came along and spent money.

TOMBOLA

Thank you to everyone who supported my Tombola Stall - £90 raised for Guatemala - so hap-

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 15th July 2018 -

Amos 7:7-15
Family Reader

Psalm 85 verses
Family Reader

Ephesians 1:3-14
Family Reader

Mark 6:14-29

Prayers - Ann Danson



HYMNS

Opening:	52 – Awake my soul and with the sun
Gradual:	205 – God is working his purpose out
Offertory:	181 – Gather around for the table is spread
Communion:	80 - Broken for me, broken for you
Recessional:	683 – To God be the glory

With most of the families being away on holiday I will be looking for volunteers on Sunday to take the readings.



SERVICE OF EVENSONG

All are warmly invited and welcome to the
Cathedral on **SUNDAY 19th AUGUST 2018 AT 17:30**

This is an occasion to commission Mrs Patsy Thomson as Warden of Lay Readers as the Lay Readers renew their promises and Bishop Mark will be installing the Revd Canon Sarah Hills as Canon Reconciler and Dr Joseph J Morrow, CBE, QC as Chancellor of the Diocese of Moray, Ross & Caithness

Choral Evensong will be followed by light refreshments

RSVP invernesscathedraloffice@gmail.com by 12th August 2018

Tel: 01463 225553 9-11 Kenneth Street | Inverness | IV3 5NR

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Dr Morrow will be present in the diocese for the first time in his new role at the ordination to the priesthood of Revd Dr Clare Caley. This will take place at St Michael and All Angels Church, Inverness at 1.00 pm on Saturday, 11th August. All are welcome.

Brass Band Concert

Starring

Der Evangelische Posaunenchor Hambach-Winzingen

From

Neustadt an der Weinstraße, Germany



At

Knockbain Church, Munlochy

Friday 20th July

7.30 PM

Entry by donation to Killearnan and Knockbain church funds.

Tea and coffee will be served.

More information and directions at:
www.kandkcofs.org/news/





SC015830

A little **JAZZ**
Bob Chilcott

MASS
Come & Sing from Scratch

At Inverness Cathedral
Saturday 26th August 2018

Programme for the Day

10.45am Welcome & Registration

11-11 Rehearsal (including tea break)

1-1:45 lunch (please bring your own)

1:45-2:30 Rehearsal

Break

3.00pm Jazz Mass Service

£5 per person

To register for this event please email:

office@invernesscathedral.org

or 01463 225553 or via

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/jazz-mass-from-scratch-tickets-47613667762?utm_term=eventurl_text

Prayers for the NHS

The Most Rev Mark Strange, Bishop of Moray, Ross & Caithness and Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church says "As we celebrate 70 years of the National Health Service (NHS) I ask that you pray for those whose service allows it to operate for the benefit of all, free at the point of use... For Doctors, Nurses, Administration and Support Staff and for Hospital Chaplains. I ask you to pray for all those who have been, and are being, treated by the NHS and for those whose responsibility it is to safeguard the NHS for the future... For politicians and voters, that they may continue to recognise the vast influence the NHS has in our communities.

"I ask you to pray for the NHS as an example of the good that society can offer when we all contribute to the health and wellbeing of each other."

Consecration dates announced for new Bishops

The Very Rev Andrew Swift will be consecrated and installed as the new Bishop of Brechin in St Paul's Cathedral, Dundee on Saturday 25 August.

The Rev Canon Ian Paton will be consecrated and installed as the new Bishop of St Andrews, Dunkeld & Dunblane in St Ninian's Cathedral, Perth on Saturday 20 October.

Things the children say:

A mother took her three-year-old daughter to church for the first time. The church lights were lowered, and then the choir came down the aisle, carrying lighted candles. All was quiet until the little one started to sing in a loud voice, "Happy Birthday to you, happy birthday to you...."

A Sunday School teacher asked her class, "Does anyone here know what we mean by sins of omission?" A small girl replied: "Aren't those the sins we should have committed, but didn't?"

IS IT BETTER TO BE SINGLE OR MARRIED?

It's better for girls to be single but not for boys. Boys need someone to clean up after them. - Anita, age 9

WHEN IS IT OKAY TO KISS SOMEONE?

When they're rich. - Pam, age 7

The law says you have to be eighteen, so I wouldn't want to mess with that. - Curt, age 7

The rule goes like this: if you kiss someone, then you should marry them and have kids with them. It's the right thing to do. - Howard, age 8