

The DAY of PENTECOST

9 June 2019



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RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

EVERYONE WHO IS BAPTISED IS WELCOME

to share with us in Communion at all services.

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).

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THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Readers & Intercessors

St J : Mairi M / Jackie M / Donald G / Bridie

St A : Jan M / Betty M / Lois M / Simon S

+ **First Reading : Acts 2:1-21**

+ **Psalm 104 (verses)**

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

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O Lord, how manifold are your works!

in wisdom you have made them all;

the earth is full of your creatures.

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

Yonder is the great and wide sea
with its living things too many to number,
creatures both small and great.

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

There move the ships,

and there is that Leviathan,

which you have made for the sport of it.

All of them look to you

to give them their food in due season.

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever;
may the Lord rejoice in all his works.

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;

I will praise my God while I have my being.

May these words of mine please him;

I will rejoice in the Lord.

Bless the Lord, O my soul. Hallelujah!

Lord, send forth your Spirit

and renew the face of the earth.

+ **Second Reading : Romans 8:14-17**

Gradual Hymn / Alleluia

+ **The Holy Gospel : John 14:8-17 (25-27)**

PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray...for a fresh out-pouring of the Holy Spirit and 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 peace and stability of the UK & for the guidance of the Spirit for our leaders. For justice and peace in Yemen, the Holy Land and, indeed, the world over. For an end to terrorism and 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 & sisters of the Church in Myanmar : Archbishop Stephen Than Myint Oo.

OUR DIOCESE

For all our brothers & sisters in the Porvoo Communion of Churches. For Claire, Katrina, Harriet, Lesley, Kathryn, Philip, Jean and all who are studying for Ordination or Readership...for their instructors & all who support them. For Mark, our Bishop. For our brothers & sisters of Christ Church, Huntly; Holy Trinity, Keith;

Gordon Chapel, Fochabers; St. Michael, Dufftown and St. Marnan's, Aberchirder. For Inverness Street Pastors. For our brothers & sisters of throughout the Diocese. For our sister Dioceses (Quebec, Canada & Tuam, Killala and Achonry, Ireland).

OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY FAMILY & FRIENDS

For Gill D. For Kathleen McC. For June. For Roberta. For Ania & Krystian. For Helen. For Loretta & loved ones. For Cameron M. For Diana S. For Tom McC. For Louise & Hayden J. For Mark W & loved ones. For Janet S as she studies for ordination. For those whose relationships / 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

We know that the Father is with us because of the Spirit he has given us. With this confidence we turn to you in prayer.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

Father, you want to unite all men by baptism in the Spirit; draw all believers together in mind and heart.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

You sent the Spirit to fill the earth with your love; let all people build the human city in justice and peace.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

Lord God, Father of all, bring to your scattered children unity of faith: make the world alive with the power of your Spirit.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

By the work of the Spirit you create all minds afresh: heal the sick, comfort the afflicted, and bring all people to salvation.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

Through the Holy Spirit you raised your Son from the dead. Raise us by the power of your Spirit when we come to your kingdom.

– *Father, send your Spirit into the Church!*

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

Conclude with the Lord's Prayer.

THIS WEEK

MONDAY

12:15pm – Eucharist in Inverness Cathedral

TUESDAY

3:30-6 : Fr Mel with Cromarty Children

7:00pm Eucharist in St Regulus', Cromarty

WEDNESDAY

10:00am – 1:00pm : Charity Shop

10:00am : Study Group in the Rectory

3:30 – 6 : Fr Mel with Fortrose/Munlochy/ Avoch Children

THURSDAY

10:00am : Eucharist in St Andrew's, Fortrose

3:30pm : Fr Mel with Fortrose Children

FRIDAY

8:30am : Celtic Morning Prayer in St Regulus'

SATURDAY

10:00am – 1:00pm : Charity Shop

10:30am – 12 noon : **COFFEE MORNING** in Fortrose Town Hall.

NEXT SUNDAY : 16 June 2019

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



EUCHARIST

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

9:45am in St John's (Fr Mel)

RESERVED SACRAMENT

9:45am in St Regulus' (Patsy T)

EVENSONG

6:30pm in St Andrew's

Readers & Intercessors

St J : Family / Family / Family / Gail S

St A : Alisong G / Simon S / Marjorie T / Dorothy W
(Prov 8:1-4, 22-31 / Ps 8 / Rom 5:1-5 / Jn 16:12-15)

A PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

(from St Augustine)

Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit,
That my thoughts may all be holy.

Act in me, O Holy Spirit,
That my work, too, may be holy.

Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit,
That I love but what is holy.

Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit,
To defend all that is holy.

Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit,
That I always may be holy.