**SUNDAY** 28th July 2019 **Charity Number** 

Pentecost 7

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The Black Isle Family of Congregations

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

The Scottish Episcopal Church

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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

+ First Reading: Genesis 18:20-32



+ Psalm 138:1-4,9

In the sight of the angels, O Lord, I will sing your praises.

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I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with my whole heart; before the gods I will sing your praise.

In the sight of the angels, O Lord, I will sing your praises.

I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your Name, because of your love and faithfulness.

In the sight of the angels, O Lord, I will sing your praises.

For you have glorified your Name and your word above all things. When I called, you answered me; you increased my strength within me.

In the sight of the angels, O Lord, I will sing your praises.

The Lord will make good his purpose for me; O Lord, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

In the sight of the angels, O Lord, I will sing your praises.

+ Second Reading: Colossians 2:6-15

Gradual Hymn / Alleluia

+ The Holy Gospel: Luke 11:1-13

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### PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray... 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 peaceful relieving of tensions between the UK, US and Iran. 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 Anglican Communion as they remember us (Scottish Episcopal Church) today.

### **OUR DIOCESE**

For all our brothers & sisters in the Porvoo Communion of Churches. For Annie, Claire, Katrina, Harriet, Lesley, Kathryn, Philip 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 St Maelrubha, Poolewe / Courthill Chapel, Kishorn / St Donan's, Lochalsh. 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 the soul of Bill Fulton, for Catriona & all the family (Bill's memorial service will be in St Andrew's at 2pm on the 12<sup>th</sup> of August). For Matthew L & his family. For Gilly D. For Kathleen McC. For Roberta & Family. 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 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

Let us ask the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name, to send the Spirit of his Son into our hearts as we pray:

- Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- O Lord, the creator and redeemer of all mankind, we humbly pray for our brothers and sisters of every race in every kind of need: Make your ways known to them, and reveal your salvation to all nations.
- Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

May the whole Church be guided and governed by your Holy Spirit; let all who call themselves Christians be led into the way of truth and hold the faith in unity of spirit.

- Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

We commend to your fatherly goodness all who are afflicted or distressed; comfort and relieve them according to their need, and grant them the love and consolation of your Spirit.

– Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Father, give a place of life and rest to those who have died in your peace: may we share with them in the glory of Jesus Christ, who died to save us all.

- Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

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.

# Black Isle Charge Diary

### **MONDAY**

12:15pm Eucharist in Inverness Cathedral

### **TUESDAY**

7:00pm Eucharist in St Regulus', Cromarty

7:30pm: KYIV CLASSIC ACCORDION DUO in St Andrew's, Fortrose.

### WEDNESDAY

10:00am – 1:00pm : Charity Shop

### **THURSDAY**

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

### **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: 4 August 2019**

**PENTECOST 8** 

### **EUCHARIST**

8am & 11:30am in St Andrew's

9:45am in St John's

### RESERVED SACRAMENT SERVICE

9:45am in St Regulus'

### TAIZE EVENING PRAYER

6:30pm in St Andrew's

### **READERS & INTERCESSORS**

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

St A: Betty M / Simon Spence / Ramsay M / Joan D

(Ec 1:2,12-14;2:18-23 / Ps 49 / Col 3:1-11 / Lk 12:13-21)

# Hymns for Sunday at St Andrew's

**Intro:** 264 – We pray thee, Heavenly Father

**Gradual:** 374 - Help us to help each other

**Offertory:** 116 - All things bright and beautiful

**Communion:** 272 – O God unseen yet ever near

**Recessional:** 205 - Now thank we all our God

### The

# **KYIV**

# **CLASSIC ACCORDION DUO**

# **ARE BACK AGAIN**

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> July at 7:30pm in Saint Andrew's Church ADMISSION FREE



The Charity Shop in Academy Street brings in much needed income to the Black Isle Charge but it relies on volunteers to keep it going.

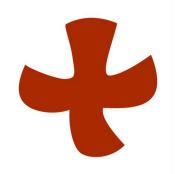
Not only does it generate income but it provides a focal point for locals and visitors alike.

We are needing new volunteers to keep the venture going. If you can spare a few hours a month to assist in the running of the shop, please contact Margaret Pern on 01381 610 312

# Taizé:

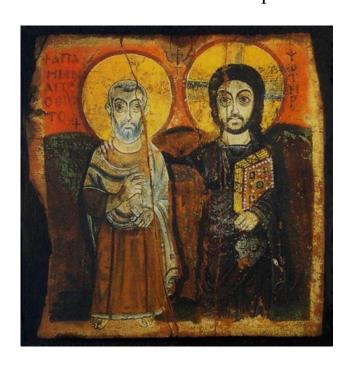
# **An Evening Prayer**

for people of any church tradition, or none.



# St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Academy Street, Fortrose, IV10 8RX

First Sunday of every month, 6.15pm for 6.30pm - until 7.15pm



This informal monthly evening prayer is based on the pattern of worship used by the ecumenical Taizé Community in France. It is faithful to the Church's centuries-old tradition of evening prayer whilst being very contemporary. It involves a mixture of meditative songs, scripture readings, spoken prayers, and a period of silence. It offers an oasis of peace, a chance - before the business of the week - to stop and dwell quietly with others in prayer. If

wordy worship is not for you, if you enjoy stillness and simplicity, this monthly evening prayer in the style of Taizé may be just what you are looking for.

# All Welcome!

For more information contact Simon Spence on 01381 621468

### **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, tined tomatoes, corn beef, and cat and dog food



# Thought for today

Lean upon the Word of God and it will take your weight. Giving you strength to face whatever be your fate. It will always hold you up when evil powers assail you. Lean upon the Word of God and it will never fail you.



### 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.



### 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 28th July 2019 Pentecost 7
Genesis 18:20-32
Volunteer from Congregation
Psalm 138
Jackie MacNicol
Colossians 2:6-15
Mairi MacLean
Luke 11:1-13



### **HYMNS**

Opening: 48 - At the name of Jesus

Prayers - Jackie MacNicol

Gradual: 408 – Lord Jesus Christ, you have come to us

Offertory: 238– Great is thy faithfulness

Communion: 1– Abba Father

Recessional: 310 – In Christ alone my hope is found

Men's Breakfast 9am at Fortrose Cafe this Saturday

New signage at St John's now installed.

Can a volunteer mind the collection until next week please?

Congregational Meeting due for 28th July postponed - new date to be agreed

In our diocesan cycle of prayer:

For the congregations of St. Maelrhubha, Poolewe; Courthill Chapel, Kishorn; St. Donan, Lochalsh: and for the servants of the church Heather Widdows, Fiona Newton, John Searl, Francis Minay, William Coke, Alan and Ann Simpson.

In our Porvoo Community

### 28/7

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Lithuania: Bishop Mindaugas Sabutis Church of Ireland: Diocese of Derry and Raphoe, Bishop Kenneth Good

# **Church Rotas**

# St Andrew's

### **Readers & Intercessors**

L MacDonell / J MacInnes / J MacLennan /S Spence

Sides-men

Ann McGhee

**Servers** 

Jan / Martha / Terry Jan and Terry

Sacristan

Anne Balfour

**Flowers** 

Diana Hamilton Jones

Teas

Lois

Cleaning

Louise Jeffery

# St John's

Teas Gill Pimm

Server Gill Pimm

Sacristan Jackie

# **PATS ON BACKS**

As Rector, I have been singing your praises...so many responded to the need for volunteers to provide food and to serve it at the Cathedral Hall! Our wee gang is all but staffing the venture for the whole summer hol! WOW!!! You are amazing!

So many are giving so generously to the **FOOD BANK...**Especially important over summer when many families struggle to provide extra lunches, etc with kids at home! WOW!

**HIGHLAND CATHEDRAL** book launch was such an amazing success...congrats to all who provided for and served the goodies...and to BETTY & RACHEL

for their amazing page turner!

As I hit my 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary as your Rector I just want to acknowledge how blessed I know I am to be serving with you!

THANK YOU ALL!!!

# St Boniface Fair

The St Boniface Fair is one of the Charge's main fund-raisers.

The ladies of the three congregations who will be running the teas stall at the Fair would be delighted to receive gifts of baking.

All sorts of baking highly acceptable

The Fair is on Thursday 8th August—donations of baking can be left at the church on the morning of the 8th or dropped off at the charity shop by 1.00 pm on the day.

All contributions greatly appreciated.

If the weather is inclement—the teas will move to the Clubroom at Lodge Seaforth in Station Square.

### Glenalmond 2019

The annual provincial youth week at Glenalmond runs this year from 21-27 July. It will bring together 23 leaders and 59 young people from all over the Province for a week that deepens young people's commitment to God, to each other and to the Scottish Episcopal Church. The Youth Committee has offered the following prayer for use within the Church:

Lord, we pray for the Provincial Youth Week.

May your Holy Spirit move through the fun and friendships, speak through the worship and teaching, inspire the leaders, renew their energy and breathe into the hearts of our young people, filling them with new life.

Amen.