

**SUNDAY**  
**22nd September**  
**2019**

**Charity Number**  
**Pentecost 14**  
**SC010781**

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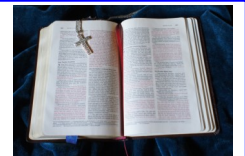
EVERYONE WHO IS BAPTISED is welcome to share with us in Communion this morning. There is no need to be a member of the Episcopal Church. Please feel free to celebrate with us.

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

+ **First Reading : Amos 8:4-7**  
+ **Psalm 113**



From the rising of the sun to its going down let the Name of the Lord be praised.

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Hallelujah! Give praise, you servants of the Lord; praise the Name of the Lord. Let the Name of the Lord be blessed, from this time forth for evermore.

**From the rising of the sun to its going down let the Name of the Lord be praised.**

The Lord is high above all nations, and his glory above the heavens. Who is like the Lord our God, who sits enthroned on high, but stoops to behold the heavens and the earth? He takes up the weak out of the dust and lifts up the poor from the ashes.

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He sets them with the princes, with the princes of his people. He makes the woman of a childless house to be a joyful mother of children.

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◆ **Second Reading : 1 Timothy 2:1-7**

**Gradual Hymn / Alleluia**

◆ **The Holy Gospel : Luke 16:1-13**

**Fr Mel will be away over the coming week.**  
**Rev Christine will be on call for emergencies (01463 831 668)**

## **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 Church of Uganda : Archbishop Stanley Ntagali.

### **OUR DIOCESE**

For all our brothers & sisters in the Porvoo Communion of Churches. For Ian D (PDO), Valerie C , Rebekah C / Joshua c / Lisa C / Jackie F / Paul H, their families 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 Anne's, Strathpeffer / St James', Dingwall / St Ninian's, Invergordon. For Inverness Street Pastors. For our sister Dioceses (Quebec, Canada & Tuam, Killala and Achonry, Ireland).

### **OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY FAMILY & FRIENDS**

For Gail & Phil. For Peter & Margaret. 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 all people 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 loving 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*

### **TUESDAY**

7:00pm Eucharist in St Regulus', Cromarty

### **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**

9:00am : Men's Brekky at the Fortrose Cafe

10:00am – 1:00pm : Charity Shop

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

## **NEXT SUNDAY : 29 September 2019 - FIFTH SUNDAY GATHERING**

### **Feast of SAINT MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS**

#### **EUCCHARIST**

11:00am in SAINT ANDREW'S

BRING & SHARE LUNCH TO FOLLOW

Guest speakers will be from STREET PASTORS.

#### **Celebrant will be:**

**CANON LAURENCE GUNNER**

#### **READERS & INTERCESSORS**

St A : Servers & 1 EM & Intercessor

St J : Reader 1 & 1 EM

St R : Reader 2 & Psalm

(Gen 28:10-17 / Ps 103 / Rev 12:7-12 / Jn 1:47-51)

## **CONCERT - HEBRIDES ENSEMBLE**

**With the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland**

**3:00pm on Sun 29 Sept in Saint Andrew's, Fortrose**

**String Quartets**

Mozart, Beethoven, Debussy, Dvorak

William Conway on Cello & students from the RCS

# **TABLE TOP SALE**



**In aid of Black Isle Charge Funds**

**Saturday 12th October 2019**

**In the Seaforth Club Rooms, Station Square, Fortrose**

**10.00 till 12 noon**

**£10 per table**

**To book a table, contact Ann McGhee on 01381 620 110**

**Teas / coffees and cakes will be on sale**

## Hymns for Sunday at St Andrew's

<b>Intro:</b>	131	-	Love Divine
<b>Gradual:</b>	443	-	Christian People
<b>Offertory:</b>	115	-	Dear Lord and Father
<b>Communion:</b>	278	-	Hands that have been handling
<b>Recessional:</b>	198	-	Ye holy angels

## CHURCH FLOWERS in St ANDREW's



The St Andrew's flower rota team would always be keen to welcome new members - please speak to Heather Ireland if you would like further information 01381 621901.

### SAINT FINNBARR of CAITHNESS : 25 Sept

He was the son of an artisan and a lady of the Irish royal court. Born in Connaught, Ireland, and baptized Lochan, he was educated at Kilmacahil, Kilkenny, where the monks named him Fionnbharr (white head) because of his light hair; he is also known as Bairre and Barr. He went on pilgrimage to Rome with some of the monks, visiting St. David in Wales on the way back. Supposedly, on another visit to Rome the Pope wanted to consecrate him a bishop but was deterred by a vision, notifying the pope that God had reserved that honour to Himself, and Finnbarr was consecrated from heaven and then returned to Ireland. At any rate, he preached in Scotland (Dornoch for one...where he founded the church!), and in southern Ireland, lived as a hermit on a small island at Lough Eiroe, and then, on the river Lee, founded a monastery that developed into the city of Cork, of which he was the first bishop. His monastery became famous in southern Ireland and attracted numerous disciples. Many extravagant miracles are attributed to him, and supposedly, the sun did not set for two weeks after he died at Cloyne about the year 633.

**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**

Looking out into the future down the pathway of the years.  
You won't see the bright horizon if your eyes are blurred with tears.  
You will miss the wayside flowers around your present pathway set;  
If you cling to memories that fill your heart with vain regret.

### **HARVEST THANKSGIVING**

**6 October in St Andrew's and St John's**

**13 October in St Regulus'**



### **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 Arrpafeelie

Sunday 22nd September 2019 -

Amos 8:4-7

Gill Pimm

Psalm 113

Susanna Leslie

1 Timothy 2:1-7

Diana Macdonell

Luke 16:1-13

Prayers - Isla Cruden



## HYMNS

Opening:	200	– God is here
Gradual:	493	– O Jesus, I have promised
Offertory:	609	– Teach me my God and King
Communion:	41	– As we are gathered
Recessional:	507	– Stand up, stand up for Jesus

## Diocesan Prayer Cycle -

For the congregations of St. Anne, Strathpeffer; St. James the Great, Dingwall; St. Ninian, Invergordon; St. Mary's Alness: Julia Boothby, Valerie Saunders, Ruth Flockhart, Barbara Chandler. f St. John, Inverness; St. Michael and All Angels, Inverness: John Cuthbert, Clare Caley.

## Porvoo Communion

22/9

*Church of England:* Diocese of Sheffield, Bishop Pete Wilcox, Bishop Peter Burrows

*Church of England:* Diocese of Sodor and Man, Bishop Peter Eagles

*Church of Greenland:* (Diocese of Greenland within the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark) Bishop Sofie Petersen

## Notices

Can all readers and intercessors let Alan have their dates for October/November/December by Wednesday please?

Autumn clean week leading up to Harvest (6<sup>th</sup> October) list of jobs needing doing at back of church, sign up and let us know when you have finished it please.

Harvest list also at back of church.

Men's Breakfast at Fortrose Café 9am Sat 28th

# Church Rotas

## St Andrew's

### Readers & Intercessors

A Fairrie / A Dierus / A Garraway / H Ireland

### Sides-men

Ann McGhee

### Servers

Terry / Matthew / Jan

Terry and Heather

### Sacristan

Anne Balfour

### Flowers

### Teas

Helen Graham

### Cleaning

Alison Garraway

## St John's

Sacristan Jackie

Server Isla

Cleaner Ann



# Black Isle Youth Fellowship

## Saturday 5th Oct

### all in P6 - S4 welcome

A monthly programme exploring the Bible through  
games, video and discussion

7-8:30pm

***NEW VENUE***

the new Fortrose Free Church Hall

for more information contact Dave / Sally Knight

daveandsallyk@gmail.com

### St Columba Regional Synod - Saturday, 5th of October 2019

(Inverness, Culloden, Nairn, Strathnairn, Strathspey, Black Isle, Glen Urquhart, Poolewe Kishorn, Kyle)

To Lay and Alternative Lay Representatives and all Clergy in the above area.

A welcome to all members of our congregations to attend in St Michael & All Angels Church, Inverness at 10.30 ~ Eucharist followed by Business Session

#### Agenda (Provisional) for Business Session

- 1 Diocesan Budget
- 2 Info for Lay Reps and Alt Lay Reps
- 3 Items from Provincial Synod 2019 - Items discussed and comments made
- 4 The future for Regional Synods - Attendance / Relevance / Importance
- 5 Diocesan Synod
- 6 Other Issues of concern to those attending

Tea and Coffee will be provided at the conclusion of the meeting (approx. 13.00)

Free Parking in Lochalsh Road and Telford Road, but not Abban Street

#### St Regulus Hymns

**Opening:** When morning gilds the skies

**Gradual:** Stand up, stand up for Jesus

**Offertory:** Lord, thy word abideth

**Communion:** Let there be love

**Closing:** One more step along the world I go

# Classic Film Club

2-4pm

First **MONDAY** of the month

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

Details from Helen Robinson 01381620243 07889181529

<b>Monday Oct 7th</b>	“A Night to Remember”
<b>Monday Nov 4th</b>	“Whiskey Galore”
<b>Monday Dec 2nd</b>	“Swing Time”
<b>Monday Jan 6th</b>	“The Big Heat”
<b>Monday Feb 3rd</b>	“Gigi”
<b>Monday Mar 2nd</b>	“The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel”
<b>Monday Apr 6th</b>	“Mildred Pierce”
<b>Monday May 4th</b>	“The Lady from Shanghai”
<b>Monday Jun 1st</b>	“The Keys of The Kingdom”
<b>Monday July 6th</b>	“Mutiny on the Bounty”

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

## **FRIENDS OF DR GRAY'S**

### **Dr Gray's 200 Celebration & Thanksgiving Service**

Elgin Town Hall Supper Room, Sun 6<sup>th</sup> October at 3pm

(Doors open 2.30pm)

On 1st January 1819, Dr Gray's Hospital opened to provide care for the people of Elgin and the county of Moray

200 years later, as Dr Gray's, it continues to provide comprehensive care for over 100,000 people in Moray and West Aberdeenshire

The healthcare Chaplains and Friends of Dr Gray's invite you to a unique non-denominational service, with music and historical readings, to celebrate this major anniversary

All Welcome

Retiring Collection for Friends of Dr Gray's

Refreshments

For further information, contact: [enquiries@friendsofdrgrays.org](mailto:enquiries@friendsofdrgrays.org)

# Harvest Appeal



## HELP SUPPORT YOUR FOODBANK WITH DONATIONS OF FOOD THIS HARVEST

Donating an item or two from our shopping list will ensure we can provide food to help people in crisis.

*Thank you!*

### Shopping List

Long Life Juice  
Tins of Potatoes  
Tins of Mince/Stew  
Oatcakes/Crackers  
Tins of Ham  
Shower Gel/Shampoo



"Dear friends, here is an update certificate from Blythwood on the Black Isle Charge's donations to the Highland Foodbank - 383.54kg from Jan-Jul 2019!! Well done! The staff at Blythwood are always very appreciative of all our donations on behalf of those who they go to help - the specific items that we have been collecting (rice, tins of tomatoes, corned beef, and pet food) are still all very useful. When you are choosing what to donate, it might be helpful to know that they tend to have plenty of soup, pasta, baked beans and cereal, and that they are often short of oatcakes and crackers. All items need to be non-perishable, in-date, and in unopened original packaging. There is a supply of bags next to the donations box that can be used and which will then be recirculated.

The Foodbank are running a special Harvest Appeal, and below is a poster which details the specific items that they have asked up to collect. St Andrew's Harvest Festival will be Sunday 6th October, and donations can be placed under the alter in the week leading up to that Sunday. Thanks again to you all."  
*Heather*



Email: [foodbank.admin@blythswood.org](mailto:foodbank.admin@blythswood.org)  
Telephone: 01463 717630  
[www.blythswood.org](http://www.blythswood.org)  
Registered Charity No: SC048001

### CONGRATULATIONS

To the  
Congregations of the  
Black Isle Charge

Let's continue to make  
dreams come true for  
those who are struggling  
to make ends  
meet.

# Thank you



Thank you to  
**Black Isle Episcopal Churches**  
who are supporting  
**Highland Foodbank**  
and have from Jan-Jul 2019  
donated a huge total of  
**383.54kgs** of food!



*Without your donations our work  
would simply not be possible.*

Highland Foodbank is part of the work of Blythwood Care Scottish Charity No. 021848