

PENTECOST 10
28th July 2024



The Scottish Episcopal Church on the Black Isle
Eaglais Easbaigeach na h-Alba san Eilean Dubh
Charity Number SC010781

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

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Sunday 28th July 2024

Pentecost 10

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

9.45am in St John's with Rev. Christine

RESERVED SACRAMENT SERVICE

9.45am in St Regulus with LR Pat

11.30am in St Andrew's with LR Barrie

(Readings 2 Kg 4.42-44. Ps 145.10-19. Eph 3.14-21. Jn 6.1-21)

WEEK AT A GLANCE 29 July – 3 August)

MON:

TUE:

WED: 10:00am Charity Shop

THU: 10:30am Service at St Andrew's

FRI:

SAT: 10:00am Charity Shop

Sunday 4th August 2024

Pentecost 11

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

9.45am in St Regulus with TBC

RESERVED SACRAMENT SERVICE

9.45am in St John's with Isla & Jean

11.30am in St Andrew's with Alison & Joan

(Readings: Ex 16.2-4,9-15. Ps 78.23-29. Eph 4:1-16. Jn 6.24-35)

+PSALM: 145:10-19

You open wide your hand, O Lord, and satisfy our needs.

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All your works praise you, O Lord, and your faithful servants bless you.

They make known the glory of your kingdom and speak of your power;

That the peoples may know of your power and the glorious splendour of your kingdom.

You open wide your hand, O Lord, and satisfy our needs.

Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom; your dominion endures throughout all ages.

The Lord is faithful in all his words and merciful in all his deeds. The Lord upholds all those who fall; he lifts up those who are bowed down.

You open wide your hand, O Lord, and satisfy our needs.

The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord, and you give them their food in due season.

You open wide your hand and satisfy the needs of every living creature.

You open wide your hand, O Lord, and satisfy our needs.

The Lord is righteous in all his ways and loving in all his works.

The Lord is near to those who call upon him, to all who call upon him faithfully.

You open wide your hand, O Lord, and satisfy our needs.

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

OUR WORLD

For healing and peace among all nations. 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 and for The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East

OUR DIOCESE

For our brothers & sisters in the Porvoo Communion of Churches. For all who are studying for Ordination or Readership. For their instructors & all who support them. For Mark, our Bishop, and all priests, lay readers and eucharistic ministers, helping to maintain our cycle of worship during the interregnum. We pray for the congregation of St. Finnbar, Dornoch: Simon Scott. Assistant Priest, James Currall. & we pray for our sister Dioceses of Québec, Canada & Tuam, Limerick & Killaloe, Ireland.

OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY FAMILY & FRIENDS

For our three congregations, those who can join us in public worship and those joining us in spirit at home. For the Eilean Dubh care home & all care homes and

for our church members who are living in them. For Laura S, Stuart T & all studying for ordination & readership. For Igor, Oleksii & Families. For all who are ill in mind, body, or spirit. Pray for our Granny in Guatemala: Santos De La Cruz Mendez. For all we know to need our prayers.

A DAILY PRAYER for the WEEK

Spend a moment in silence and call to mind any concerns... then pray:

Through the gospel, the Lord Jesus calls us to share in his glory. Let us make our prayer with him to our heavenly Father.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for all nations: that we may seek the way that leads to peace, that human rights and freedom may be everywhere respected, and that the world's resources may be generously shared.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for the Church: that her leaders may be faithful ministers of your word, that all her members may be strong in faith and hope and that you may be recognised in the love she bears to all.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for our families, and the community in which we live: that we may find you in them.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for ourselves: that in the coming week we may serve others in our work and find peace when we rest.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for the faithful and all the departed: that through your mercy they may rest in peace.

-Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

Conclude with the Lord's Prayer.

RECRUITMENT OF RECTOR

We have now decided to readvertise. Details can be found at <https://jobs.churchtimes.co.uk/jobs/Rector-in-Scotland-jn12112>

Details can also be found on the Provincial website at <https://www.scotland.anglican.org/vacancy-rector-black-isle-charges/>

Please hold us in your prayers as we seek a new leader for our churches on the Black Isle & please share with those who you think may be interested. Here is the link to the church profile for those who would like further information. <https://episcopalblackisle.scot/rector-advert-charge-profile-for-interested-clergy/>

JOINT PRAYER MEETING FOR THE BLACK ISLE CHARGE

The next prayer meeting will be on 5th August at 7pm at Rev. Christine's house.



ST BONIFACE FAIR



The Scottish Episcopal Church BLACK ISLE CHARGE

**St Boniface Fair - 3rd Aug
2024**

**Tea and cake
will be served
in the Cathedral Grounds
from 1.pm till 4.pm
No charge -
donations welcome**



**Donations of Baking will
be gratefully received**

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OPERATION SHOEBOX UPDATE

We had a grand box wrapping session last Friday and managed to wrap 44 boxes by the end of the two hours. We also had some wonderful donations of hats, notebooks, pants, socks and more boxes. Our next wrapping session will be on Friday 26th July between 2-4pm. Please come and join us if you can, full instructions will be given; scissors and Sellotape, but if you have a tape dispenser and find this helpful, please feel free to bring it along. We have a tea break midway, with biscuits or cake, and it's such great fun, for a brilliantly worthy cause.

For the month of July we would welcome donations of Men's pants and Teenage boy pants, thank you xx.

May God bless you all,

Jan Maclennan



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Firstly. You are warmly invited to attend the ordination of Laura and Maureen to the order of Deacon on the 14th of September 2024. Please RSVP the Cathedral office on office@invernesscathedral.org by the 9th of September 2024.

As this includes Laura Symon who was with us as part of her training, I'm sure quite a few will want to attend so please note the RSVP arrangements.



The Bishop of the United Diocese of Moray, Ross and Caithness
& the Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church

the Most Revd Mark Strange

warmly invites you to

The Ordination of Laura Symon

& Maureen MacKenzie Farquhar

to the Order of Deacon

on Saturday 14th September at 2pm

in Inverness Cathedral

The spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me

Secondly. Evensong to mark the 150th anniversary of the Consecration of the Cathedral on Sunday 29th September.



INVERNESS
CATHEDRAL

Festal Choral Evensong

to mark the 150th Anniversary
of the Consecration of the Cathedral

Sunday 29th September 2024 at 1730

All warmly invited- refreshments to follow

RSVP to office@invernesscathedral.org

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ST REGULUS SUMMER SERVICES

Rev Christine will be celebrating Holy Communion at St Regulus at 7.00pm on the third Tuesday of every month until further notice. Other services on Tuesday will be announced when organised.

NET ZERO TOOLKIT

Churches will be asked to review what can be done now and, in the future, to reduce our carbon footprint ahead of a meeting at the end of August. For those interested in what must be done and the support available to use from the province please take a look at this link. <https://www.scotland.anglican.org/new-net-zero-toolkit-and-net-zero-cards/>

OPEN GARDEN

This open garden is open all summer 11-5 daily so please go along and take a look. You won't be disappointed! #beautiful & in a good cause.



FROM BLYTHSWOOD FOODBANK



The items we'd appreciate donations
of in July & August 2024 are:

- Tins of custard/rice pudding
- Microwave packs of rice
- Tins of potatoes/smash
- Tins of corned beef
- Jars of pasta sauce
- Long life fruit juice
- Tins of fruit
- Tins of ham
- Biscuits
- Shampoo

Nobody
in the
Highlands of
Scotland should be
without food!
Please donate an
item or
two if you can.

Thank You!

01463 717630

foodbank.admin@blythwood.org

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MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

And the usual reminder to send any information you want included in the newsletter to me by email by noon on Tuesday each week.

If anyone is housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion or simply a visit, please contact a member of the Ministry team of your local church who will be happy to arrange.

Jean (jeanmedavis@gmail.com)