

Isla Deveron Group
of
Scottish Episcopal Churches



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Welcome to the Scottish Episcopal Church, and to our service, whether as a regular worshipper or a visitor. This parish welcomes **everyone** to share in its worship. Please feel free to come up to the altar if you would like to receive Communion or a blessing.

Please join the congregation for refreshments after this service

22nd October 2017

Pentecost 20

Large copies of pew sheet available at back of church.

HYMNS

Christ Church, Huntly	85	258	372	457 V1,3 &5	
Holy Trinity, Keith	689	665	323	82	188

Collect of the Day

Almighty and merciful God:

in your goodness keep from us all that is harmful;

that, being ready both in body and soul, we may freely accomplish your will;

through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen**

Today's Readings:

Exodus 33:12-23: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10: Matthew 22:15-22

Prayer after Communion

God of peace, you have nourished us in this sacrament with the body and blood of Christ. May we who have taken holy things keep faith in our hearts and lives, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen**

Services/Festivals/Events this and next week

29th October St Marnans Aberchirder
(No service at Fochabers, Huntly or Keith)

Psalm 99

1 The Lord is king: let the peoples tremble; •
he is enthroned above the cherubim: let the earth shake.

**2 The Lord is great in Zion •
and high above all peoples.**

3 Let them praise your name, which is great and awesome; •
the Lord our God is holy.

**4 Mighty king, who loves justice,
you have established equity; •
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.**

5 Exalt the Lord our God; •
bow down before his footstool, for he is holy.

**6 Moses and Aaron among his priests
and Samuel among those who call upon his name; •
they called upon the Lord and he answered them.**

7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; •
they kept his testimonies and the law that he gave them.

**8 You answered them, O Lord our God; •
you were a God who forgave them
and pardoned them for their offences.**

9 Exalt the Lord our God and worship him upon his holy hill, •
for the Lord our God is holy.

***ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the
Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and
shall be for evermore. Amen.***

Prayer of Humble Access (which may be said at Holy Communion)

We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy: grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen

Readings for Next Week

Deuteronomy 34:1-12: Psalm 90.1-6,13-17: 1 Thessalonians 2.1-8:
Matthew 22.34-end

Notices & News



AUTUMN LUNCHTIME TALKS @ **CHRIST CHURCH HUNTLY**



15th November

“Churches in Huntly” Patrick Scott

***All talks will commence at 12:15pm – doors open at 12noon.
Coffee/tea will be served***

Bible Study

A series of six sessions looking at the Beatitudes and based on material from the Pilgrim Course.

(Next Session)

Session 4: Tuesday 24th October 7:30pm (Keith Rectory)

or Thursday 26th October 2:00pm (Gordon Chapel)

ONE MILLION VOICES OF HOPE (Closing date Sunday 22nd October)

Join with a million voices around the world to support and pray for persecuted Christians in Syria and Iraq by signing a petition, which you will find at the back of church, together with supporting literature on the petition.

St Drostan's (Eastern Region) Synod

Saturday 4th November at Holy Trinity Church, Elgin

Regional Synods, incorporating 'Mission Shaped Initiative' training led by the Vice-Provost,
Rev Sarah Murray

Each Synod will be from 10.30am -3.30pm

Special Services – coming soon

Sunday 29th October 10:30am - Combined Service at St Marnans Aberchirder
(No service at Fochabers, Huntly or Keith)

All Saints Day Wednesday - November 1st

10:00am Said Eucharist at Christ Church Huntly followed by dedicating the Church Garden
(the Dean will be joining us for this service)

2:30pm Eucharist at Gordon Chapel

Janet Gordon will be holding a **Coffee Morning / Afternoon with Bring and Buy Sale** on October 27th 10am to 4pm in aid of church funds.
At 20 Clashmach Terrace, Huntly

Strathbogie Drumblade Guild invite the Ladies and Gentlemen of Christ Church Huntly to join them for an evening meeting on Monday 23rd October at 7:00pm (Church Hall, Strathbogie Church, Bogie Street, Huntly).
Jim & Moira Givan will be singing about this years theme "Go in Love"



For your Prayers this Week (from Diocesan Cycle of Prayer)



- For the congregations of St. Andrew, Fortrose; St. John the Evangelist, Arpafeelie; St. Regulus, Cromarty. Mel Langille. Moira Grigor and Lay Readers: Gail Sanderson, Patsy Thompson, Dorothy Williams.
- For those who are persecuted for their faith today.
- For the day of prayer and discernment for the Bishops today. (*Wednesday*)
- For the people of Yemen affected by the civil war and the cholera outbreak.
- For mid-week services around the diocese.
- For those in debt.
- For lawyers and those who work in the justice system.

Isla Deveron Group Website

Pew Sheets, and any other church information, can be viewed online on our web page at:
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Should you have any information that you would like included on the pew sheet or website please contact Rev'd. Michael or Katie Cruickshank. Contact details are at foot of pew sheet.

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