

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

12th November 2017 - Pentecost 23 - Remembrance Sunday

HYMNS

Christ Church Huntly	366	114	54		10
Holy Trinity Keith	153	494	715	949	717

Collect of the Day

O God, our refuge and strength, the very author of devotion: hear the prayers of your Church; and grant that what we seek in faith we may in fact obtain; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen**

The following Collect is provided for Remembrance Sunday –

O God, whose will it is to hold both heaven and earth in a single peace: let the design of your great love shine on the waste of our wraths and sorrows; and give peace to your Church, peace among nations, peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts; 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:

Amos 5:18-24, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-end, Matthew 25:1-13

Prayer after Communion

Living God, in the eucharist you fill us with new hope. May the power of your love, which we have known in word and sacrament, continue your saving work among us, and bring us to the joy you promise. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Services/Festivals/Events this and next week

Sunday 19th November – Pentecost 24

10:30am Holy Communion at Christ Church

11:30am Morning Prayer at Holy Trinity

Psalm 70

1 O God, make speed to save me; •
O Lord, make haste to help me.

**2 Let those who seek my life
be put to shame and confusion; •
let them be turned back and disgraced who wish me evil.**

3 Let those who mock and deride me •
turn back because of their shame.

**4 But let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you; •
let those who love your salvation say always, 'Great is the
Lord!'**

5 As for me, I am poor and needy; •
come to me quickly, O God.

**6 You are my help and my deliverer; •
O Lord, do not delay.**

***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

Zephaniah 1.7, 12-18, Psalm 90, 1 Thessalonians 5.1-11,
, Matthew 25:1-25.14-30

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

The next series of Bible Studies starts on Tuesday 28th November 2:00pm at the Rectory Keith and is looking at the Advent Theme

Bishop of the Diocese of Moray, Ross & Caithness and the Vestry of Inverness Cathedral

Invite you to the Installation of Rev Sarah Murray
as Provost of Inverness Cathedral
on Thursday 30th November 2017
at 1930 in Inverness Cathedral

The event will be followed by a Reception
RSVP to morayoffice@gmail.com

Gordon Chapel

St Andrew's Evening Fun, Food & Friends with music by the Revellers – December 2nd
7:00pm The Bellie Hall, Fochabers, tickets £10 including 3 Course Meal (*The Rev. Michael has tickets*)

Holy Land Trip ???

Following my talk at Huntly about Jerusalem back in September I have been asked about the possibility of a Holy Land Trip.

At the back of church is a folder giving details of the last trip I led back in 2014, along with a sheet for people to sign up if they would be interested in going on a similar trip.

If there is enough interest I would be happy to begin the planning process.

Over the next few weeks the sheet will be in each of the churches.

Rev'd Michael

Christ Church Huntly

Church Garden

As part of fund raising in relation to planting and developing the Church Garden an application has been made as part of the Tesco Bags of Help scheme. The token ballot for this is now taking place at Tesco's in Huntly, please encourage folk to vote.

Russian Choir – Resurrection from St Petersburg will be singing at the North Kirk, Keith on Wednesday 15th November 7:30pm. The concert will include Russian Sacred and Folk music. Tickets *from Kirk Shop, 192 Mid Street, or at door on the night - £8 and £4 (school age children).*



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



- For the congregation of St. Michael, Dufftown: Norma Milne.
- In Anti-bullying Week, for children who are bullied in school or at home.
- For the College of Bishops meeting on Tuesday.
- For displaced families in refugee camps.
- For those who misuse alcohol or drugs.
- For the debates and decisions around Brexit.
- For towns in Iraq and Syria seeking to rebuild.

Isla Deveron Group Website

Pew Sheets, and any other church information, can be viewed online on our web page at: www.isladeveronchurches.org

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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Large copies of pew sheet available at back of church.