



Ferryhill Parish Church

The Church of Scotland

Easter 3
5 May 2019
11 a.m.



You are very welcome to Ferryhill Parish Church. Please sit wherever you like. If you are visiting then please sign the visitors' book in the foyer. Children are always welcome and the foyer is available during the service should you wish to use it.

Please note that we live stream our worship online. If you do not wish to be seen on the broadcast stream, the seating below the gallery and in the gallery is beyond the view of the cameras.

Today's worship is led by:

Peter Johnson (Minister)
Diane Cumming (Reader)
Kevin Haggart (Organist)
Bob Nicol (Beadle)

The flowers in the Sanctuary are donated this week by Cecilia Davies, remembering Sid with love.



Gathering Praise

When Jesus saw the fishermen

CH 340

Call to Worship

Leader: To the tax collectors, Jesus said,

All: Follow me!

Leader: To the disciples, Jesus said,

All: Follow me!

Leader: To the rich man, Jesus said,

All: Follow me!

Leader: To the fishermen, Jesus said,

All: Follow me!

Leader: To Peter, Jesus said,

All: Follow me!

Leader: To each of us, Jesus says,

All: Follow me!

Praise

Jesus calls us here to meet him

CH 510

Welcome and Church Notices

Opening Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come, your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us the wrong we have done,
 as we forgive those who have wronged us.
 Save us from the time of trial
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power

and the glory are yours,
now and forever.

Amen.

Reading

John 21: 15-25

Message 1

Three times

Praise

That's what a friend is

Words & music: Suzanne Butler and Stephen Fischbacher

1. Someone to play with (someone to play with)
someone to stay with (someone to stay with)
someone to walk with (someone to walk with)
someone to talk with (someone to talk with)
*That's what a friend is,
that's what a friend is,
that's what a friend is for
(Repeat)*

*Way oh, Way oh, la la la la la la
Way oh, Way oh, la la la la la la*
2. Someone to laugh with (someone to laugh with)
someone to cry with (someone to cry with)
someone to fall out with (someone to fall out with)
someone to make up with (someone to make up with)
*That's what a friend is,
that's what a friend is,
that's what a friend is for
(Repeat)*

*Way oh, Way oh, la la la la la la
Way oh, Way oh, la la la la la la*

Cont..../

That's what, that's what a friend is,
that's what, that's what a friend is,
that's what, that's what a friend is for...

After Breakfast

Praise

As Peter stood outside in fear

Words: Carolyn Winfrey Gillette (Peter Johnston v. 6)

Tune: O WALY WALY (CH 234)

1. As Peter stood outside in fear,
a woman said, "I've seen you here.
You were with him! Just say it's so!"
But three times, Peter answered, "No!"
2. Why is it, Lord, that when we're stressed
we feel things more and think things less?
We let the fear that is inside
become our ruler and our guide.
3. We're called to welcome strangers in
yet we let fear and hatred win.
When we ignore what's just and true,
O Lord, are we denying you?
4. We say the things we ought not say;
we let concerns control the day.
Lord, take our fear and in its place,
fill us with love and hope and grace.
5. In anxious times, Lord, make us wise
to look within our inner lives.
When fear tempts us to cave to sin,
may we seek truth and let love win!
6. Three times did Jesus gently ask
by seaside shore he set the task:
"Simon, John's son, do you love me?
You do? Then go and tend my sheep."

Message 2	The Shepherd and The Beloved	
Reflection		
The Offering		
Offering Praise	You hear the lambs a-cryin'	CH 435
Act of Dedication		<i>Please remain standing</i>
	What a blessing it is to give and receive, to share and support the work of God through the church and in the world.	
	Let love, justice and compassion continue to be observable in our lives.	
	We dedicate these gifts to the work of the church in the world.	
	Amen.	
Prayer for Ourselves and Others		
Praise	Son of God, eternal Saviour	CH 468
Sending		
The Grace		
Sung Amen	Amen, amen, alleluia, amen. Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.	

Aberdeen City Wide Prayer Gatherings 2019



*Pray for the Peace and Prosperity of your City. Pray to the Lord for it.
Because if it prospers, you too will prosper (Jeremiah 29:7)*

Date	Venue	Time (pm)
31 May 19	The Mission, St Machar Drive, Aberdeen AB24 3RX	7:30 - 9:00
28 Jun 19	Join King's Community Church's Prayer time, 312 King Street, Aberdeen, AB24 5LL	7:00 – 8:30
26 Jul 19	Newhills Parish Church, Bucksburn, Aberdeen. AB21 9SS	7:30 - 9:00
30 Aug 19	Join Elim Pentecostal Prayer time, 50 Marischal Street, Aberdeen, AB11 5AL	7:00 -9:00
27 Sep 19	Oldmachar Church, Ashwood Park, Bridge of Don, Aberdeen, AB22 8PR	7:30 - 9:00
25 Oct 19	Join Fountain of Love's half night , 31 Palmerston Road, Aberdeen AB11 5QP	9:00 – 12:00
29 Nov 19	Gilcomston Church, Union Street, Aberdeen AB10 1TP	7:30 - 9:00
27 Dec 19	Join The Father's House prayer time, Caroline Place, Aberdeen AB25 2TH	6:30 - 7:30

Note that the meeting times vary for when we join existing prayer meetings



1. **Sacrament of Holy Communion:** we will have a short act of Holy Communion immediately following the service this morning. If you wish to join us, please gather around the communion table. Please note that the communion wine used at the Lord's Supper is non-alcoholic and both gluten-free and regular bread is available.
2. **Traidcraft Stall:** Copies of the new Spring Catalogue are available at the stall. We received a certificate from the Fairtrade Foundation thanking us for our donation of £60 following Fairtrade Fortnight. We recently sent £50 to Traidcraft for their Easter Appeal which we raised from our Easter baskets, cards and gifts. Many thanks to all who supported these fundraising activities.
3. **Parish News:** Any information that you wish to be included in the next issue of Parish News should be submitted to Shelagh Bain - editor@ferryhillparishchurch.org - by Monday 6 May.
4. **Discipleship Team:** We will meet next on Thursday 9 May in the foyer at 7.30 p.m.
5. **Summer Club 2019:** The Summer Club is a fun filled week of activities for all Primary School aged children. This year it runs from 5th to 11th August, 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. Our first planning meeting is on Thursday 9 May, at 7.30 p.m. in the Upper Room. If you would like to join the happy band of helpers, please come along or speak to Fiona Firth for more information.
6. **Kirk Session:** We will meet on Thursday 16 May at 7.15 p.m. in the foyer. Reports for submission to Kirk Session should be handed to Lorna Glen by Sunday 12 May.
7. **Instant Neighbour:** Please continue to bring donations of non-perishable food items and toiletries to support those in need in our community.

Useful Information



Eco-Tip

Get rid of the dust on your houseplants and give them a refreshing shower by popping them in the garden during a light rain. This saves water - and avoids the need to buy special wipes to clean the leaves. Alternatively, use a discarded teabag or the inside of a banana skin to wipe the dusty leaves of houseplants and give them a shine.



Contacts

Please contact the Minister, Rev Peter Johnston, for information about Church Membership, Baptism, or being married in Church, or complete one of the cards available in the Hymn Book and hand it in as you leave.

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