



Ferryhill Parish Church

The Church of Scotland

Epiphany 7
23 February 2020
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. 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:

Conor Fegan (Ministry Candidate), Peter Johnston (Minister)
Noel Hughson (Reader)
Kevin Haggart (Organist)
Diane Cumming (Beadle)

The flowers in the Sanctuary are donated this week by Barbara Nicholson, with happy memories of Locke.



Gathering Praise

Focus my eyes on you, O Lord

CH 567

Call to Worship

Leader: Let Jesus lead us

**All: up the mountain of our faith
into the bright light of his glory.**

Leader: Let Jesus lead us

**All: through the dark clouds of fear
into the bright light of his glory.**

Leader: Let Jesus lead us

**All: on in our journey of faith
into the bright light of his glory.**

Leader: Let Jesus lead us

**All: towards each other and
into the bright light of his glory.**

Leader: Come let us walk in the light of Jesus.

Praise

Christ be beside me

CH 577

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.
Presentation	Fairtrade Stories from Ferryburn Fellowship
Praise	Make a difference <i>Words and music: Fischy Music</i> <i>I can make a difference, you can make a difference we can make a difference in this world of ours. (repeat)</i> I've got the power – to do some good I've got the power – to change my attitude I've got the power – to say if I don't agree I've got the power – to dream what I'd like to be <i>I can make a difference...</i> You've got the power – to go the extra mile You've got the power – to listen for a while You've got the power – to lend a helping hand You've got the power – to try and understand <i>I can make a difference...</i> We've got the power – to choose between right or wrong We've got the power – to sing along with this song We've got the power – to show a little grace We've got the power – to make this a better place <i>I can make a difference...</i>
	<i>Children leave for Sunday Club</i>
Reading	Matthew 17: 1-9
Story Retelling	Never The Same Again

Praise	Bright the cloud and bright the glory	CH 353
Message	Go tell of the glory	
The Offering		
Offering Praise	Be thou my vision	CH 465
Act of Dedication	Merciful, giving God, we come before you in worship, in the glory of your abundance, cloaked in your love and protection, attempting to grow in compassion and care for each other and all your people. We bring before you our gifts, talents and money. We offer these things freely and in generosity in the hope that the mission and ministry of your church will continue to grow and flourish. Amen.	
Prayer for Others and Ourselves		
Praise	Mine eyes have seen the glory	CH 476
Sending		
The Grace	The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all, evermore.	
Sung Amen	Amen, amen, alleluia, amen. Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.	



1. **Ferryburn Fellowship:** our youth group meets this evening at 6.30 p.m. in the Large Hall and Foyer.
2. We have new Physiotherapist led **Pilates classes** starting at the Church from Wednesday 26 February: beginners & intermediate 9.20-10.20 a.m.; and postnatal 10.35-11.35 a.m. The first class is half price, then bookable in 6 week blocks. Please contact laura@reformphysio.net for more information.
3. **Living Well Cafe:** The Living Well Cafe is for people with a diagnosis of dementia or memory problems and their carers and is open here on Thursday 27 February from 1-3 p.m. It offers a safe, friendly, relaxed and welcoming space with a variety of optional activities, crafts, singing and light exercise. There is some time to reminisce and play games! For further information please contact Rita King on 01224 572391.
4. During **Lent** this year we are offering a short study series titled "From Now On" which will be looking at the timeless themes of Hope and Redemption as explored in the film The Greatest Showman. Watching parts of the film and talking about those themes will be part of our preparation time as we approach the Church's annual remembrance of the last week of Jesus' life in Holy Week. We will be meeting every Sunday evening at 7 p.m. from 1 March to 29 March either in South Holburn or Ferryhill Churches:
 - 1 March, 7 p.m. "A Million Dreams" - S. Holburn Church Jubilee Hall
 - 8 March, 7 p.m. "Come Alive" - Ferryhill Church Foyer
 - 15 March, 7 p.m. "Rewrite The Stars" - Ferryhill Church Foyer
 - 22 March, 7 p.m. "Never Enough" - S. Holburn Church Jubilee Hall
 - 29 March, 7 p.m. "From Now On" - Ferryhill Church Foyer
5. **World Day of Prayer Service:** Ferryhill Kirk will be hosting the local service on Friday 6 March at 7 p.m. This year women in Zimbabwe have prepared the service on the theme "Rise, take your mat and walk".
6. Another special evening awaits lovers of music with the **Grampian Concert Orchestra's Spring Concert** on Saturday 7 March 2020 at 7.30 p.m. in Ferryhill Parish Church. Tickets will be available on the door.
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

Freshen up your carpets

Need to freshen up and remove odours from carpets or rugs but don't want to resort to chemical products? Simply sprinkle with bicarbonate of soda, leave for a couple of hours or overnight, then vacuum.



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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