

***Banchory Ternan East
Church***

20th October 2019

10.30 am

***To know Christ and make him
known***



Welcome and Call to worship

Hymn: CH4 198

**Let us build a house where love can
dwell and all can safely live,**

A place where saints and children tell
How hearts learn to forgive;
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,
Rock of faith and vault of grace;
Here the love of Christ shall end
divisions:

*All are welcome,
All are welcome,
All are welcome in this place.*

Let us build a house where prophets
speak,
And words are strong and true,
Where all God's children dare to seek
To dream God's reign anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness
And as symbol of God's grace;



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change it to the "T" setting.

Here as one we claim the faith of Jesus:
All are welcome,

Let us build a house where all are
named,
Their songs and visions heard
And loved and treasured, taught and
claimed as words within the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter,
Prayers of faith and songs of grace,
Let this house proclaim from floor to
rafter:

All are welcome,

Prayers of adoration

Activity Time

Hymn: CMP 167

**Give me joy in my heart, keep me
praising**

Give me joy in my heart, I pray.
Give me joy in my heart,
keep me praising
Keep me praising till the break of day.

*Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
Sing hosanna to the King of
Kings!*

*Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
Sing hosanna, to the King!*

Give me love in my heart, keep me
serving

Give me love in my heart, I pray.
Give me love in my heart, keep me
serving,

Keep my serving till the break of day.
Sing hosanna...

***Children continue worship over in the
halls.***

Choir:

A New Commandment

Prayers of recognition of our needs

Hymn: CMP 1008

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.

He makes me lie in pastures green.
He leads me by the still, still waters,
His goodness restores my soul.

*And I will trust in You alone,
And I will trust in You alone,
For Your endless mercy follows me,
Your goodness will lead me home.*

He guides my ways in righteousness,
And He anoints my head with oil,
And my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on His pure delights.

And I will trust in You alone,...

And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one,
For You are with me, and Your rod and staff

Are the comfort I need to know.

And I will trust in You alone,...

Gospel Reading:

Mark 12: 28-34



Hymn: CH4 624 T. Auld Lang Syne

In Christ there is no east or west,

In him no south or north,
But one great fellowship of love
Throughout the whole wide earth.

In Christ shall true hearts everywhere
Their high communion find,
His service is the golden cord
Close-binding human kind.

Come, brothers, sisters of the faith,
Whate'er your race may be;
Whoever does my Father's will
Is surely kin to me.

In Christ now meet both east and west,

In him meet south and north,
All Christ-like souls are one in him,
Throughout the whole wide earth.

Sermon

Offering

(As the offering is brought forward we stand and sing Hymn CH4 505 verse 1)

All that I am, all that I do,

All that I'll ever have I offer now to you.
Take and sanctify these gifts for your honour, Lord.

Knowing that I love and serve you is enough reward.

All that I am, all that I do,

All that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

Prayers of thanksgiving and intercession and 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 our sins

As we forgive those

Who sin against 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.

Hymn: CH4 561

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!

Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!

Heir of salvation, purchase of God;

Born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

*This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Saviour all the day long.*

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Praising my Saviour all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture burst on my sight;
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

This is my story, this is my song,

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Saviour am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with his goodness, lost in his love.

This is my story, this is my song,

Dismissal and Benediction

Three-fold Amen (Sung)

I don't know what made me agree with Jesus. I think I just felt he could do with a kind word. People had been questioning him and tricking him and arguing with him all day. When I asked my question about what's the most important commandment, I could see he thought I was doing the same. But I wanted everyone listening to think about what they were doing. They weren't trying to please God, they were just trying to make Jesus's life a misery. From what I've heard, that's just what he tries to do. He tries to get people to see God as a loving God, worth loving in return, and he tries to get people to treat each other with forgiveness and care. I don't know why that makes them all so mad. But he looked so tired, that I just said, 'You are right, you know. Don't ever let them make you doubt it.' I'll never forget how he looked at me. Such gratitude, for such a small thing. I felt really warmed, as though God's sun had suddenly shone right on me.

Prayer requests

If you would like a prayer request on the order of service, please e-mail it to Alan AJSMurray@churchofscotland.org.uk
Prayer

As the rain hides the stars,
As the autumn mist hides the hills,
As the clouds veil the blue of the sky,
So the dark happenings of my lot hide the shining of thy face from me.
Yet, if I may hold thy hand in the darkness, it is enough, since I know, that though I may stumble in my going, You do not fall.

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will,
When the road you're trudging seems all uphill,
When the funds are low and the debts are high,
And you want to smile, but you have to sigh,
When care is pressing you down a bit -
Rest if you must, but don't you quit.
Life is strange with its twists and turns,
As every one of us sometimes learns,
And many a fellow turns about
When he might have won had he stuck it out.
Don't give up though the pace seems slow -
You may succeed with another blow.
Success is failure turned inside out -
The silver tint in the clouds of doubt,
And you never can tell how close you are,
It might be near when it seems afar;
So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit -
It's when things seem worst that you must not quit.

Flowers

...today have been donated in memory of Christine Robertson and will be distributed by Margaret Thom.



Wednesday 23rd October

Men's Group meeting 7.30pm in the East Church Hall. New members welcome.

Thursday 24th October

Friendship Lunch 12noon – 1pm in the main hall. Cost £4.00. All welcome.

Choir practice 7.30pm in the St Ternan Room.

Saturday 2nd November

Tuesday Crafty Group coffee morning & sale of cards and crafts 10am – 12 noon. Banchory East Church Hall. Tickets £3.50. Proceeds to Scot's Kirk Kandy.

Wednesday 6th November

The Guild meeting 7.30pm in the main hall. Flower arranging by Liz Watt.

November 2019 - Direct Giving Week

Our Kirk Session invites you to be part of a direct giving event. This week of giving will be a chance for you to show your appreciation of the work the church does.

This event takes place in the church and halls:

Monday 4th November, 2pm to 4pm, 7pm to 9pm

Tuesday 5th November, 2pm to 4pm

Wednesday 6th November, 2pm to 4pm

Thursday 7th November, 2pm to 4pm

Friday 8th November, 2pm to 4pm

Saturday 9th November, 10am to 12noon.

You will find displays from our church groups, extracts from our church history, our financial trends and details of the new Church of Scotland Radical Action Plan. There will also be family friendly activities on the Saturday morning.



Tea, Coffee and Juice will be served in the hall after the service.

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