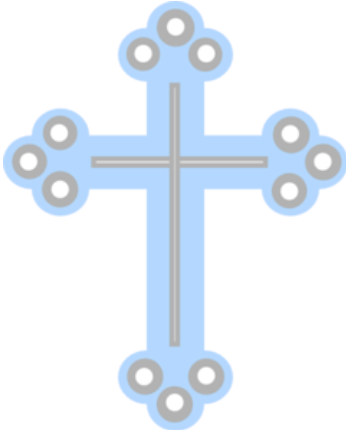


*Banchory Ternan East
Church*

24th March 2019

10.30 am



Welcome and Call to worship

Hymn: CH4 448

Lord, the light of your love is shining

In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth you now bring
us.

Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine,

*Fill this land with the Father's
glory;*

Blaze, Spirit, blaze

Set our hearts on fire.

Flow, river, flow

*Flood the nations with grace and
mercy;*

Send forth your word, Lord,

And let there be light!

Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
From the shadows into your radiance;
By your blood I may enter your
brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my
darkness.

Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine,

As we gaze on your kingly brightness,
So our faces display your likeness,
Ever changing from glory to glory,
Mirrored here may our lives tell your
story.

Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine,

Prayers

Activity Time

Hymn:

Our God is a great big God,

Our God is a great big God,

Our God is a great big God,

And he holds us in his hands.

He's higher than a sky scraper
and he's deeper than a submarine.

He's wider than the universe
and beyond my wildest dreams.

And he's known me

and he's loved me

since before the world began.

How wonderful to be a part
of God's amazing plan.

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

Choir: CH4 43 v1

O God you are my God alone

Prayers

Hymn: CH4 465

**Be thou my vision, O Lord of my
heart;**

Naught be all else to me, save that thou
art;

Thou my best thought in the day or the
night,



The Church is fitted with a loop system. If you use a hearing aid, please
change it to the "T" setting.

Waking or sleeping, thy presence my
light.
Be thou my Wisdom, be thou my true
Word;
I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father: thine own I would
be;
Thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for
the fight;
Be thou my dignity, thou my delight,
Thou my soul's shelter, and thou my
high tower;
Raise thou me heavenward, O Power of
my power.

Riches I heed not, nor earth's empty
praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always;
Thou, and thou only, the first in my heart,
High King of Heaven, my treasure thou
art.

High King of Heaven, after victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright
heaven's sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

Scripture Reading:

Luke 13: 31-39
Luke 13: 1-9



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.

Introduction to Baptism

Apostles Creed

(Congregation stand to affirm the faith)

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ,
God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of
the Father and he will come to judge the
living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen

Hymn: CH4 631

A little child the Saviour came,
The Mighty God was still his Name;
And angels worshipped as he lay,
The seeming infant of a day.

He who, a little child began
to show the world God's loving plan,
Proclaims from heaven the message
free,
"Let little children come to me."

We bring them, Lord, and with the sign
Of sprinkled water name them thine:
Their souls with saving grace endow,
Baptize them with thy Spirit now.

O give thine angels charge, good Lord,
Them safely in thy way to guard;

Thy blessing on their lives command,
And write their names upon thy hand.

O Thou who by an infant's tongue
Dost hear thy perfect glory sung
May these, with all the heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Sacrament of Baptism

Finlay James Stewart

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: CMP 1072

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones he came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied –

For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave he rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine –
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath.
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

Dismissal and Benediction

Three-fold Amen (Sung)

Daily Readings

From the International Bible Reading Association.

Seeking

- **Sunday, March 24, 2019:** 1 Chronicles 28:9
- **Monday, March 25, 2019:** Proverbs 2:1-11
- **Tuesday, March 26, 2019:** Jeremiah 29:11-14
- **Wednesday, March 27, 2019:** Isaiah 26:7-12
- **Thursday, March 28, 2019:** Isaiah 55:6-13
- **Friday, March 29, 2019:** Psalm 77: 1-15
- **Saturday, March 30, 2019:** Colossian 3:1-11

Prayer requests

Please pray for the children and young people as they look forward to the Easter Break. Let them stay safe in all that they are going to do on their holiday.

Please pray for our friends in all the Banchory Churches and their Ministers, Rev Tony Stephen, Rev Lynsay Downs, Father Chris and Eoghan Paterson.

Flowers

...today have been donated by The Parr Family and will be distributed by Rachel Mair



Wednesday 27th March

The Men's Group AGM meeting 7.30pm in the main hall. Speaker Mr Bob Kelley 'Russia'.

Thursday 28th March

Friendship Lunch 12 noon - 1pm in the church hall. All Welcome. Cost £4.00.

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Rev Amy Pierce will be inducted to the parish of Birse and Fueghside on at 7pm. All are welcome to attend.

Sunday 7th April

Concert 'Dreamers' by Jennifer Murray & Isabel Lindsay 3pm in Banchory East Church. They will be performing a selection of well-known operatic and musical theatre arias including: *Ah Je Veux Vivre*, *Glitter and be Gay*, *The Sun Whose Rays*, and *The Girl in 14G*. Donations to East Church. Refreshments to follow



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

If you would like to catch up to the sermons, prayers and children's talks they are available on the web site, www.banchoryeastchurch.com. You can also e-mail prayer requests to prayer@banchoryeastchurch.com

