Welcome to Saint Ternan's Scottish Episcopal Church 18 August 2019 Pentecost 10

Collect

O God, you make known your almighty power in your merciful compassion: increase your mercy towards us; that we, being eager for your promises, may inherit the treasures of heaven; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

Amen.

A reading from the Prophet Jeremiah

Am I a God near by, says the LORD, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the LORD. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the LORD. Is not my word like fire, says the LORD, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

Reader: For the Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel

When the Gospel is read in a communion service, in response to the reader's introduction, the People say:

(8am) Glory be to thee, O Lord. or (11am) Glory to Christ our Saviour.

Jesus said "I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three: they will be divided:

father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law."

He also said to the crowds, "When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, 'It is going to rain'; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, 'There will be scorching heat'; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?

When the Gospel is read in a communion service, in response to the reader's concluding lines, the People say:

(8am) Thanks be to thee, O Lord, for this thy Glorious Gospel or (11am) Praise to Christ our Lord.

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, we have received a token of your promise. May we who have been nourished by holy things live as faithful heirs of your promised kingdom, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

Source of the readings: Jeremiah. Luke 12: 49-56.

Prayers for This Week

In the Anglican Cycle of prayer: We pray for the Anglican Church of Southern Africa The Most Revd Thabo Makgoba - Archbishop of Capetown and Primate of Southern Africa.

In the Porvoo Communion Prayer Diary: We pray for in the Church of Ireland: Diocese of Kilmore, Elphin and Ardagh, Bishop Ferran Glenfield; and in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark: Diocese of Aarhus, Bishop Henrik Wigh-Poulsen.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: we pray for the young people and their teachers as they begin a new academic year.

In our own parish prayers, we remember: the work of Father Christopher and the Nadaikavoo School in South India; we pray for Tom and his family, Tim, Heather, Ron, Hilda, Barbara, Kate, Oliver and his parents, Julie and Graham, Tish and Jim; Helen, Sue, Sheila, Rachel, Peter, Mac and Linda, Don, Anna, Michael and Susan and for all those we hold quietly in our hearts and all who need our prayers.

	THIS WEEK 18 August Pentecost 10 Holy Eucharist	NEXT WEEK 24 August Pentecost 11 Matins
Welcomers	Kath Atkin Maddie Thurlow	Prue Wilson
Readers	Andy Bond Dorothy Howe	Paul Woodburn Vicky Duncan
Celebrant	Bishop Anne	
Deacon	Lynsay Downs	Ken Elliott
Preacher	Bishop Anne	Lynsay Downs
Intercessions	Fay Booth	

Chalice Bearers	Paul Woodburn	
Organist/Musician	Mary Walkden	Simon Glenarthur
Sunday School		
Coffees	Paul & Joan Woodburn	Maddie Thurlow Sandra Gibbons
Prayers after the Service	Ken Elliott	

Pattern of Worship at St Ternan's

WEEKDAYS

Tuesdays 9.00 am - Eucharist with Discussion in the Church Vestry Thursdays 10.15am - Prayer Book Communion in the Choir Stalls

SUNDAYS

8.00 am Eucharist (1970)

11.00 am

1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays - Eucharist with Choir

3rd Sundays - two options:

11.00 am Choral Matins in the Church

11.00 am All Age Contemporary Eucharist in the Church Hall

6.30 pm - First Sundays- Traditional Evensong

All ages are welcome to participate in our worship.

The 1st Sunday of the month is ALL SORTS SUNDAY when, during the service we offer: pre-school children **Diddy-Disciples**, primary aged children **Godly Play**

and our young people meet in **Tease** for discussion. On the 3rd Sunday of the month we have a service of **All Age Worship**, which takes place in the Church Hall.

On the other Sundays we offer **Sunday School** during the service as well as having toys and activities available in Church.

All are welcome at this communion table.

Gluten-free wafers available; please tell one of the Welcomers if you prefer that form of the consecrated bread, and they will alert the leader / priest.



Saint Ternan's Church is open every day for quiet reflection.

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