

**Holy Trinity, Elgin
with St Margaret's, Lossiemouth,**

Welcome to the Scottish Episcopal Church.
This parish welcomes members of other
denominations to share in its worship. If
you would like to receive Communion with
us please come to the altar where all are
welcome.

Sunday 21 Oct 18 Pentecost 22

8.00 am Holy Communion, Elgin SPB Trinity 21

President, *The Revd Jenny Sclater*

9.30 am Family Eucharist, Lossiemouth

President & Preacher: *The Bishop*

11.00 am Family Eucharist, Elgin

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6.30 pm Evensong, Elgin *The Revd Jenny Sclater*

Monday 22 Oct

Tuesday 23 Oct James of Jerusalem

2.30 pm Memorial service for Frances Garrety,

Elgin.

Please, no flowers but donations to Dementia UK
if you wish.

Wednesday 24 Oct

7.45 am Morning Prayer, Elgin

Thursday 25 Oct

10.00 am Holy Communion, Lossiemouth

The Revd Jenny Sclater

Friday 26 Oct

Saturday 27 Oct

Processional Hymn

St M 205 He who would valiant be

HT 532 We have a gospel to proclaim

Collect

Almighty and merciful God: in your goodness keep from us all that is harmful; that, being ready both in body and soul, we may freely accomplish your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

First Reading Isaiah 53: 4 – 12

Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth. Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the LORD shall prosper. Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge. The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

Psalm Ps 91: 9 – 16

Response *The Lord shall give his angels charge over you.*

Because you have made the Lord your refuge, and the Most High your habitation; No evil shall happen to you, neither shall any plague come near your dwelling. **R**

For he shall give his angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways. They shall bear you in their hands, lest you dash your foot against a stone. **R**

You shall tread upon the lion and adder; you shall trample the young lion and the serpent under your feet. Because he is bound to me in love, therefore will I deliver him; I will protect him, because he knows my name. **R**

He shall call upon me and I will answer him; I am with him in trouble, I will rescue him and bring him to honour. With long life will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation. **R**

Second Reading Hebrews 5: 1 – 10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.' In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Gradual Hymn St M 266 Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult
HT 140 For thy mercy and thy grace

GOSPEL Mark 10: 35 – 45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.' When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you

must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

Intercessions St Margaret's: Catherine Green
Holy Trinity: Graham Brown

Offertory Hymn

St M 516 Through all the changing scenes
HT 532 We pray thee, heavenly Father

Communion Hymns St M 398 O, the love
HT 52 Be still and know that I am God
67 Bread of Heaven, on thee we feed
29 An upper room did our Lord prepare

Post Communion Prayer

God of peace, you have nourished us in this sacrament with the body and blood of Christ. May we who have taken holy things keep faith in our hearts and lives, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Recessional Hymn St M 42 Ascribe greatness
HT 514 Thou, whose almighty word

Please pray for the sick, especially The Revd Peter Thompson, The Revd Chris Mayo, Glenda Thompson, Ian and Anne Bartholomew, Andy Roberson, Grace Kinnaird, Heather Kemp, Hannah Hewett, Jean Dinwoodie and Stephen.

Tea and Coffee are served after the service in the hall where everyone is very welcome.

Collect for James of Jerusalem Tue 23 Oct
Almighty God, whose apostle James was faithful in prayer, devoted to the poor, and accepted persecution: grant us grace to follow his example; to walk in the way of the just; and to witness to our risen Lord, Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

Choral Evensong 6.30 pm

Psalm Ps 102

Canticles Set D

Old Testament Reading Micah 6: 1 – 8

New Testament Reading Luke 15: 1 – 10

Anthem God is a spirit *H Smart*

Hymns 452, 201, 242

Readings for next Sunday 28 Oct Pentecost 23

Jeremiah 31: 7 – 9

Psalm 126

Hebrews 7: 23 – 28

Mark 10:46 – 52