ST NINIAN'S CHURCH Corstorphine

Minister: Rev. James Aitken



Order of Service 13th of July 2025 10:30am





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Good morning and welcome to everyone who has joined us at St. Ninian's this morning. We hope you will enjoy our worship of God together today. As a congregation our mission is to 'Worship God together, encourage personal faith and prayer, spread the Good News about Jesus Christ, and love and care for others in our community.' If you are a visitor, there is a visitors' book at the front door, please sign it.

There is no **crèche** or **Sunday School** this morning. However, throughout July and August children are welcome to attend **Summer Sundays** in the Burns' Hall. There will be supervision as well as games and other activities. The organist is **Anne Kirkpatrick**. The reader this morning is **Ian Kirkpatrick**. Leading worship is the **Rev**. **Matthew Bicket**.

Following worship there is **fellowship**, **friendship**, **and refreshments** in the Martin Shields' Hall. Please join us.

St. Ninian's uses the Revised Common Lectionary which is an approved week-by-week threeyear cycle of biblical readings. In 2025 we are in Year C and the principal Gospel readings come from the **Gospel of Luke**. The readings lead us from Advent through the Christian year, the Bible, and Jesus' life through birth, baptism, his public ministry, his death, resurrection and ascension.

ENTRANCE

SCRIPTURE VERSE

<u>INTROIT</u>

WELCOME, INTIMATIONS and SHARING OF THE PEACE We welcome one another with Christ's words 'Peace be with you'.

APPROACH TO GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The world cries to us in its distress. How shall we answer?

All: We cannot pass by as though nothing is wrong.

- Leader: How shall we answer?
- All: We cannot become so focused on ourselves that others mean nothing to us.

Leader: How shall we answer?

All: We shall be the neighbour in service, reconciliation and compassion wherever we can.

<u>HYMN 64</u> Sing all creation, sing to God in gladness!

PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name, Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen

REFLECTION

<u>HYMN 536</u>

May the mind of Christ my Saviour (Mission Praise tune – St Leonards)

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 25: 1-10 Pg 454

ANTHEM

- SCRIPTURE: Luke 10: 25-37 Pg 853
- **<u>HYMN 544</u>** When I needed a neighbour, were you there?
- SERMON
- **<u>HYMN 694</u>** Brother, Sister, let me serve you

OFFERING & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

<u>HYMN 512</u> To god be the glory, great things he has done!

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL (sung) Go now in peace