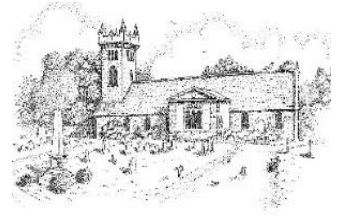




**The Abbey Church of
Scotland,
North Berwick
and Dirleton Kirk**



Service is led by Revs Jock and Margaret Stein
Pastoral Assistant: Robert Kane

Sunday, 18th May 2025

Today's Service Theme:

Why do we need books like Amos, Hosea and Micah in the Bible?

**9.30am Morning Worship, Dirleton Kirk
10.30am Morning Worship, Abbey Church**

Welcome to all visitors today
Because of essential repairs to Dirleton Kirk tower, the main west door is out of bounds. Access is only by the side (Archerfield Aisle) door. Thanks for your co-operation.

Abbey Church Office (serving Abbey and Dirleton) is open
10am - 1pm, Tuesday to Friday: Church Office ☎892800
Website: abbeychurch.org.uk
email: abbeychurch@abbeychurch.co.uk
Church Administrator: Darren Barber

Morning Worship, Dirleton Kirk

9.30am (to 10.20am)

Organist - Philip Boon

Scripture: Psalm 148 read by Neil Walkingshaw

CH4 425 The Saviour died and rose again

CH4 598 Come Holy Ghost

CH4 259 Beauty for brokenness (omit v4 with chorus)

Followed by tea and coffee in the kirk hall

Morning Worship, Abbey Church

10.30am (to 11.30am)

Organist - Marion Goodfellow

Scripture: Psalm 148 read by Linda Scott

MP 37 As the deer pants for the water

MP 440 Lord of creation

Offering voluntary

Prelude in Dm for organ by J S Bach

MP 414 Let us praise God together (alternative version)

MP 806 Beauty for brokenness (omit v4 with chorus)

Followed by tea and coffee in the kirk hall

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

Church Diary

Sunday 18th May 2025

9.30am Morning Service, Dirleton Kirk

10.30am Morning Service, Abbey Church

Thursday

10.00am Little Nippers, Abbey large hall

Next Sunday, 25th May

9.30am Morning Service, Dirleton Kirk

10.30am Morning Service, Abbey Church

6.00pm Communion Service, Abbey Church

Opening and closing Abbey Church

If you are able to help by either opening (usually before 10am) and/or closing (usually after 4pm) please add your name to the rota which is on the table inside the front doors of the church.

Abbey Communion Service

An evening service with communion will be held at the Abbey on Sunday 25th May at 6pm

Book Sale - Abbey

Copies of Today with Amos, Hosea and Micah by Clifford Hill will be on sale with other books after today's service. With any sale you can choose a free poetry booklet. You can pay by cash, on line or send a cheque later.

Book Sale - Dirleton

There will be Handsel Press publications on display at Dirleton Kirk on Sunday, courtesy of our visiting Minister Rev. Jock Stein, along with information about how to make a purchase..

Rotary Charity Shop

From Thurs 29th to Sat 31st May a charity sale will be held in St Andrew Blackadder church hall with all proceeds going to charities, organisations and individuals supported by Rotary North Berwick. 10am-4pm (12 m.d. Saturday)

Reading: Psalm 148

Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights above.

Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his heavenly hosts.

Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars.

Praise him, you highest heavens and you waters above the skies.

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for at his command they were created, and he established them for ever and ever— he issued a decree that will never pass away.

Praise the Lord from the earth, you great sea creatures and all ocean depths, lightning and hail, snow and clouds, stormy winds that do his bidding, you mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars, wild animals and all cattle, small creatures and flying birds, kings of the earth and all nations, you princes and all rulers on earth, young men and women, old men and children.

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his splendour is above the earth and the heavens.

And he has raised up for his people a horn, the praise of all his faithful servants, of Israel, the people close to his heart. Praise the Lord.