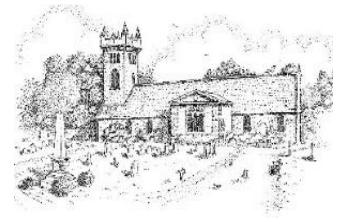




**The Abbey Church of  
Scotland,  
North Berwick  
and Dirleton Kirk**



**Minister: Rev Dr David J Graham  
Pastoral Assistant: Robert Kane**

**Sunday, 28th July 2024**

**Today's Service Theme:  
Finding Our Way**

**Led by Robert Burgon**

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

**Welcome to all visitors today  
To use the loop system, set hearing aids at 'T'  
Dirleton Kirk is step-free. Step-free access to Abbey is to the left  
of the front door, via the glass entrance on Church Road**

**Abbey Church Office (serving Abbey and Dirleton) is open  
10am - 1pm Tuesday and Friday, remote working Wednesday and Thursday  
Church Office ☎892800 Website: [abbeychurch.org.uk](http://abbeychurch.org.uk)  
email: [abbeychurch@abbeychurch.co.uk](mailto:abbeychurch@abbeychurch.co.uk)  
Church Administrator: Paola Burrows**

**Abbey Church of Scotland, North Berwick Scottish Charity - No SC004761  
Dirleton Parish Church Scottish Charity - No SC004533**

**Morning Worship, Dirleton Kirk**

**9.30am (to 10.20am)**

Organist - Jim Dickson

Scripture: Psalm 27 read by Ian Lennox  
CH 22 The Lord's my light and saving health  
CH 513 Courage, brother! Do not stumble  
CH 167 Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah

Followed by tea and coffee in the small hall

**Morning Worship, Abbey Church**

**10.30am (to 11.30am)**

Organist - Robert Burgon

Scripture: Psalm 27 read by Jacki Aston  
CH 22 The Lord's my light and saving health  
MP 400 Lead us, heavenly father, lead us  
CH 513 Courage, brother! Do not stumble  
MP 201 Guide me, O Though great Jehovah

Followed by tea and coffee in the small 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 21st July

9.30am Sunday Service, Dirleton Kirk

10.30am Sunday Service, Abbey Church

5.30pm Zoom Prayer Meeting

### Next Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August

Services will be led by Jacqueline Waugh at Dirleton Kirk and Jackie Ley at Abbey Church

2.45pm Care Home Service, Fidra House

3.30pm Care Home Service, Astley House

### **Dirleton Kirk**

Please note that the main door at Dirleton Kirk should **not be used** in any instance at this time. Please use the Archerfield Aisle door until further notice.

### **Abbey Church goes to the Edinburgh Festival!**

Are you free on August 17th? Why not join other members of the Abbey Church congregation and enjoy a show at the Edinburgh Festival? At 11.45am, music teacher, James Partridge will be kicking off his show - 'Primary School Assembly Bangers Live!'. Come along for an hour of singalong. The songs are predominantly upbeat hymns that everyone knows - think along the lines of This Little Light of Mine, He's Got The Whole World in his Hands, Autumn Days and Shine Jesus Shine! Tickets are £14 each or £13 for concessions. Please contact Judy Lockhart-Hunter if you would like to come.

### **Dirleton Prayer Service**

The Wednesday morning service at Dirleton is taking a summer break.

### **Shelter Scotland Edinburgh Kilt walk**

Shelter Scotland are looking to grow our team of walkers at this year's Edinburgh Kiltwalk on Sunday 15th September. If you are interested in free charity places to this event, please let the office know asap for information as to how to sign up with Shelter Scotland.

The Kiltwalk is Scotland's most loved walking event with thousands of people taking part and an unbelievable atmosphere. There are three distances available, the 5-mile Wee Wander, 14 mile Big Stroll or the 21 mile Mighty Stride. We ask each charity walker to pledge to raise £100 for Shelter Scotland. You'd get a free fundraising pack with Shelter Scotland t-shirt to walk in, top fundraising tips and training guides.

## Opening and closing Abbey Church

Volunteers are required to join a rota for opening and closing Abbey Church over the coming months. If you are able to help, please add your name to the list which is on the table at the front of the church.

## Newsletter

The August/September edition of our newsletter is in the usual place for delivery. Any visitors please take a copy from the display area.

## Zoom Prayer Meeting Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July 5.30pm

Click <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/76488705779?pwd=esbrpNFDhqOmHgYPcxFpHOBaGkbPu7.1> to start or join a scheduled Zoom Meeting

## Psalm 27

The LORD is my light and my salvation — whom shall I fear?  
The LORD is the stronghold of my life — of whom shall I be afraid?  
When the wicked advance against me to devour my flesh,  
when my enemies and my foes attack me they will stumble and fall.  
Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear;  
though war break out against me, even then will I be confident.

One thing I ask from the LORD, this is what I seek:  
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life,  
to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to seek him in his temple.  
For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling;  
he will hide me in the shelter of his tabernacle and set me high upon a rock.  
Then my head will be exalted above the enemies who surround me;  
at his tabernacle sacred tent will I sacrifice with shouts of joy; I will sing and  
make music to the LORD.

Hear my voice when I call, O LORD; be merciful to me and answer me.  
My heart says of you, "Seek his face!" Your face, LORD, I will seek.  
Do not hide your face from me, do not turn your servant away in anger;  
you have been my helper. Do not reject me or forsake me, O God my Saviour.  
Though my father and mother forsake me, the LORD will receive me.  
Teach me your way, O LORD; lead me in a straight path because of my  
oppressors. Do not hand me over to the desire of my foes, for false  
witnesses rise up against me, breathing out violence.

I am still confident of this: I will see the goodness of the LORD in the land of  
the living. Wait for the LORD; be strong and take heart and wait for the LORD.