PREPARATION

Introit Hymn For all the Saints

- For all the saints who from their labours rest, who thee by faith before the world confessed, thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 2. Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight; thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia!
- 3. O may thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold, fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, and win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia!
- 4. O blest communion, fellowship divine, we feebly struggle, they in glory shine; yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Alleluia!
- 5. And when the fight is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph song, and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 6. The golden evening brightens in the west; soon, soon to faithful warrior cometh rest; sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 7. But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; the saints triumphant rise in bright array; the King of glory passes on his way. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 8. From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

 Alleluia! Alleluia!

Welcome

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect of the day

Almighty God, who inspired your apostle Peter to confess Jesus as Christ and Son of the living God: build up your Church upon this rock, that in unity and peace it may proclaim one truth and follow one Lord, your Son our Saviour Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Old Testament Reading Ezekiel 3. 4-11, 22-27 (Page 802)

Psalm 125

- 1. Those who trust in the Lord are like Mount Zion, which can never be shaken, never be moved.
- As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds his people, now and forever.

- 3. The wicked will not always rule over the land of the righteous; if they did, the righteous themselves might do evil.
- 4. Lord, do good to those who are good, to those who obey your commands.
- 5. But when you punish the wicked, punish also those who abandon your ways. Peace be with Israel!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

Epistle 1 Peter 2.19-25 (Page 295)

Gradual Hymn How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

- How sweet the name of Jesus sounds in a believer's ear! It soothes our sorrows, heals our wounds, and drives away our fear.
- It makes the wounded spirit whole and calms the troubled breast; 'tis manna to the hungry soul, and to the weary, rest.
- O Jesus, shepherd, guardian, friend, my Prophet, Priest, and King, my Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, accept the praise I bring.
- 4. How weak the effort of my heart, how cold my warmest thought; but when I see you as you are, I'll praise you as I ought.
- 5. Till then I would your love proclaim with every fleeting breath; and may the music of your name refresh my soul in death.

Gospel acclamation Alleluia, alleluia. You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. Alleluia.

Gospel Matthew 16.13-19

When gospel is announced:

Glory to Christ our Saviour.

At end:

Give thanks to the Lord for his glorious Gospel.

Praise to Christ our Lord.

Sermon

The Right Revd Ian Paton, Bishop of St Andrews, Dunkeld & Dunblane

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one substance with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and was made human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. Who with the Father and the Son, is worshipped and glorified. And has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Intercessions

Prayer is offered for the world and its people, for those who suffer and those in need,

for the church and its members.

Confession and Absolution

God is love and we are God's children. There is no room for fear in love. We love because God first loved us. Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith.

Silence

God our Father, we confess to you and to our fellow members in the Body of Christ that we have sinned in thought, word and deed, and in what we have failed to do. We are truly sorry. Forgive us our sins, and deliver us from the power of evil. For the sake of your Son who died for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

God, who is both power and love, forgive us and free us from our sins, heal and strengthen us by the Holy Spirit and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Peace

We meet in Christ's name. Let us share his peace. We share the sign of peace with each other

Dedication of Memorial Window

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

The taking of the Bread and the Wine

Offering Let us present our offerings to the Lord.

Offertory Hymn My every prayer

1. The more I walk with You And talk with You I'm growing -Growing - in a love that's everywhere. And everything I do I do for You While sharing my every prayer

The more I understand your guiding hand I'm living – Living – for a day that's Yours to share And on that day I'll see You shine on me While sharing my every prayer

The more I feel You near Your presence here I'm breathing – Breathing – in Your word of endless care And knowing in my mind

Such love I'll find While sharing my every prayer

Sharing every prayer, Night and day, And trusting every thought I do Sharing every prayer That's my way – Way to be one with You

5. The more life flows along I feel I'm strong Yet humbling, Humbling – when my soul to You I bare And far from on my own I'm not alone While sharing my every prayer

6. The more You walk with me And talk with me I'm longing – Longing – for a day that's Yours to share Just sensing all around That peace I've found While sharing my every prayer.

My every prayer

Prayers of Offering

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; through your goodness we have this bread to offer, which earth has given and human hands have made: it will become for us the bread of life.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; through your goodness we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands; it will become the cup of our salvation.

Blessed be God for ever.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer I

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Worship and praise belong to you, Father, in every place and at all times.
All power is yours.
You created the heavens and established the earth; you sustain in being all that is.

In Christ your Son our life and yours are brought together in a wonderful exchange. He made his home among us that we might for ever dwell in you.

Through your Holy Spirit you call us to new birth in a creation restored by love.

As children of your redeeming purpose we offer you our praise with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending glory:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Glory and thanksgiving be to you, most loving Father,

for the gift of your Son born in human flesh. He is the Word existing beyond time, both source and final purpose, bringing to wholeness all that is made. Obedient to your will he died upon the Cross. By your power you raised him from the dead. He broke the bonds of evil and set your people free to be his Body in the world.

On the night when he was given up to death, knowing that his hour had come, having loved his own, he loved them to the end. At supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: 'Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you.' After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: 'Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven. Do this in remembrance of me.'

We now obey your Son's command.
We recall his blessed passion and death,
his glorious resurrection and ascension;
and we look for the coming of his Kingdom.
Made one with him, we offer you these gifts
and with them ourselves,
a single, holy, living sacrifice.

Hear us, most merciful Father, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and this wine, that, overshadowed by the Spirit's life-giving power, they may be the Body and Blood of your Son, and we may be kindled with the fire of your love and renewed for the service of your Kingdom.

Help us, who are baptised into the fellowship of Christ's Body to live and work to your praise and glory; may we grow together in unity and love until at last, in your new creation, we enter into our heritage in the company of the Virgin Mary, the apostles and prophets, and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be to you, Lord of all ages, world without end. **Amen.**

The Sharing of the Bread and the Wine

Breaking of the Bread

The living bread is broken for the life of the world Lord, unite us in this sign.

Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour Christ has commanded and taught us, we are bold to say:

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Communion Song

Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world: Give us your peace.

Communion

Baptised members of other Christian churches are welcome to receive communion. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please come forward to the altar rail carrying this booklet.

At the giving of the bread: The Body of Christ given for you. At the giving of the cup: The Blood of Christ shed for you.

The Communicant replies Amen.

Communion Hymn Be still for the presence of the Lord

- Be still, for the presence of the Lord, The Holy One, is here.
 Come bow before him now, with reverence and fear.
 In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground.
 Be still for the presence of the Lord, The Holy One, is here.
- Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.
 He burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned.
 How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of light!
 Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around
- Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.
 He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.
 No work too hard for him, in faith, receive from him.
 Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

David J. Evans

THANKSGIVING AND SENDING OUT

Sentence

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is gracious. And his mercy endures for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the apostles with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Blessing

God give you grace to follow his saints in faith and hope and love; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. In the name of Christ. Amen.

Recessional

Hymn Tell out my soul

- Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
 Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;
 Tender to me the promise of his word;
 In God my Savior shall my heart rejoice
- Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his Name!
 Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;
 His mercy sure, from age to age to same;
 His holy Name--the Lord, the Mighty One
- 3. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!
 Powers and dominions lay their glory by
 Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight
 The hungry fed, the humble lifted high
- 4. Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word!
 Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure
 Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
 To children's children and for evermore!

Notices:

Worship:

Wed 3rd July 10.00am Eucharist Sun 7th July 9.15am Eucharist(SPB)

10:30am Sung Eucharist – Pentecost 7

Wi-Fi: Wi-Fi is installed in the building. Passwords and access codes are available. Please ensure though that any mobile devices are switched off or on silent mode during services and meetings. Many thanks.

Zumba: The group will continue after the summer break, date to be confirmed.

Craft Group: The group will continue after the summer break on 26th August at 2pm in the hall. All welcome.

Fellowship Group: The fellowship group will take a break over the Summer and meet again on Thursday 29th August 2024 at 2pm. All welcome.

Study Group: The group will meet on the third Wednesday of the month from 11am. The next meeting is on 17th July.

Vestry: The next Vestry meeting will take place on Tuesday 2nd July 2024 at 7.30pm in the lower meeting room.

Foodbank: Kirkcaldy Foodbank are always delighted to receive donations of dry goods and toiletries. Please place in the basket in the vestibule. They are also desperate for carrier bags, if you have some that you can spare, please also fold flat and place in the basket. Many thanks.

Flowers: If you would like to donate towards the cost of flowers, perhaps in memory of a loved one or a special anniversary, please speak to Janie Legge. There is no requirement to arrange the flowers, although Janie is always happy to advise anyone who would like to.

Prayer Group: If you, or someone you know would like prayers said then please complete a slip and place in the woven box. Your request will be responded to.

Health and Safety: The Fabric Repairs Log, Risk Assessment Register, Accident Book and First Aid Kit are situated in the Kitchen.

Hospital Visits: The local hospitals no longer allow access to their in-patient lists. If you, a relative or friend are admitted to hospital, please contact the Rector on 01592 204208 or cnfraser@btinternet.com and visits will be arranged.

Please pray for:

All those in our own congregation, their families or friends who are ill, housebound or whose year's mind falls this week. Archbishop Stephen and the Karen people in Burma, Thailand and Sheffield