# The Church of St John the Evangelist March 29<sup>th</sup> 2020 Welcome to the Church of St John the Evangelist

### PLEASE NOTE: UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

The College of Bishops has ordered that all regular services and social activities on church premises be suspended until further notice. We therefore meet in Christ's name in the virtual / online environment. Reverend Jenny has sent out a letter detailing ways that we can worship remotely. Please read it alongside this weekly notification.

## The Fifth Sunday in Lent 9:30 am Online Morning Prayer Scottish Prayer Book

This can be accessed using the Zoom App https://us04web.zoom.us/j/386348852 11.00

Online Scottish Liturgy Celebrant: Rt Revd John Armes, Bishop of Edinburgh This can be accessed on the internet via the SEC Website, Facebook page and on YouTube

General Welcome, Introduction and Notices

#### Collect of the Day

Almighty God, your Son came into the world to save us all from sin and death. Breathe upon us with the power of your Spirit, that we may be raised to new life in Christ and serve you with holiness and righteousness all our days; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen** 

### The Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Lesson: Ezekiel 37.1-14

Psalm 130

Epistle: Romans 8.6-11

Gospel: John 11.1-45

#### **LET US PRAY**

Let us pray for the world, the church, our community, our loved ones and ourselves. We pray for all who suffer as a result of conflict, greed and disaster and for all who work to bring relief and hope wherever there is need.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Primates' Task Group and its call for a period of prayer and repentance in the Anglican Communion.

In the Diocesan Cycle of prayers, we pray for our Bishop, Anne Dyer and her family. This week we pray for St Luke's Church, Cuminestown.

We pray for our own Church of St John's, for our Curate, Rev'd Dr Jenny Holden and for all who enter our doors. We ask for God's blessings of healing, comfort and peace on those who journey through a period of illness, hardship or grief and we rejoice with those who mark a blessing this week. We remember especially Doris, Sam, Jean, Chris, George, Lesley.

In a moment of silence, we remember with thanksgiving all those whom we love but see no longer, especially those whose year's mind is this week.

### This Week at St John's

Wednesday 7:30 pm Online Taizé Eucharist

Next Sunday, Sunday next before Easter: Palm Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2020

9.30am Online Morning Prayer 11.00am Online Liturgy

### **Notices and Events**

Please continue to light a candle tonight and place it in your window at 7.00pm. More details on the SEC website.

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