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Joseph Farquharson (1846-1935), *Day's End*

St Salvator's Chapel
Sunday 21 April 2024
Good Shepherd Sunday

About this Service

Welcome to St Salvator's Chapel to students, members of staff, family, friends, and all visitors. All are welcome at this ecumenical service, whether or not you share the Christian faith of this chapel. This printed order gives guidance as to the way we worship here. When words are in **bold type** we say them together. The words of the hymns are found in the purple hymn-books.

The preacher today is **Revd Samantha Ferguson**, Assistant Chaplain.

Music is led by **Claire Innes-Hopkins**, Director of Chapel Music, **Campbell Watterson Organ Scholars**, and **St Salvator's Chapel Choir**.

Readers: The first reading is read by **Jack Reid**, Research Fellow, School of Mathematics and Statistics. The second reading is read by **Katherine Stratton**, PhD Modern Languages student.

Chapel Offerings: One-third of the Chapel offerings go towards the costs of Chapel Services and the Chaplaincy, and two-thirds go to charity. The charity supported today is the **National Trust for Scotland**. The NTS are the largest member organisation in Scotland supporting more than 365,000 members and funded largely by donations. They are fuelled by a desire to protect the things that make Scotland special, by championing Scotland's natural, built and cultural heritage from castles to art and wildlife.

Order of Service

Processional Hymn *You, Lord, are both Lamb and Shepherd*
(tune 439 Regent Square) 355

1. You, Lord, are both Lamb and Shepherd.
You, Lord, are both prince and slave.
You, peacemaker and sword-bringer
in the way you took and gave.
You, the everlasting instant;
you, whom we both scorn and crave.
2. Clothed in light upon the mountain,
stripped of might upon the cross,
shining in eternal glory,
harrowing hell to save the lost,
you, the everlasting instant;
you, who are our gift and cost.
3. You, who walk each day beside us,
sit in power at God's side.
You, who preach a way that's narrow,
have a love that reaches wide.
You, the everlasting instant;
you, who are our pilgrim guide.
4. Worthy is our earthly Jesus!
Worthy is our cosmic Christ!
Worthy your defeat and vict'ry.
Worthy still your peace and strife.
You, the everlasting instant;
you, who are our death and life.

Sylvia G. Dunstan (1955-1993)

Welcome

Approach to the Word of God

Call to worship

Like a shepherd he will tend his flock,
and with his arm keep them together.

(Isaiah 40:11)

Introit

Richard Michael, *Jubilate Deo*

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands:
serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his presence with a song.
Be ye sure that the Lord he is God;
it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,
and into his courts with praise;
be thankful unto him, and speak good of his Name.
For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting,
and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

Prayers of approach, thanksgiving, confession and forgiveness, and collect

God of peace,
who brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus,
the great Shepherd of the sheep,
through the blood of an eternal covenant,
make us perfect in goodness
so that we may do your will;
and create in us what is pleasing to you;
through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen.

1. The King of love my Shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am his,
and he is mine forever.
2. Where streams of living water flow
my ransomed soul he leadeth,
and, where the verdant pastures grow
with food celestial feedeth.
3. Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
but yet in love he sought me,
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home rejoicing brought me.
4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill,
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.
5. Thou spread'st a table in my sight;
thy unction grace bestoweth;
and oh, what wonder of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth!
6. And so through all the length of days
thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
within thy house forever.

Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877)
from *Psalm 23*

The Word of God

First Reading

1 John 3:16-24

¹⁶We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. ¹⁷How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

¹⁸ Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action.

¹⁹ And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him ²⁰ whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. ²¹ Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; ²² and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

²³ And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. ²⁴ All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Choral Psalm 23

1. The Lord is my shepherd: therefore can I lack nothing.
2. He shall feed me in a green pasture: and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
3. He shall convert my soul: and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his Name's sake.
4. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.
5. Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me: thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.
6. Surely thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Second Reading

John 10:11-18

¹¹ Jesus said, 'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹² The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³ The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. ¹⁴ I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, ¹⁵ just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶ I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷ For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. ¹⁸ No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.'

1. How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
in a believer's ear!
It soothes our sorrows, heals our wounds,
and drives away our fear.
2. It makes the wounded spirit whole,
and calms the troubled breast;
'tis manna to the hungry soul,
and to the weary rest.
3. Dear name! the rock on which I build,
my shield and hiding place,
my never-failing treasury, filled
with boundless stores of grace.
4. Jesus, my Shepherd, Husband, Friend,
my Prophet, Priest, and King,
my Lord, my Life, my Way, my End,
accept the praise I bring.
5. Weak is the effort of my heart,
and cold my warmest thought;
but, when I see thee as thou art,
I'll praise thee as I ought.
6. Till then I would thy love proclaim
with every fleeting breath;
and may the music of thy name
refresh my soul in death.

John Newton (1725-1807)

Response to the Word of God

Anthem Martin, *Agnus Dei* from *Mass for Double Choir*

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, *Lamb of God, who takes away the sins*
miserere nobis. *of the world, have mercy on us.*

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dona nobis pacem. *of the world, grant us peace.*

Notices

Prayers of intercession and Lord's Prayer

Response Lord, hear us
 Lord, graciously hear us

**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.**

1. O Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end;
be now and always near me,
my master and my friend:
I shall not fear the battle
if you are by my side,
not wander from the pathway
if you will be my guide.
2. Oh, let me feel you near me:
the world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
the tempting sounds I hear;
my foes are ever near me,
around me, and within;
but, Jesus, draw still nearer,
and shield my soul from sin.
3. Oh, let me hear you speaking
in accents clear and still,
above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will;
Oh, speak to reassure me,
to hasten or control;
O speak, and make me listen,
true guardian of my soul.
4. O Jesus, you have promised
to all who follow you,
that where you are in glory
your servant shall be too;
and, Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end:
now give me grace to follow,
my master and my friend.

John Ernest Bode (1816-1874)

Benediction and choral Amen

Voluntary

Forthcoming Services

For further information on the services listed below, including details of future services, dates and times, please visit our worship webpage:

www.st-andrews.ac.uk/chaplaincy/worship/

Sunday Worship

Sunday 28 April, 11 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Preacher: Revd Dr Alan McCormack

Dean, Goodenough College, London

Readings: 2 Kings 7:1-16; Acts 8:26-40

Sermon: *Throwing it all on Black, Part II:*

Five Years On and Shrewdness meets the Secular

This service will be livestreamed.

Link available at www.st-andrews.ac.uk/community/worship/

Jummah – Friday Prayers

Prayer sessions are available from **1:15 pm**, every Friday
at the Chaplaincy, 3 St Mary's Place

Orthodox Services

Orthodox services take place in St Leonard's Chapel
in Greek and English, throughout the year.

Next service: Sunday 28 April, 10:30 am

Service of Thanksgiving for Emeritus Professor Tristan Platt

Friday 26 April, 2 pm, St Salvator's Chapel

This service will be livestreamed.

Link available at www.st-andrews.ac.uk/community/worship/

Graduation Thanksgiving Services

During graduation week, short services of thanksgiving will be held each day. These services, lasting no more than 30 minutes, are open to all graduating students, their families and guests, and all others, regardless of their faith or philosophy of life.

Monday 10 June, 11:15 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Tuesday 11 June, 9:30 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Wednesday 12 June, 9:30 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Thursday 13 June, 9:30 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Friday 14 June, 9:30 am, St Salvator's Chapel

Sunday 16 June, 11 am, Alumni Weekend Service, St Salvator's Chapel

Chaplaincy Events

For further information on the chaplaincy events listed below, please visit the Chaplaincy Events page:

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Wellspring: a contemplative and creative prayer space

Final gathering: Monday 22 April, 1:15-2 pm, Chaplaincy Lounge

A group led by honorary Pentecostal Chaplain, Revd Dr Jill Walker

Explore prayer and a connection with God.

Grief Group

Thursday 25 April (For Staff)

1 – 2 pm, Chaplaincy Lochnagar

These groups welcome anyone experiencing grief, regardless of whether the loss is recent. They provide a confidential support network to help lessen the isolation felt whilst living with grief, as well as normalise speaking about the death of family members, friends, peers, and colleagues.

Led by Assistant Chaplain, Revd Samantha Ferguson

Turning Pages

A group for staff, meeting monthly, to discuss readings mainly on faith,
led by University Chaplain, Revd Dr Donald MacEwan

Next meeting: Tuesday 30 April at 5:30 pm

Topic: *I believe in the forgiveness of sins.*

Chaplain's House, 10 Abbey Street

Faith Societies

If you would like to learn more about the many faith societies,
and connect with them, you will find contact details on our webpage at

www.st-andrews.ac.uk/chaplaincy/faith-societies/

The Chaplaincy

The Chaplaincy is centrally situated in the Mansfield Building opposite the Students Union. It is available for faith societies and other societies, private prayer and meditation, and is where all are welcome to meet Donald, Sam, Bill or others from the team.

The **Chaplaincy Booklet** containing details of faith societies and chaplaincy services is available in chapel and on our main webpage at www.st-andrews.ac.uk/chaplaincy/

Chaplaincy Mailing List: If you would like to receive a weekly e-newsletter with details of services, concerts and faith society events, and occasional Companionship emails, please email your details to chaplaincy@st-andrews.ac.uk.

Chapel Volunteers

Reading in chapel: We are looking for new and returning volunteers, both students and staff to read the Bible lessons at Sunday services over this semester.

Chapel Ushers and Tech Team: We are very keen to welcome new volunteer recruits to the Chapel Usher and Tech Teams.

If you are interested in becoming a Bible reader, usher or tech support volunteer please email us at chaplaincy@st-andrews.ac.uk

Donations

Chapel Donations: You can make donations to the chapel in cash, via the contactless machine located at the rear of the chapel as you exit (**coming soon**), or through the online donation webpage. UK taxpayers who donate through our donation webpage, QR code provided, are eligible for Gift Aid. This means that we can claim an extra 25% on your donation from the UK government at no additional cost to you.



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