



**18TH MAY
11AM
CHALMERS**



Bridge of Allan Parish Church of Scotland

- SPIRIT OF PENTECOST - THE SPIRIT WITH CHRIST



led by the Rev

DAN HARPER



PRAISE THE LORD IN THE SOUND OF TRUMPET (CHOIR)



WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP



SING OF THE LORD'S GOODNESS, FATHER OF ALL WISDOM (157)



INTRODUCING 'THE SPIRIT WITH CHRIST'



PRAYER ,
APPROACH, CONFESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER



THINKING ABOUT 'THE SPIRIT WITH CHRIST'
AFTER WHICH PRIMARY SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN
MAY GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL IF THEY WISH



COLOURS OF THE DAY (LIGHT UP THE FIRE)



READING: LUKE 4:14-21



PRAISE THE SPIRIT IN CREATION (588)



UNDERSTANDING 'THE SPIRIT WITH CHRIST'



CHRIST BE BESIDE ME (CHOIR)



APPLYING 'THE SPIRIT WITH CHRIST'



O GOD, IN CHRIST YOU CALL US (CAROLYN'S HYMNS)



PRAYER
DEDICATION OF OFFERING AND PRAYER FOR OTHERS



THERE IS A SPIRIT IN THE AIR (616)



SENDING

SERVICE INFO



**the offering is made in the collection plates before and after
the service, via QR code, or for details about regular giving
contact the church office**



toilets: access from centre of the main foyer
primary age children are welcome to join our Sunday School

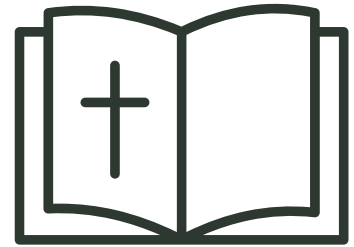


Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

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,
the power, and the glory, for ever.

Amen

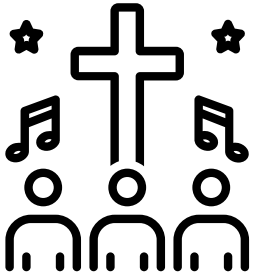


Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news about him spread through the whole countryside. He was teaching in their synagogues, and everyone praised him.

He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him. Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written:

“The Spirit of the Lord is on me,
because he has anointed me
to proclaim good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners
and recovery of sight for the blind,
to set the oppressed free,
to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.”

Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him. He began by saying to them, “Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”



Colours of day dawn into the mind,
the sun has come up, the night is behind.
Go down in the city, into the street,
and let's give the message to the people we meet.

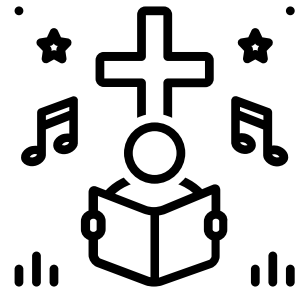
*So light up the fire and let the flame burn,
open the door, let Jesus return.*

*Take seeds of His Spirit, let the fruit grow,
tell the people of Jesus, let His love show.*

Go through the park, on into the town;
the sun still shines on, it never goes down.
The Light of the world is risen again;
the people of darkness are needing our friend.
So light up the fire . . .

Open your eyes, look into the sky,
the darkness has come, the sun came to die,
the evening draws on, the sun disappears,
but Jesus is living, His Spirit is near.
So light up the fire . . .

HYMN: O GOD IN CHRIST YOU CALL US



O God, in Christ you call us to witness to your grace —
To share the life you give us in every time and place.
So many things divide us — yet we are not our own;
For we belong to Jesus who prayed, "May they be one."

In Christ is our salvation; in him you've set us free —
We make this proclamation in bold humility.
Your image is in others who follow different ways;
Together, seeking justice, we offer you our praise.

In Christ, we're bound together; in him we find your peace.
Yet even as we gather, the wounds of war increase.
Where terror brings division, God, make us brave to say
Our churches share a vision of Jesus' peaceful way.

In Christ, the poor and hungry are shown they matter, too —
And where your church has plenty, you give us work to do.
Now may we put in practice the faith that we declare,
Seek economic justice, and find new ways to share.

In Christ, you bless creation and show this planet's worth;
May every congregation find ways to tend the earth.
Now fill us with your Spirit, that we, as one, may be
A faithful, loving witness to all humanity.



Collect your stamps to support the work of the Al Ahli Hospital in Northern Gaza.

You can still drop off your used stamps in the box located in the Chalmers Foyer, next to the Church Office.



Come and join prayer for our Church and the wider world every Sunday in the Old Vestry, 10.30-10.45



If you, or anyone you know, would benefit from a visit from our Pastoral Team, please speak to Marilyn or contact the church office.

we are here for all of life

- BAPTISMS AND BLESSINGS
- CHURCH MEMBERSHIP
- WEDDINGS AND RENEWING VOWS
- FUNERAL PLANNING

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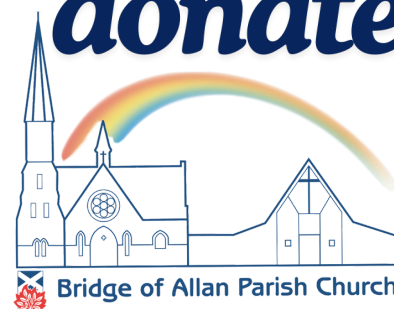


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Thankfulness Creative Challenge

COULD YOU RISE TO THE
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SOMETHING WITH THE THEME OF
'THANKFULNESS'

FOR OUR SERVICE ON
SUNDAY 22ND OF JUNE?

THE ARTWORKS WILL BE EXHIBITED IN THE
HALLS THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER
INCLUDING OUR SUMMER COFFEE MORNINGS.

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE SEE DAN.