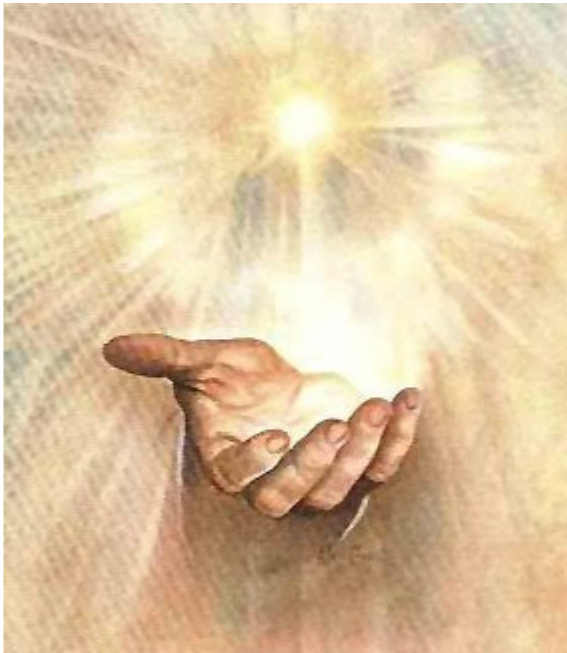


**ABERDEEN ST MARK'S CHURCH OF SCOTLAND**



**His Voice our Choice  
THE GOD WHO WON'T LET US FALL  
Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany  
Sunday 24 February, 2019**



**I give them eternal life and they shall never perish; no-one shall snatch them from my care. (John 10: 28)**

**“St Mark’s, sharing God’s love in the City Centre”**

**Welcome & Intimations:**

**Call to Worship:**

**Praise:** CH4: 462 The King of Love my Shepherd is

**Prayer of Approach including the Lord's Prayer:**

**Short presentation by Alex McConochie (Stewardship & Finance)**

**Praise:** CH4: 557 O Love that will not let me go

**Reading:** John 10: 22-42 (Page 883)

**Praise:** MP: 52 God sent his son (because he lived)  
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**Sermon:** The God who won't let us fall

**Praise:** CH3: 93 Loving Shepherd of thy sheep

**Prayers of Thanksgiving and intercession:**

**Praise:** CH4: 512 To God be the glory

**Benediction:**

**Threefold Amen**

**Please join us downstairs in the Hall after the service for tea/coffee and fellowship.**

## Church Family News

1. **Kirk Session** meets again on Wednesday 6 March 2019. Papers are available in the Deacons' Room this morning/will be available next Sunday.
2. **The Guild of Friendship** meets tomorrow afternoon at 14.15 in the Hall when entertainment will be provided by the Acclamations. All welcome.
3. **The Men's Club** meets tomorrow evening in the Hall at 19.30 for a Games Night. All welcome.
4. **The Pastoral Care Team** meets tomorrow evening in the small meeting room at 19.15.
5. **The Co-ordinating Team** meets on Wednesday evening at 19.15 in the Session Room.
6. **Bible Study** with Stiubhart continues on Thursday 28 February at 19.30 in the Session Room. All welcome.
7. **Coffee Morning.** The Guild is holding a coffee morning on Saturday 2 March from 10.00-13.00 in the Hall. Please come along and support this event.
8. A Christian Aid Gathering will be held on Wednesday 27 February from 10 am - 1 pm at Holburn West Church with a speaker from Sierra Leone (the main focus of Christian Aid Week 2019) and other Christian Aid information. It is open to all interested, but numbers are requested. Please tell Doreen Gray or Arlene Grant if you wish to attend.
9. **The O.A.K. Café** will hold a Special Lunch on behalf of CRUSE (bereavement counselling) on Thursday 7 March. Tickets (£7) are available today from David Yacimini or during the week at the Café. Raffle donations are most welcome. Please come along and support this worthwhile cause. A delicious lunch is guaranteed.

- 10. Safeguarding.** There will be a Safeguarding Training, by Ann Hepburn, the Aberdeen Presbytery Trainer, for all volunteers and staff on Thursday 14 March 2019 from 19.00-21.00 (registration from 18.40) in South Holburn Church, 539a Holburn Street, AB10 7LH. If you are interested, please speak to Helen Burr for further information.
- 11. Circle of Care.** If you are able to assist in the transportation of members to and from the Circle of Care Communion on Palm Sunday (14 April), please add your name to the list in the Vestibule.
- 12. Somebody Cares.** If you are able, could you please bring along one item of non-perishable (canned/packet) food each week to place in the food collections. There are two bins, one in the Vestibule and one in the Hall.
- 13. Heart & Soul 2019** takes place on Sunday 19 May from 13.00-18.00 in Princes Street Gardens, Edinburgh. If you are interested, please see the posters in the Hall and Vestibule for further information.
- 14. General Assembly 2019 Youth Reps.** The General Assembly 2019 will take place in Edinburgh from Saturday 18 May to Friday 24 May 2019 and each Presbytery is invited to send one young adult (aged 18-25). If you are/know of one of our young adults who would be interested please contact Helen Burr, or the office for further information.
- 15. Intimations.** Please ensure that all intimations are passed to the Church Office by 12.00 on Wednesday each week for inclusion on the sheet.
- 16. Please let us know of:-**
  - a) Any member of the Church or a member of their family being in hospital; or
  - b) Any member of the Church who is unable to come to Church on a Sunday and who would appreciate Home Holy Communion.

**Please contact Carole in the Church Office on (01224) 640672 or by email: [office@stmarksaberdeen.org.uk](mailto:office@stmarksaberdeen.org.uk)**  
**Office hours are Monday-Friday from 10.00-13.00.**

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## **Future Services**

<b>Sunday 03 March</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> The Transfiguration of our Lord Stiubhart MacChoille.
<b>Sunday 10 March</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> First Sunday in Lent Stiubhart MacChoille
<b>Sunday 17 March</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> Second Sunday in Lent Stiubhart MacChoille
<b>Sunday 24 March</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> Third Sunday in Lent Stiubhart MacChoille
<b>Sunday 31 March</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> Fourth Sunday in Lent Stiubhart MacChoille
<b>Sunday 07 April</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> Fifth Sunday in Lent Stiubhart MacChoille
<b>Sunday 14 April</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> Palm Sunday Holy Communion Rev. Brian Sheret
	<b>14.00</b>	<b>Circle of Care</b> Holy Communion Rev. Brian Sheret