**21 August 2022 - Trinity 10**

Therefore, since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God. -2 Corinthians 7:1

**The Greeting - Hello and Welcome**

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you**

O Lord, open our lips  
**and our mouth will proclaim your praise.**  
Let us worship the Lord.  
**All praise to his name.**

We bless you God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
**Blessed be God for ever.**

**Hymn 102 - Name of all majesty**

1 Name of all majesty,  
fathomless mystery,  
King of the ages  
by angels adored;  
power and authority,  
splendour and dignity,  
bow to his mastery,  
Jesus is Lord!

2 Child of our destiny,  
God from eternity,  
love of the Father  
on sinners outpoured;  
see now what God has done  
sending his only Son,  
Christ the beloved One,  
Jesus is Lord!

3 Saviour of Calvary,  
costliest victory,  
darkness defeated  
and Eden restored;  
born as a man to die,  
nailed to a cross on high,  
cold in the grave to lie,  
Jesus is Lord!

4 Source of all sovereignty,  
light, immortality,  
life everlasting  
and heaven assured;  
so with the ransomed, we  
praise him eternally,  
Christ in his majesty,  
Jesus is Lord!

**Penitence - saying sorry**

Father, forgive us:  
**save us and help us**

**Preparing - to hear God’s word**

Your word is a lantern to my feet  
**and a light upon our path.**  
O Lord, your word is everlasting:  
**it stands firm for ever in the heavens.**

Let us then receive the word of the Lord.  
**So may the light of your presence shine into our hearts.**

**Psalm 19: - we stand to say**

The law of the Lord is perfect, **refreshing the soul.**

The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, **making wise the simple.**

The precepts of the Lord are right, **giving joy to the heart.**

The commands of the Lord are radiant, **giving light to the eyes.**

The fear of the Lord is pure, **enduring for ever.**

The decrees of the Lord are firm, **and all of them are righteous.**

They are more precious than gold, **than much pure gold;**

they are sweeter than honey, **than honey from the honeycomb.**

May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart  
**be pleasing in your sight, O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.**

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;•  
**as it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be for ever. Amen.**

**2 Corinthians 6:14–7:1 - please be seated**

A reading from 2 Corinthians chapter 6 beginning at verse 14

Do not be yoked together with unbelievers. For what do righteousness and wickedness have in common? Or what fellowship can light have with darkness? What harmony is there between Christ and Belial? Or what does a believer have in common with an unbeliever? What agreement is there between the temple of God and idols? For we are the temple of the living God. As God has said:  
‘I will live with them and walk among them,  
and I will be their God and they will be my people.’  
Therefore,  
‘Come out from them and be separate,  
says the Lord.  
Touch no unclean thing, and I will receive you.’  
And,  
‘I will be a Father to you, and you will be my sons and daughters,  
says the Lord Almighty.’

Therefore, since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

**Hymn 636 - May the mind of Christ my Saviour**

May the mind of Christ my Saviour  
live in me from day to day,  
by his love and power controlling  
all I do and say.

2 May the word of God enrich me  
with his truth from hour to hour,  
so that all may see I triumph  
only through his power.

3 May the peace of God my Father  
in my life for ever reign,  
that I may be calm to comfort  
those in grief and pain.

4 May the love of Jesus fill me  
as the waters fill the sea,  
him exalting, self abasing-  
this is victory!

5 May his beauty rest upon me  
as I seek to make him known;  
so that all may look to Jesus,  
seeing him alone.

6 May I run the race before me  
strong and brave to face the foe,  
looking only unto Jesus  
as I onward go.

**The Sermon - with Mrs Marlene Moore**

**Hymn 593 - O Jesus, I have promised**

O Jesus, I have promised  
To serve Thee to the end;  
Be thou for ever near me,  
My Master and my Friend!  
I shall not fear the battle  
If thou art by my side,  
Nor wander from the pathway  
If thou wilt be my guide.

2 Oh, let me feel Thee 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 thou nearer,  
And shield my soul from sin.

3 Oh, let me hear thee speaking  
In accents clear and still,  
Above the storms of passion,  
The murmurs of self-will!  
Oh, speak to re-assure me,  
To hasten or control!  
Oh, speak, and make me listen,  
Thou guardian of my soul!

4 O Jesus, thou hast promised  
To all who follow thee,  
That where thou art in glory  
There shall thy servant be;  
And, Jesus, I have promised  
To serve thee to the end;  
Oh, give me grace to follow,  
My Master and my Friend!

5 Oh, let me see thy foot-marks, And in them plant my own!  
My hope to follow duly Is in thy strength alone,  
Oh, guide me, call me, draw me, Uphold me to the end!  
And then in heaven receive me, My Saviour and my Friend!

**Declaring Faith - affirming our belief**

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, who made the world?  
**I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ, who redeemed mankind?  
**I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God? **I believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the Church. **This is our faith.**  
**We believe and trust in One God,**  
**Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

**Praying Together - Intercessions**

**Sunday Collect - Trinity 10**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your name,**  
**your kingdom come,**  
**your will be done,**  
**on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**  
**Forgive us our sins**  
**as we forgive those who sin against us.** **Lead us not into temptation**  
**but deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, & the glory are yours** **now and for ever. Amen.**

**A Thanksgiving - we give thanks to God**

For every blessing we have received **we give you thanks and praise**

**Hymn 388 - Word of the Living God**

1 Word of the living God,  
lighting the souls of men,  
with heavenly wisdom from on high  
inspiring lips and pen!  
Their hearts athirst for truth  
with truth did God inspire;  
in human words God spoke the word,  
his word a burning fire.

2 Ages and empires passed;  
the word was still the same;  
still from the ancient beacon-fires  
was caught the living flame;  
unchanged the truth of God,  
unchanged his righteousness,  
his hand stretched out to judge the world, his arms outstretched to bless.

3 Still burns the fire of God,  
from age to following age;  
new mornings break, new light is thrown  
upon the hallowed page;  
still sounds the trumpet-call,  
still speaks the living word;  
rings out, as in the ancient days,  
the cry, ‘Thus saith the Lord’.

**Be with us Lord,** **as we go out into the world.**  
**May the lips that have sung your praise always speak the truth;  
may the ears which have heard your Word listen only to what is good**  
**and may our lives, as well as our worship, be always pleasing in your sight, for the glory of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Mothers’ Union** Sponsored Walk on “Comber Greenway”  
Monday 6:10 pm Church Carpark, or 6:30 pm at The Billy Neill Centre Dundonald  
**Midweek Worship** Wednesday 10:00 am at Carryduff  
**Magazine Team** Friday 2:30 pm at Jeremy Taylor Chapel  
**Next Sunday** 28 August Trinity 11 Relationships  
8:30 Early Communion at Carryduff  
10:00 Sunday Morning Prayer at Carryduff  
12:00 Sunday Morning Prayer at Killaney