

# Newport-on-Tay Church of Scotland



## Order of Service 11th May 2025



Introit  
Welcome & Call to Worship

**Hymn 132 : Immortal, invisible, God only wise**

Prayer & The Lord's Prayer [Trespases]

**Hymn 189 : Be still, for the presence of the Lord**

Children's Address

**Hymn 550 : As the deer pants for the water**

— Young People leave —

Anthem

Readings : Deuteronomy 4 v 25 - 40 [page 183]

John 14 v 1 - 11 [page 1082]

Read by Mandy Wilman

**Hymn : O praise ye the Lord!**

MP 518—Words printed on order of service

Sermon

**Hymn : In Christ alone my hope is found**

CMP 1072—Words printed on order of service

Prayer of Dedication and Intercession

**The Apostles' Creed**

**Hymn 182 : Now thank we all our God**

Benediction & Threefold Amen

## Intimations

### 1) Welcome

Our service today will be led by our minister, Rev Dr Amos Chewachong.

### 2) Church Journal

The May edition of the Church Journal is now ready for distributors to collect.

If you do not normally receive a copy and would like to, please speak to the Welcome Team. Alternatively you can view it online at [www.notchurch.co.uk](http://www.notchurch.co.uk)

Material for the Summer edition (covering June, July and August) should be emailed to [newportcos@btinternet.com](mailto:newportcos@btinternet.com) or in the hands of Claire Owen by next Sunday, 18th May.

### 3) Outdoor Tents

Newport Primary School are looking for 3 or 4 tents that can be used for outdoor learning for the P5 and P6 classes at the end of May/start of June. If anyone has any tents that we can provide the school, please speak to Chris Cameron. This is another great way we as a Church can support the school.

### 4) Post Office

For the time being the Post Office will only be running on Wednesdays from 9:30 - 11:30am in the Agnes Duncan Room.

### 5) Wednesday Afternoon Club

The Wednesday Afternoon Club runs on Wednesdays from 1:30pm - 3pm in the Agnes Duncan Room. There will be refreshments, tasty bits, good company and lots of chat! This is a lovely afternoon of socialising and meeting people - all are welcome.

### 6) Vigil for Peace

The vigil continues on Thursdays at 7pm for about 10 minutes on the Church Green, Blyth Street, Newport-on-Tay. We are continuing to Zoom the Vigils. If you would like to join on Zoom please ask Neil Merrylees or Claire Owen for the link.

### 7) Community Chest

During May we are supporting The Rio. Please support this when you can by buying an extra item or two at your weekly shop. There is a box available every Sunday for donations. More information can be found in the Journal.

### 8) Daily Reflections

Our minister is recording a daily reflection which is being uploaded to the church website - <http://www.notchurch.co.uk/index.php/reflections/>

### 9) Prayer Room

Our Church Prayer Room is a lovely quiet space available for reflection and prayer. It is available whenever the Church is open and you are encouraged to make use of it.

### 10) Coffee Morning

Wormit and Balmerino Guild will hold a Coffee Morning in Balmerino Church Hall this Tuesday, 13th May, from 10am - 11:30am. All are welcome.

**In Christ alone my hope is found,**  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
this cornerstone, this solid ground,  
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My comforter, my all in all,  
here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone - who took on flesh,  
fullness of God in helpless Babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
scorned by the ones he came to save  
till on that cross as Jesus died,  
the wrath of God was satisfied,  
for every sin on Him was laid;  
here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay,  
light of the world by darkness slain,  
then, bursting forth in glorious day,  
up from the grave He rose again!  
And as he stands in victory  
sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
for I am His and He is mine -  
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
this is the power of Christ in me;  
from life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man  
can ever pluck me from His hand;  
till He returns or calls me home,  
here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

**O praise ye the Lord!**  
praise Him in the height;  
rejoice in His word,  
ye angels of light;  
ye heavens adore Him  
by whom ye were made,  
and worship before Him,  
in brightness arrayed.

O praise ye the Lord!  
praise Him upon earth,  
in tuneful accord,  
ye sons of new birth;  
praise Him who has brought you  
His grace from above,  
praise Him who has taught you  
to sing of His love.

O praise ye the Lord!  
all things that give sound;  
each jubilant chord,  
re-echo around;  
loud organs, His glory  
forth tell in deep tone,  
and sweet harp, the story  
of what He has done.

O praise ye the Lord!  
thanksgiving and song  
to Him be outpoured  
all ages along:  
for love in creation,  
for heaven restored,  
for grace of salvation,  
O praise ye the Lord!

## **Daily Readings**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May : Genesis 1 : 1 - 5, 26 - 27 & 31**

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May : Job 38 : 1 - 11**

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May : Job 38 : 12 - 21**

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May : Job 38 : 31 - 38**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May : Acts 17 : 16 - 21**

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May : Acts 17 : 22 - 34**

## **Quote of the week**

We forget the One who formed us,  
chasing gods that cannot speak,  
but mercy remembers our name,  
even when we have forgotten how to call it.

**Rev. Dr. Amos B. Chewachong**