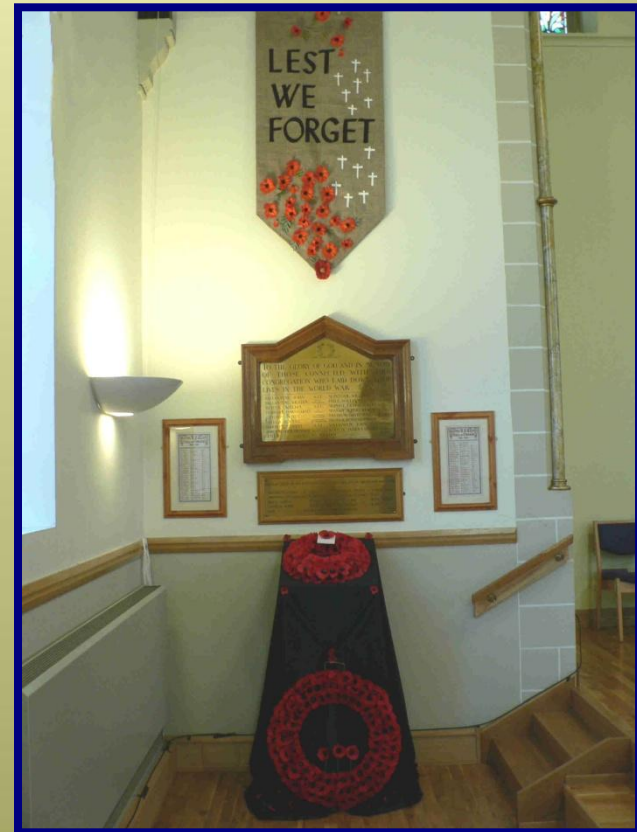


Balerno Parish Church War Memorial Panels

- WW1 upper (Church only) with 17 names unveiled in 1921 by Mrs Barbara Shankie who lost both her sons.
- In all 45 Balerno men fell in WW1 from a village listed in the 1912 County Directory as having a population of 674.
- WW2 lower (all Balerno) with 9 names.
- Not listed on the WW2 panel are
- John Ronald **Cameron**, 33, Lieutenant 8th Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, POW died 23/04/1941 Poznan
- Ruby Isobel **Grierson**, 38, civilian, died 17/09/1940 on the evacuation ship SS City of Benares torpedoed in the Atlantic.
- Ernest Russell **Lyon**, 21, Flying Officer, 234 Squadron, died 27/07/1944 North Sea.



World War One

Name	Rank	age	Unit	Date	Cemetery
BALLANTYNE John	Pte	35	53rd Btn Australian IF	30/09/1918	Tincourt,Fr
BALLANTYNE William	Pte	36	2nd Black Watch	16/04/1916	Laventie,Fr
BUTLER William	Pte	29	25th Btn Australian IF	29/07/1916	VillBret,Fr
FAIRBAIRN James Garnet	Pte	32	1st Btn Canadian	18/03/1915	BosGrenier,Fr
GIFFORD James	Pte	40	B Coy 1st Gordons	25/09/1915	Menin,Be
GILLON Robert	Pte	23	2nd K O S B	04/10/1917	Zillebeke,Be
HARBOUR Ernest	Cpl	31	34th Btn Ausralian IF	15/06/1918	VillBret,Fr
JOHNSTON Oliver Frederick	Pte	19	10th Cameronians	23/07/1918	Soissons,Fr
McINTOSH Wiliam	Pte	26	18th King's (Liverpool)	09/04/1917	Ficheux,Fr

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PHILP William	Pte	18	1 st Gordons	31/03/1916	Menin,Be
SHANKIE Robert Brash	Pte	19	9th Royal Scots	11/04/1917	Etaples,Fr
SHANKIE Thomas Robert	Pte	23	2nd Royal Scots	20/11/1916	Thiepval,Fr
SNEDDON David Rae	Pte	33	R A M C	25/08/1918	Salonika,Gr
THOMSON Kenneth Douglas	2 Lt	29	10th A & S Hlds	18/07/1916	Bray,Fr
WILLIAMSON John	Pte	29	1st HLI	29/03/1905	LeTouret,Fr
WINTON James Cossar	Pte	29	52nd Btn Canadian	31/05/1916	Menin,Be
YOUNG William	Pte	25	7th Btn Canadian	15/08/1917	Vimy,Fr

Mounted on either side of the main Memorial are the 1923 Panels with 60 named parishioners who served.



World War Two

ANDERSON George S.	Sgt	22	106 Squadron RAF	20/12/1942	Amsterdam, Netherlands
ARCHIBALD Douglas Haig	Trp	26	2nd Lothian & Borders Horse RAC	21/02/1943	Enfidaville, Tunisia
BLACK James Leadbetter	Pte	26	7/9th Royal Scots	15/01/1945	Munster Heath, Germany
CANNON Peter	Pte	26	78 Field Rgt RA, Signals Section RCS	16/02/1944	Anzio, Italy
GASCOIGNE George	Pte	27	7th Yorks & Lancasters	05/02/1945	Madras, India
MACGREGOR R Donald	Sgt	30	RAFVR	23/06/1942	Nakurno, Kenya
MYLES John	Sig	24	RCS attached 26th Indian Div	06/05/1944	Maynamati, Bangladesh
ORR Thomas MacLaren	Pte	30	REME	16/10/1942	El Alamein, Egypt
RUSSELL James	Cpl	33	1st London Scottish	06/11/1943	Naples, Italy