



Order of Service

1st June 10:00am

Communion



Worship led by:

Rev. Douglas Nicol

Musicians:

Martin Petty and the choir

Gathering of God's People

Time when we greet one another and prepare for worship. Those who are able please stand for the entry of the Bible. Words of welcome and announcements.

Worshipping God Together

Call to Worship

Minister: From the rising of the sun to its setting, may the Lord's name be praised.

All: Blessed be the name of the Lord now and evermore.

Minister: Give thanks to the Lord, invoke him by name; make known his deeds among the peoples.

All: Pay him honour with song and psalm, and tell of all his marvellous deeds.

Minister: Exult in his hallowed name; let those who seek the Lord be joyful in heart.

All: Look to the Lord and be strong; at all times seek his presence

HYMN CH4 438: 'The Head that once was crowned with thorns'

Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

We ask this in the name of Jesus who taught us to pray:

ALL: 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.

Reflecting on God's Word

Readings: Acts 1: 1-11 and Mark 14: 12-25 read by Margaret Forsyth

HYMN CH4 70 (Psalm 106): 'Give praise and thanks unto the Lord'

Sermon: 'Making a Difference!'

HYMN CH4 533: 'Will you come and follow me?'

Responding to God's word

Prayer for others: Lesley Burt

HYMN CH4 19 (Psalm 24, verses 7-10 and Coda)

'Ye gates, lift up your heads on high'

Choir sings: Jesus, Lamb of God - music by Patrick Appleford

Sacrament of Holy Communion (Bread is Gluten Free)

Choir sings: Glory to God - music by Patrick Appleford

HYMN CH4 497: 'Almighty father of all things that be'

Benediction

Sung Amen, Amen, Amen

Please remain standing as The Bible is removed.

*You are invited to stay for tea and coffee
which are served in the hall.*

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BALERNO PARISH CHURCH
Intimations
Sunday, 1st June 2025

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What's on June 2025

Church Services:

8 June: Church service 10:00 Balerno led by Rev. Derek Munn

15 June: Church service 10:00 Balerno led by Rev. Derek Munn

19 June: Church service 18:45 for 19:00 Currie Kirk. Service of Introduction for new Interim Minister Rev. Roy Henderson. All welcome.

22 June: Church service 10:30 Joint service Currie Kirk with refreshments after service led by Rev. Roy Henderson new Interim Minister.

Intimations

Appointment of Interim Minister: Rev Roy Henderson has been appointed as Interim Minister for Currie and Balerno. Roy is a minister of considerable experience and comes to us from Glasgow: Pollokshaws. His 1st service will be 22nd June a joint service in Currie Kirk 10.30am.

3 & 4 June: Pentland Singers Summer concert Balerno High School 19:30

Tickets £12 on the door, from choir members or online pentlandsingers.org.uk

14 June: Pet Blessing at 11:00am in the garden in front of the church. Bring your pet and get a certificate. With crafts, stalls etc. Come along even if you don't have a pet and join in the fun and possible chaos.

19 June: The service of Introduction for the Rev Roy Henderson as Interim Minister 18:45 for 19:00 in Currie Kirk. The service will be followed by a reception in the Gibson Craig Hall. We look forward to welcoming visitors from Glasgow and beyond and members of the Presbytery of Edinburgh and West Lothian who will come to celebrate with us. Come along and meet our new interim minister.

25 June: Balerno Parish Church Guild annual fundraising event 'Summer Treats' 7pm in the St Joseph's Centre in support of Release International's, 'Operation Hope' Come along, and help raise funds for this National Guild Project by enjoying a glass of Pimms and some sweet treats. Suggested donation of £5.

26 July: Volunteers needed to help deep clean the Ogston Hall Kitchen. If you can help contact Malcolm Ogilvie 07801 456245 or Maureen Woodburn: 449 6343

Palm Café A space for people with dementia and their carers to feel at ease and supported 15:00-16:30 the last Tuesday of the month in St Josephs.