

POLBETH HARWOOD CHURCH

Order of Service

29th December 2019

10.30am Polbeth
United Morning Worship

Clothe yourself
with compassion
kindness
of humility
gentleness
and patience
COLOSSIANS 3:12

Worship led by
Rev Alison Quilter

Organist
Catriona Curtis

Gathering of God's People

Time when we greet one another and prepare for worship.

Feel free to remain seated during worship if this is more comfortable for you.

Remain seated while the offering is received.

Those who are able, please stand for the entry of the Bible.

Words of welcome and intimations.

Worshipping God Together

Call to worship

Minister: We are God's beloved people!

People: Called to lives of kindness, humility and compassion!

Minister: God seeks to clothe us with love and
to bind us together in harmony.

**People: God desires that we bear with one another and
forgive as Christ forgives.**

Minister: We are God's beloved people!

**People: Called to lives of peace and patience;
called to live with grateful hearts.**

All: We worship the God who calls us beloved!

CH4 Hymn 306 O come, all ye faithful
(verses 1,2 & 4)

Opening 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.**

Children's talk: Rev Alison Quilter

CH4 Hymn 316 Love came down at Christmas

There is a crèche available for young children under 3 years of age.
If you wish to use the crèche, you are welcome to return for the remainder of the service.

Reading 1:

1 Samuel, chapter 2, vv 18 – 20, 26 (page 273 of bible)

Reading 2:

Colossians, chapter 3, vv 12 – 17 (page 1184 of bible)

CH4 Hymn 296 While humble shepherds watched their flocks
(Verses 1,3,4 & 6)

Reflection: Rev Alison Quilter

CH4 Hymn 153 Great is thy faithfulness

Responding to God's Word

Our offerings are given for the ministry and mission of the church while the organist plays a hymn

Prayer of dedication, thanksgiving & intercession: Rev Alison Quilter

CH4 Hymn 182 Now thank we all our God

Blessing

Sung Amen

Please remain standing as the Bible is removed.

You are welcome to join us for tea and coffee in the café area



Intimations

A very warm welcome to all to our worship this morning

Sunday 5th January United worship takes place at West Kirk at 10.30am