St Anne's
Order of Service

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Harvest Sunday Service

Thought before Worship

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up."

Galatians 6:9

PRELUDE

Ag Criost an siol - Sein O' Riada

INTROIT

O give thanks - Gelineau

WELCOME AND CHURCH NOTICES

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: "The Lord is faithful in all his words and gracious in all his deeds;

All: He gives food in due season, he upholds all who are bowed down.

Minister: The Lord opens his hand and satisfies the desire of every living thing.

All:Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!"

HYMN CH4 229 We plough the fields and scatter

PRAYER

We say together: **Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy. In your grace, let us know we are forgiven; inspire our hearts with hope, and make us your harvest people once again.**

COLLECT

Almighty God, we offer you hearty thanks for your goodness and care in giving us the fruits of the earth in their seasons. Give us grace to use them rightly, to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; through Jesus Christ, the living bread who came down from heaven and gives life to the world, and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT READING Deuteronomy 26:1-11

TIME TO TALK

HYMN CH4 226 God, whose farm is all creation

NEW TESTAMENT READING Revelation 14:14-18

ANTHEM
Fill your hearts - Sarah Quartel

GOSPEL READING Matthew 13:24-33

HYMN CH4 230 Praise God for the harvest of orchard and field,

SERMON

HYMN CH4 153 Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Minister: God of creation, of life and new relationships,
All: Hear us as we pray.

HYMN CH4 233 Come, you thankful people, come,

BENEDICTION & SUNG AMEN (threefold)

THE BIBLE IS CARRIED OUT;
WE FOLLOW TO SERVE,
IN THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT

POSTLUDE
Wir Pflugen - Richard Lloyd

INTIMATIONS

Tea and coffee are served in the Kaimes Hall, following the service. All are welcome

READER: Yvonne Barrie
UPCOMING SERVICE: October 11, 11am Sunday Service

FOODBANK COLLECTION

Thank you for your wonderful support last week. We collected **111 kg of goods** and received **£115 in donations**. Your kindness makes a real difference.

GUILD

The Guild meets again on **Tuesday October 6 at 2.30pm**. We look forward to welcoming **Kath Hay**, who will speak about *The Shetland Bus*. On the same day, **Lothian Guilds Together** will hold their Autumn Meeting at **Inverleith St Serf's Church at 2pm**, with **Rev. Shahrukkh Gill** speaking on *Beyond the Walls*.

ST ANNES FRIDAY CLUB

Come along on **Friday October 9 at 10.30am** for coffee and a friendly chat.

ST ANNE'S MAGAZINE

Contributions for the next edition of St Anne's Magazine should be sent to the office by **November 1**. This issue covers Advent, Christmas and the start of Lent.

Please be aware this Service is being live streamed, recorded and will be on our website for 1 week