

Covid-19: Don't come if you have symptoms. **Sanitise** your hands on the way in and out. **Respect** each other's personal space. **Face coverings** are no longer required by law, but we encourage you to wear a face covering while entering and leaving and moving around the building. *If you wish*, remove it once you are seated.



St John the Evangelist

Scottish Episcopal Church, Jedburgh
A community of welcome in the Borders

24 April 2022

Second Sunday of Easter

10.00 EUCHARIST—1982 LITURGY

*Welcome to St John's. Our celebrant today is **Canon Bob King**.
Our special guests are **Simon and Grace Stretton-Downes**, whose work
with SIM in Liberia St. John's has long supported.*

Hymn 112 Jesus lives!

PREPARATION

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Collect

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father. **Amen**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

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1st reading: Acts 5:27—32 *(p.131 in pew Bible)*

Gospel: Luke 10:25—37 *(p.76 in pew Bible)*

Sermon, Intercessions, Peace

Hymn 420 O Jesus, I have promised

With the easing of Covid restrictions, we are cautiously reintroducing the chalice for those who wish to receive wine at communion. If you do, remain standing after you have received and consumed the wafer; if not, just sit down. For hygiene reasons, intinction (dipping the wafer in the wine) is not possible.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER AND COMMUNION

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Prayer after Communion

Father, we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands the bread of life. Strengthen our faith that we may grow in love for you and for each other; through Jesus Christ the risen Lord.

Amen

Hymn 137 Come down, O Love divine.

Blessing

Today we are asked to pray for Pat Lees, Syd Farquharson, Colin and Helen Wilkins, Joan Hodges, David and Hilary Ogilvie, and the families of Margaret Grover, Mary Ferguson and Rev. Margaret Pedersen.

St. John's is in interregnum

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