PARISH OF WEST MORAY – KINLOSS – SUNDAY – 22nd NOVEMBER 2026

Welcome

Hymn – MP 109 – Crown Him with Many Crowns

1. Crown Him with many crowns,
the Lamb upon His throne;
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns
all music but its own:
awake, my soul, and sing
of Him who died for thee,
and hail Him as thy chosen King
through all eternity.

2. Crown Him the Son of God
before the worlds began:
and ye who tread where He hath trod,
crown Him the Son of Man,
who every grief hath known
that wrings the human breast,
and takes and bears them for His own,
that all in Him may rest.

3. Crown Him the Lord of life,
who triumphed o'er the grave,
and rose victorious in the strife,
for those He came to save:
His glories now we sing,
who died and rose on high,
who died eternal life to bring,
and lives that death may die.

4. Crown Him the Lord of heaven,
enthroned in worlds above;
crown Him the King to whom is given
the wondrous name of Love:
all hail, Redeemer, hail!
for Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise shall never, never fail
Throughout eternity.

Hymn – MP 175 – Glory Be to God in Heaven

1. Glory be to God in heaven,
and to all on earth, His peace;
Lord and Father, King in glory,
gifts of praise in us release,
so our worship and thanksgiving
from our hearts will never cease.

2. Christ incarnate, sent by Father
to redeem, renew, restore;
risen Lamb, in glory seated,
hear our prayers, Lord, we implore.
Now to Father, Son, and Spirit
be all glory evermore.

Scripture Reading (NIV) – Revelation 5:1–14 - 1 Then I saw
in the right hand of him who sat on the throne a scroll with
writing on both sides and sealed with seven seals. 2 And I saw
a mighty angel proclaiming in a loud voice, “Who is worthy to
break the seals and open the scroll?” 3 But no one in heaven
or on earth or under the earth could open the scroll or even
look inside it. 4 I wept and wept because no one was found
who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside. 5 Then one
of the elders said to me, “Do not weep! See, the Lion of the
tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to
open the scroll and its seven seals.” 6 Then I saw a Lamb,
looking as if it had been slain, standing at the centre of the
throne, encircled by the four living creatures and the elders.
The Lamb had seven horns and seven eyes, which are the
seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth. 7 He went and
took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the
throne. 8 And when he had taken it, the four living creatures
and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb. Each
one had a harp and they were holding golden bowls full of
incense, which are the prayers of God’s people. 9 And they
sang a new song, saying: “You are worthy to take the scroll
and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your
blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and
language and people and nation. 10 You have made them to
be a kingdom and priests to serve our God, and they will reign
on the earth.” 11 Then I looked and heard the voice of many
angels, numbering thousands upon thousands, and ten
thousand times ten thousand. They encircled the throne and
the living creatures and the elders. 12 In a loud voice they were
saying: “Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power
and wealth and wisdom and strength and honour and glory
and praise!” 13 Then I heard every creature in heaven and on
earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in
them, saying: “To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb
be praise and honour and glory and power, for ever and ever!”
14 The four living creatures said, “Amen,” and the elders fell
down and worshipped.

Hymn – MP 673 – There Is a Redeemer

1. There is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One.
Thank You, O my Father,
for giving us Your Son,
and leaving Your Spirit
till the work on earth is done.

2. Jesus, my Redeemer,
name above all names,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
O for sinners slain:
Thank You, O my Father,
for giving us Your Son,
and leaving Your Spirit
till the work on earth is done.

3. When I stand in glory
I will see His face,
and there I'll serve my King for ever
in that holy place.
Thank You, O my Father,
for giving us Your Son,
and leaving Your Spirit
till the work on earth is done.

Prayer

Sermon

Prayer

Hymn – MP 755 – When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
on which the Prince of glory died,
my richest gain I count but loss,
and pour contempt upon my pride.

2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
save in the death of Christ my God:
all the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to His blood.

3. See from His head, His hands, His feet,
sorrow and love flow mingled down:
did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
or thorns compose so rich a crown?

4. Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were an offering far too small,
love so amazing, so divine,
demands my souls, my life, my all.

Holy Communion

Hymn – MP 162 – From Heaven You Came

1. From heaven You came, helpless babe,
entered our world, Your glory veiled,
Not to be served but to serve,
And give Your life that we might live.
This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.

2. There in the garden of tears
my heavy load He chose to bear:
His heart with sorrow was torn,
"Yet not my will but yours," He said.
This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.

3. Come see His hands and His feet,
the scars that speak of sacrifice,
hands that flung stars into space
to cruel nails surrendered.
This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.

4. So let us learn how to serve
and in our lives enthrone Him,
each other's needs to prefer,
for it is Christ we're serving.
This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.

Prayer for the Offering

Hymn – MP 13 – All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

1.All hail the power of Jesus' name!
let angels prostrate fall;
bring forth the royal diadem,
and crown Him Lord of all.

2.Crown Him, ye martyrs of our God,
who from His altar call;
extol the stem of Jesse's rod,
and crown Him Lord of all.

3.Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
and ransomed from the fall,
hail Him who saves you by His grace,
and crown Him Lord of all.

4.Let every kindred, every tribe,
on this terrestrial ball,
to Him all majesty ascribe,
and crown Him Lord of all.

5.O that with yonder sacred throng
we at His feet may fall,
join in the everlasting song,
and crown Him Lord of all!

Benediction & Amen

Hymn - MP 460 - May God's Blessing surround you

May God's blessing surround you each day,
as you trust Him and walk in His way.
May His presence within guard and keep you from sin,
go in peace, go in joy, go in love.