

# SCRIPTURE READINGS

## Matthew 11: 16—19

“To what can I compare this generation? They are like children sitting in the market places and calling out to others:



“‘We played the pipe for you,  
and you did not dance;  
we sang a dirge,  
and you did not mourn.’

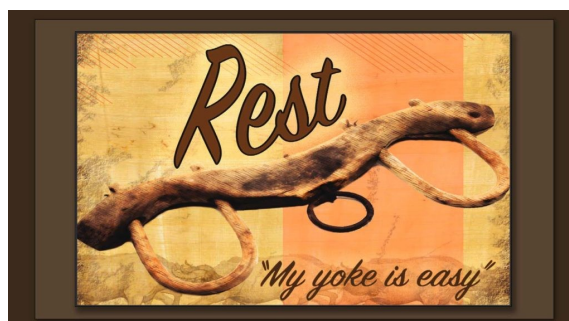
For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, ‘He has a demon.’ The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, ‘Here is a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners.’ But wisdom is proved right by her deeds.”

## Matthew 11: 25—30—The Father Revealed in the Son

At that time Jesus said, “I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children. Yes, Father, for this is what you were pleased to do.

“All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.”





Patricia Margaret Walkingshaw, known as Patty, late of Currie, passed away on 18 June in Southport.

Mrs Walkingshaw's funeral was held in Currie Kirk Graveyard on Friday 3 July at 12.30.

Please pray for the family.

*Congratulations to:*



*Nora and Hope Hogg who were married on the 30 April 1955 at St Ninian's Church in Aberdeen.*

*Nora and Hope have received their second congratulatory card from The Queen.*

### **"On Demand by Phone service"**

Balerno has an "On Demand by Phone service" where members of our congregations can phone to the following number: **0131 546 4955** and then listen to the sermon.

This is available to anyone, especially those who are visually impaired. It is a local call and most people will have such calls in their inclusive minutes or call plan. The sermon for Sunday would be uploaded by Saturday ready for people who can from Sunday onwards listen to the Bible reading and the sermon over the telephone.

### **Future Dates whilst the Minister takes a holiday**

To allow ministers to take a break in July The Moderator the Rev Dr Martin Fair has provided two services which will be held on 12 and 26 July.

**12 July**     <https://www.dropbox.com/t/F3x7qKudymcnpHEi>

**19 July**     **Grant Gordon**

**26 July**     <https://www.dropbox.com/t/eR0LqF1QKPg91oHr>

**Please note there will be no pdf files for distribution on 12 and 26 July.**

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