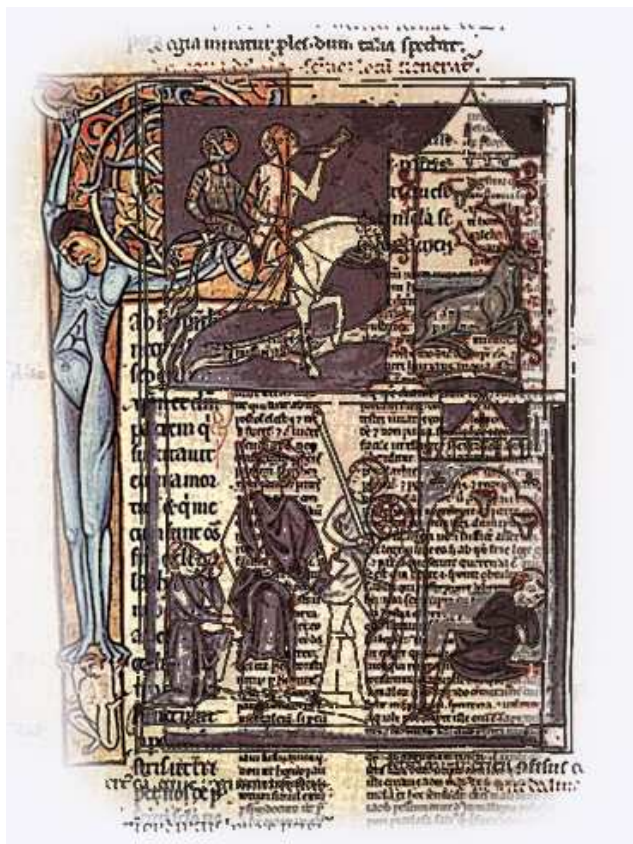


Celebrating St Andrew

2011



In song, dance, drama and prayer



Andrew: apostle and friend of the Lord, brother of Simon Peter, fisherman from Capernaum on the Sea of Galilee, disciple of John the Baptist, patron of Greece where he was martyred, of Russia, and of Scotland which sports his cross on its national flag.

In the Gospels Andrew is the one who introduces Peter to Jesus, brings the Greek visitors to Jerusalem to meet him, and brings forward the little boy with the loaves and fishes. He has a quite distinct role to play each time, and this may be part of the reason that more is understood of him than of most of the other apostles.

By medieval times there were more than 600 churches dedicated to him in England, and very many in Scotland where his relics were kept from the 8th century in the Fife town of St Andrew's. Many contemporary churches and schools invoke Andrew as patron, and this Cantata was written in 1981 to help schools in particular enjoy giving him honour

**St Andrew Cantata- St Mungo's Townhead.
Tuesday 15th November 2011.**

Scottish Parliament has provided small St Andrew flags for each child.

All children to wear a small St Andrew's cross or a hint of tartan.

After the rehearsal we listen to a gentle piece on the Clarsach

Entry Hymn

Hymn is played first, then sung as procession processes in.

Hymn to St Andrew

When Christ our Lord to Andrew cried: "Come, thou, and follow me," the fisher left his net beside the Sea of Galilee.

To teach the truth the Master taught, to tread the path he trod was all his will and thus he brought unnumbered souls to God.

When Andrew's hour had come, and he was doomed, like Christ to die, he kissed his cross exultingly, and this his noble cry:

"O noble cross! O precious wood! I long have yearned for thee; uplift me to my only good who died on thee for me."

'The faith that Andrew taught once shone o'er all this kingdom fair, the cross that Jesus died upon was honoured everywhere. But times once changed and Andrew's name was for a while forgot, the cross, though set in kingly crown, became a sign of shame.'

St Andrew now in bliss above, thy fervent prayers renew that Scotland yet again may love the faith, entire and true; that I the cross allotted me may bear with patient love! 'Twill lift me, as it lifted thee, to reign with Christ above.

Procession led by Banners, St Andrew & tableaux, saints, & child carrying the book of readings.

Banners – banner must be able to stand freely.;

John Paul 11

Our Lady of Good Aid, Cathedral School, Motherwell

Our Lady of Peace

Our Lady of the Rosary

Our Lady of the Missions
Our Lady of Loretto
Holy Cross
St Bartholomew's
St Rose of Lima
St Catherine's
St Martha's
Broomhill Primary

Banners are placed on the back altar.

Tableaux : *St Andrew, John the Baptist, Boy with fishes and followers* ***Broomhill Primary***
(Andrew in costume & carrying a net so that when his name is mentioned he can play the net as if fishing)
John the Baptist (When his name is mentioned points his finger)
Boy with fishes.

Tableaux form a group at the side of the front altar space.

*Saints in procession – St **Monica's***
The child dressed in costume & carry a placard with the name of the saint, or a picture or symbol of that saint.
St Mungo , St Ninian , St Columba , St Patrick , St David, St Enoch, St John Ogilvie , St Margaret of Scotland

The saints sit in a semi circle in the front space of the altar, forming a backdrop for the tableaux

Pupil from St Conval's bearing the book of readings places it on Lectern and leads everyone in the prayer . –

Father,
**Here in this book
Are the hopes and dreams of God's people.
Here in this book
are the hopes and dreams of our people of
Scotland.
Keep us true to your word
Joyful in the praise of your name
And ready to serve you in our neighbour**

Welcome in English & Russian – *Our Lady of Peace*

Prayer –led by *St Batholomew’s*

St Andrew introduced Peter, the Greek visitors, and the little boy with loaves & fishes, to your Son, Jesus Christ.

All

**May we be like him in sharing friendship and hospitality,
and in faithfulness to Jesus
and his Kingdom of justice, love & peace.**

**May our country be a community in which everyone matters,
everyone has an honoured place,
and the dignity of each is assured
by our faith in you as Father of all.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. AMEN**


Reading from the New Testament in Scots (Translated by William Lorimer) The call of Andrew from St Matthew’s Gospel– St Michael’s Parkhead

Ae day he wis traivlin aside the Loch o’ Galilee whan he saw twa brithers , Simon , caa’d Peter , an Andro his brither , castin a net intil the loch ; for they war fishers tae tredd.
“Come efter me,” qo he til them , “ an I s’mak ye men -fishers “
An strecht they quat their nets an fallowt him

Gaein on faurer , he saw ithar twa brithers , Jeames , the son o’ Zebedee , an his brither John.
They war until their boat , tae, wi’ their faither Zebedee , beetin their nets ; an he caa’d them , an immedentlie they quat the boat an fallowt him.

Ps 18 led by *Our Lady of Good Aid Cathedral School, Motherwell.*

Response



Their voice has gone out, they fill the earth, the word of the Lord is heard.

The glory of the Lord is proclaimed, the heavens show the work of his hands. Day unto day takes up the story, and night makes it known to night.

Their voice has gone out, they fill the earth

No speech, no word, no voice is heard, yet their voice goes out throughout the earth, their words to the limits of the world, and their voice fills the earth. **Their voice has gone out**

Reading from Good News Bible: John 1 35-42 Broomhill's tableaux

Cantata.

*Verses led by **Our Lady of the Missions & St Rose of Lima**
For Cantata only a group of 10 max from each school goes to the sanctuary and group themselves on either side of the altar.*

St Andrew Cantata

Solo: Our Lady of the Missions & St Rose of Lima

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All Children

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Solo led by Our Lady of the Missions

John the Baptist pointed out: "Jesus is the Promised One. He will lead the people forward, show them that his Father's Kingdom is among them."

All Children

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Solo led by St Rose of Lima

Andrew told Peter that he'd found the promised Saviour, brought him to Jesus, spent his life that way. Others, who realized there's more to life than meets the eye joined the two brothers in following the Lord.

All Children

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Solo led by Our Lady of the Missions

Andrew brought some Greeks along, strangers to Jerusalem.
From the Temple where they prayed they came to meet
the Prophet, Preacher, Wonder-worker!

When Jesus fed more than five thousand men and women,
Andrew found the little boy with five loaves and fish.

All Children

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Solo led by St Rose of Lima

So the Gospels indicate that Andrew was an “introducer”,
he made it easy for people to meet Christ.
That’s why so many countries chose him as their patron saint,
he followed Jesus, showed the way for us.

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Clarsach piece

Drama by Our Lady of the Rosary School

***Intercessions :St Rose of Lima, Gaelic School, St Timothy’s
St Roch’s, St Kevin’s***

Our Father led by Our Lady of Loretto

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done

on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive
those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen

Dance : St Martha's & St Kevin's.

***Flag & famous people in history: John Paul 11 School.
Two presenters read out the information about the flag & the
names of the famous people in history***

***As each group is called the people carrying a placard bearing
picture or symbol of their calling comes forward until the 8
are standing in front of the congregation. Then go to their
appointed place.***

The St Andrew's flag reflects the pride of the Scots in having St Andrew the apostle as a patron saint since the 9th century. When the people of Scotland were united after the Battle at Athelstanford the King made a fresh start with a new flag.

People who have shared pride in being Scots include:

Alexander Graham Bell 1847-1922
Inventor of the Telephone

Alexander Graham Bell was an inventor, most famous for his work on the development of the telephone.

Bell was granted a patent for the telephone in 1876 and within a year the first telephone exchange was built in Connecticut. When Bell died he was a very wealthy man.

John Logie Baird 1888 – 1946
Inventor of The Television

John Logie Baird was born in Helensburgh, Dunbartonshire.

He invented Television in 1926. He also helped the BBC begin the first public television service in 1932.

When he died he was buried in Helensburgh.

Sir Alex Ferguson 1941- Manchester United Manager

Sir Alex Ferguson, CBE, was born in Glasgow. He is currently managing Manchester United, where he has been in charge since 1986. During this time his side have had great success in England and Europe

He is the third British manager to win the European Cup on more than one occasion.

Sir Alexander Fleming 1881-1955 Scottish Bacteriologist

Alexander Fleming was born near Darvel, Ayrshire and won the Nobel prize for Medicine in 1945..

It was in 1928 that he discovered Penicillan quite by accident

Penicillin is widely used to combat a wide range of bacterial strains within the human body

J.K. Rowling 1965- Writer

Although not born in Scotland, it was whilst living in Edinburgh that J.K. Rowling wrote the “Harry Potter” books which have made her world famous.

Her Harry Potter books have been made into blockbuster films and have introduced the world to such terms as “Quiddich”, “Muggles” and of course “Hogwarts”.

**James Young Simpson 1811 – 1870
Doctor and Anaesthetist**

Sir James Young Simpson was an important figure in the development of chloroform as an anaesthetic. As a result of this development doctors could operate without the trauma of the patient being awake throughout.

David Livingstone 1813 – 1875 African Missionary

David Livingstone was born in Blantyre. He studied Medicine and Theology at Glasgow University.

He spent 30 years in Africa exploring almost one third of the continents from the south almost to the Equator. He was the first European Explorer to see the Victoria Falls.

**Alexander Mackenzie 1764 – 1820
Builder, Explorer and Politician**

Alexander MacKenzie was born in Perthshire.
By the age of 20 he immigrated to Canada.

He steadily moved into politics and became the leader of the Liberal Party. He became the 2nd Prime Minister of Canada in 1874.

Dance: St Ninian's Primary dances as the procession prepares

*Procession with Donation (in an envelope from each school)
Donation will be given to St Andrew's Hospice*

*During this we sing
Make me a channel of your peace.*

*Thanks in English & Irish Gaelic: **Holy Cross**
Thanks from Educational representative.*

Blessing

Piper: Glasgow Gaelic School

*Final Hymn – Highland Cathedral led by **St Catherine's***

God, our Creator, hear us sing in praise,
God, always tender. God who knows our ways.
God, always present, God who really cares.
We offer thanks for all the love you share.

We sing in praise for the great gifts you give:
all of creation, ev'rything that lives,
glories of nature, our own time on earth,
sending your Son among us proves our worth.

**Loud is our praise as we sing of you,
one with people of faith, ancient and new.
Bless us afresh with your grace, we pray.
Help us witness your love today.**

Gathered together, sisters-brothers all,
baptised in Jesus, faithful to your call,
we are one fam'ly. May your will be done
and, for all people, may your Kingdom come.
'God who is love', you are Our Father true;
Jesus, our brother, fully human too;
Spirit, your presence, with us every day.
Love is your essence, Love our truest way.

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Schools participating

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Our Lady of the Missions	Our Lady of the Rosary
St Bartholomew's	St Catherine's
St Conval's	St Kevins
St Martha's	St Michael's, Parkhead
St Monica's	St Ninian's
St Roch's	St Rose of Lima
St Timothy's	

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Instrumentalists: Flute: Lorraine Campbell and Marie Clare Rankin. Clarinet: Monica McKirdie. Horn: Pauline McNicol. Keyboard: Gerry Fitzpatrick. Guitar: Ann Marie Berrie and Tony Byatt. Percussion: Joanne Murtagh. Conducted by Mrs Maria Shields. Amplification: Andy Brady.

Please take this programme home with you.