

**At Ardrossan, and within Barony St John's Parish Church Parish Church on the twenty first day of January 2009, which place and date the Presbytery of Ardrossan men *in hunc effectum* and was constituted with prayer.**

SEDERUNT: Mr R Lavalette (Moderator) Dr J R McKay (Clerk) I Bristow, MLK Howie, W R Johnston, A F McGurk, E McKinnon, J J McNay, A B Noble, B H Oxburgh, A Robertson, F C Ross, S J Smith, V G C Watson, Ministers ; A Buick; G Cunningham, J Forsyth, R Lavalette, V Macdonald, J McSwan, N Martin, C Massie, R A Richardson, G Ross, A K Saunderson, W F Turner, C Welch, K S Welch, R F Welch, Elders; R McCool, Revd A Montgomerie, Corresponding Members

APOLOGIES were received from D J H Harbison, R I T Macdonald, J Selfridge, Ministers, S Marr, N Smith, H Young, Elders.

ASSOCIATED WITH PRESBYTERY: It was agreed to associate with the Presbytery the Revd J Davidson (Irvine & Kilmarnock, D L Harper, Ayr, Very Revd M McManus, Roman Catholic Church, F Wilson (Hamilton) the Very Revd Dr David Lacy (Irvine and Kilmarnock) Revd David Young (Greenock and Paisley)

AUTHORITY TO MEET: There was laid on the table the minute of the meeting of 2 December 2009 appointing this day for the ordination and induction of Mrs Dorothy Granger to the pastoral charge of Ardrossan: Barony St John's

WELCOME The Moderator welcomed those who had asked to be associated with the Presbytery on this occasion.

INDUCTION The Presbytery then proceeded to the Church. The Revd Marion Howie, assisted by Revd Andrew Robertson conducted worship. The Clerk gave a brief narrative of the proceedings in the call to Mrs Granger and the Moderator addressed to him the questions appointed to be put to ministers on their Ordination and Induction to a pastoral charge, and she, having answered the questions satisfactorily, and having signed the Formula, the Revd Dr Johnston McKay by prayer and with the laying on of hands ordained her to the office of the Holy Ministry and inducted her to the pastoral charge of Ardrossan: Barony St John's. Prayer being ended, the Moderator addressed Mrs Granger in terms of the prescribed form, declared her to be inducted, and gave her the right hand of fellowship, as did the members of Presbytery present. Thereafter Revd Marion Howie addressed Mrs Granger and the congregation and preached the sermon.

The Presbytery retired to the hall where the Clerk was instructed to add Mrs Granger's name to the Roll of Presbytery, to send certified intimation of the Induction to the Kirk Session of Ardrossan: Barony St John's and to the Council of Ministries. The officiating ministers were thanked. Revd Fiona Ross was thanked for her services as Interim Moderator and discharged from these duties, and the Mr Alan Saunderson was thanked for undertaking most of the funerals since April 2008.

NEXT MEETING The Presbytery adjourned to meet within Saltcoats: New Trinity Church on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2009 for the conduct of ordinary business.

CLOSED WITH PRAYER

Moderator

Clerk