



## Tain and Fearn Free Church

**Today – 5<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

**Hilton 10am and Tain 11:30am**

Rev Andrew Macleod

One Last Time

Deuteronomy 30:11-20 (p209)

**Hilton 5pm and Tain 6:30pm**

Mr Jeff Townend

Thus Far the Lord Has Helped Us

1 Samuel 4:1-10 and 7: 3-17

Tea & Coffee are served after the morning service

6:05 pm: Informal time of prayer in Tain Hall

**Monday:** Hilton Lunch is off until the 13<sup>th</sup> January

**Tuesday:** 7pm – Road to Recovery meets in Tain Hall

**Wednesday:** Discussion Forum and Open Prayer  
Hilton 7:30pm and Tain 7:30pm

**Thursday:** *Casan Beaga* is off this week

**Friday:** 11am – *New Church Prayer Time*.  
12 noon – Tain Lunch in Church Hall

**Next Sunday:** Morning: Rev Alasdair Macaulay  
Evening: Mr Colin Fast

**Sermon CDs:** If you wish a CD or MP3 of any of the Tain services contact Tom or Catherine Walker on 892 384 or [tom@tain.co.uk](mailto:tom@tain.co.uk)

### **Assistant Minister:**

Today will be Andrew's final sermon as our assistant minister. However, Andrew and the family will remain with us until March while he completes his sabbatical. On Wednesday, Andrew will travel to Moldova. Please pray for his safety and speaking engagements.

There will be an event in February to mark Andrew's ministry amongst us. Details TBC.

### **Steadfast Global:**

Around 365 million Christians are subject to "high levels of persecution and discrimination". This compared to 340 million in 2021. 1 in 7 Christians are persecuted worldwide. The number of countries ranked as conducting "extreme" or "very high" persecution has risen from 23 in 2015 to 55 in 2023. Keep praying for the work of Steadfast Global.

### **Discussion Questions for Wednesday:**

1. How were the OT believers saved? (cf. Hab 2:4, Rom 4:23-24)
2. What does Moses say will happen if Israel don't choose God? (Deut 30:17-18).
3. If you had one last opportunity to share the gospel with an unbeliever, what would you say?

### **The Record:**

Payment of *The Record* for 2024 is now due. The cost is £15 for this year. Whether paying online or into the collection box, can you ensure your payment is identifiable. The cost of the Record is increasing to £3 per edition in 2025. The cost for the year will be £20 payable at the end of end of next year.

If you would like a visit, speak to one of the elders or the minister:

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*I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go  
to the house of the LORD." Psalm 122:1*