



Words for Wondering

An Advent to Epiphany Course from the
Diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney

Thursday 29th January
Letters



Scripture: Titus 1: 1-5

Paul, a servant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ, for the sake of the faith of God's elect and the knowledge of the truth that is in accordance with godliness, in the hope of eternal life that God, who never lies, promised before the ages began— in due time he revealed his word through the proclamation with which I have been entrusted by the command of God our Saviour, To Titus, my loyal child in the faith we share:

Grace and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Saviour.

I left you behind in Crete for this reason, that you should put in order what remained to be done, and should appoint elders in every town, as I directed you:

Reflection

Today is the day the Scottish Episcopal Church remembers Timothy and Titus. They were Timothy and Titus were both chosen as bishops in the apostolic age of the early Church, and each received letters attributed to Saint Paul that are included in the New Testament (1 & 2 Timothy, Titus). When was the last time you wrote a letter to someone - perhaps someone important in your faith journey. Perhaps you could write them a letter of encouragement on this day?

To Listen

By All Your Saints Still Striving (trad.) and Unchanging by Chris Tomlin