

SCOTLAND 1560–1641

Special acts of worship as given in *National Prayers* volume 1, amended with material from ‘Additions and corrections to volume 1, 1537–1660’, Appendix 1 in *National Prayers*, volume 4.

The amendments are identified by the following letters:

^A additional occasion

^F further document or information

Additional occasions have been given new codes, in some cases introducing a different style of designation, e.g. 1638–Sa, 1630–S1a, etc.

1560–S	^F	thanksgiving prayer	peace treaty of Edinburgh, success of the reformation
1566–S1		fast days	perceived threats to the reformed church
1566–S2	^F	fast days	perceived threats to the reformed church
1566–S3	^A	prayers and readings	Queen Mary’s illness, pestilence, impiety and famine
1566–S4	^A	thanksgiving prayers	Queen Mary’s recovery from illness
1567–S1	^F	fast days	sinfulness, hunger amongst the poor, and persecuted continental protestants
1567–S2		fast days	consolidation of the reformation
1569–S		fast days	[unknown]
1572–S		fast days	catholic threat after St Bartholomew’s day
1574–S	^A	fast days	general sinfulness
1577–S		fast days	defence of protestantism across Europe
1578–S		fast days	sinfulness, famine, threats to the church
1582–S		fast days	catholic conspiracies, church finances
1583–S	^F	fast days	catholic conspiracies, law breaking, factions, threats to the church and bad influences on the king
1587–S		prayers	safety of Queen Mary
1588–S1		fast days	catholic conspiracies, church difficulties
1588–S2		prayers and fast days	threat of Spanish invasion
1588–S3		thanksgiving days	defeat of the Spanish armada
1589–Sa	^A	fast and prayers	safe arrival of Queen Anna
1589–S	^F	weekly fast days	James VI’s return from Denmark
1591–S		fast day	alleged conspiracies of the earl of Bothwell and the North Berwick witches
1592–S		fast days	catholic conspiracies, sinfulness
1593–S1		fast day	James VI’s success against catholic conspiracies
1593–S2	^F	fast day	threats to reformed church and to James VI
1594–S1		thanksgiving service	birth of Prince Henry
1594–S2		fast day	meeting of parliament
1594–S3		fast days	[unknown causes]
1594–S4	^A	fast day	for king’s success against catholic lords
1595–S		fast days	general troubles
1596–S1	^F	fast days	threats of Spanish invasion, dearth
1596–S2		fast day	religious tensions
1600–S		thanksgiving days	discovery of the Gowrie plot
1601–S		fast days	general sinfulness
1605–S	^A	thanksgiving services	discovery of the gunpowder plot
1614–S	^A	fast	safety of the king and for good weather
1615–S	^A	fast days	catholic threats
1621–S	^F	fast days	contempt of religion, royal safety, Ottoman threat, persecution of protestants in Europe

1622-S	F	fast days	sinfulness, dearth, persecution of protestants in Europe
1622-S1	A	thanksgiving	peace in the church of France
1623-S1		fast days	famine, idolatry, Prince Charles's proposed Spanish marriage
1623-S2		thanksgiving service	Prince Charles's return from Spain
1625-S	F	weekly fast days	plague in London, the armed forces, an abundant harvest
1626-S	A	fast days	bad weather, wars in Germany and Spanish threat
1627-S		fast days	popery, persecution of protestants in Europe
1628-S	F	fast days	persecution of protestants in Europe, sinfulness, success in war against France
1628-S1	A	fast day	persecution of protestants in Europe, bad weather
1630-S		thanksgiving prayer	birth of Prince Charles
1637-S		thanksgiving prayer	birth of Princess Anne
1638-Sa	A	fast day	support for the national covenant
1638-Sb	A	fast days	support for the national covenant
1638-Sc	A	fast days	negotiations between covenanters and the king's commissioner
1638-Sd	A	fast day	preparation for general assembly
1638-Se	A	fast day	success of general assembly (covenanters)
1638-S1		fast day	success of general assembly (royal order)
1638-S2		thanksgiving	achievements of the general assembly
1639-Sa	A	fast day	success of general assembly and parliament
1639-S		fast day	general evils, general assembly and parliament
1640-Sa	A	fast day	general troubles, and success of commissioners to the royal court
1640-S1		fast days	general evils, failure of parliament and the peace negotiations
1640-S1a	A	fast day	success of the next general assembly
1640-S2	F	fast days	preparations for war with England
1640-S3	A	fast days	success of the Scottish and English parliaments
1641-Sa	A	fast day	for the army, covenant, and reform in England
1641-ES	F	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of London
1641-S	F	fast days	domestic divisions, the Irish rebellion, protestants in Europe