For October 19th.

Prove that it is our duty to attend regularly upon the ordinary services of the Sanctuary.

PROOF 1st—LEVITICUS XXIII, 3. 2nd—PSALM LXV, 4. 3rd—PSALM LXXXIV, 4. 4th—PSALM CL. 1. 5th—ECCL. V, 1. 6th—IS. LXVI, 23. 7th—MATTH. XVIII, 19. 20. 8th—1st COR. XIV, 14. 23. 9th—HEBR. X, 25.

For October 26th.

Examples of those who valued and waited upon God in His public ordinances.

PROOF 1st—PSALM XLII, 4. CXXII, 1 : LXXXIV, 2. 7. 10. 2nd—ACTS III, 1. 3rd—ACTS XI, 25. 26. 4th—ACTS XIII, 14. 15. 5th—ACTS XVI, 13. 6th—ACTS XVII, 2. 7th—ACTS XX, 7. 8th—1st COR. XI, 1.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND'S MISSIONS IN TURKEY.

WE are sure our readers will hear with delight that, as one of the first fruits of our connection with Turkey in the late War, the Church of Scotland is preparing to take advantage of any opening which may occur of preaching the Gospel to the Jews in the dominions of the Sultan. Already we have occupied a missionary station at Salonica, lately vacated by the American missionaries, and are about to enter Smyrna too. We hope very soon to report the progress of our work there. Meanwhile we quote the following sentences from correspondence lately published in the *News of the Churches*, which will be read with interest:—

"You may be aware that the American mission to the Jews is now discontinued, and the missionaries transferred to labour among the Armenians or Turks. We are happy to add that the places of these brethren at Salonica and Smyrna are now likely to be soon supplied by missionaries from the Established Church of Scotland. The missionaries have already reached this city. You are aware that in both of the above-mentioned cities there is a very large Judæo-Spanish population ; and it is greatly to be desired that, in a land the most free to missionary effort of any on the Continent, perhaps in the World, something more should be done for this interesting people.

"The friends of the Gospel will naturally be desirous to learn whether the liberty of conscience, lately proclaimed to the Turks, is producing any effect. I can at least say that many copies of