

INTIMATIONS

WELCOME to our Worship today. If you are visiting we hope you enjoy being with us, and we invite you to sign the Visitors' Book. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall after the morning service. The Church and hall have loop systems and those with hearing aids should switch to position 'T'.

SUNDAY CLUB AND FYF Sunday Club and FYF meet today at 10.50am. As always there is a Crèche for pre-school children each Sunday morning.

There will be a Messy Church Fun Day on Saturday 28th March between 2.00 – 3.55pm, open to all Primary School Aged Children. Registration forms will be made available through the local school as well as the Sunday Club

PRAYER GROUP The prayer group will meet again on Wednesday 18th March at 10am in the small hall.

PASTORAL CARE TEAM Please contact Liz Glashan, the coordinator (01349 861532), if you need help in any way. The team are willing volunteers who will do their best to assist. Do remember to allow time for arrangements to be made.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY The members of this group are continuing to study the Scottish Bible Society's material for Lent called "Conversations". We meet in the Church Hall on Wednesday 18th March at 1.30pm and we will look at Matthew 12: 1-14. Do come along if you can. A warm welcome awaits you.

STATED ANNUAL MEETING The Stated Annual Meeting of this church will take place on Wednesday 18th March at 7.00pm in the Church hall.

CHOIR PRACTICE The choir is asked to meet at 10.15am next Sunday, 22nd March to practise the music for Easter.

EVENING SERVICE There will be no evening service next week. The Kirk Session have elected to cancel the evening service in order to support a special praise service at Castle Street on 22nd March, beginning at 6.30pm. At this service a choir from Arda, Romania will be singing, so please, if you can, go along and support this.

PASTORAL DUTIES Rev'd Graham can be contacted on 861275 if required for any Pastoral duties. The minister will be on holiday from 19th – 28th March. Pastoral cover will be available from Rev'd Scott Polworth (01463 870259).

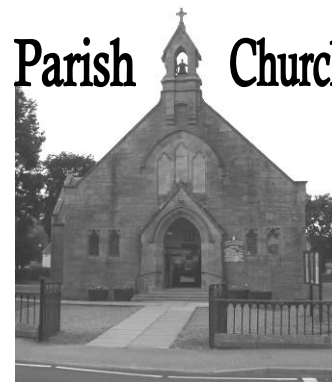
Services next Sunday

Morning Service at 11.00 am with Mrs Heidi Hercus

No Evening Service

Registered Charity no. SCO12675

Ferintosh Parish Church



(If you are able, please stand as the Bible is brought in and taken out)

Order of Service

for

Sunday 15th March 2015

**11.00 am
Morning Service**

Rev'd Andrew F. Graham

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn: 120 'God, we praise you'

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 485 'Dear Lord and Father of mankind'

Readings

Genesis 1: 1 - 2, 26 - 31 (*page 3 in Bible*)

John 1: 1- 18 (*page 1063 in Bible*)

Hymn: 596

'Breathe on me, Breath of God'

Sermon

Hymn: 561

'Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!'

Prayer

Hymn: 110

'Glory be to God the Father'

Benediction

Evening Service at 6.30 pm with Rev'd Andrew F. Graham

Welcome and Intimations

MP: 729 'We have come into His house'

Prayer

MP: 229 'Here I am, wholly available'

Reading

John 7: 33 - 44 (*page 1072 in Bible*)

MP: 247

'How lovely is Thy dwelling-place'

MP: 554

'Peace is flowing like a river'

Address

MP: 506

'O Lord my God!'

Doxology

Easter Services

Maundy Thursday 2nd April at 7.00pm in the Church

Good Friday 3rd April at 7.00pm in the Church

Easter Early Morning Service at 08.30am
(followed by breakfast in the hall)

Easter Family Service at 11.00am

No Evening Service on Easter Sunday

GUILD This will be a quite different meeting and will be held in the Church on Monday 30th March at 7.30pm. At the beginning of Holy Week, there is to be Music and Meditation for Eastertide. You do not need to be a Guild member to come along and contemplate on the Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please try to come along to make a reflective start to Holy Week. The AGM of the Guild will follow this.

WYCLIFFE Malcolm Gardiner from Wycliffe Bible translators is speaking in Maryburgh Free Church at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 25th March. Everybody is welcome to come along that evening.

Jump for Joy!! Skydive for Blythswood

Have an experience of a lifetime and help transform a child's life. We have organised a Skydive to help raise funds for Talia Kum which is an after school care centre in Romania. The children who attend this come from some of the poorest households in Jimbolia, Romania. At the centre they receive help with homework, a nourishing meal, clothes and a shower once a week. Please consider taking part in this and tell friends and family.

*Date - Saturday 13 June 2015
At Fife Airport*

Contact Adrienne Dempster for more information adrienne.dempster@blythswood.org or

01349 830777.

Please take this home with you to
help you with your prayers this week.

He will not crush the weakest reed or put out a flickering candle. Finally he will cause justice to be victorious. And his name will be the hope of all the world. Matthew 12: 20,21 (New Living Translation)

- † Heavenly Father, thank you for making each individual in your image, to be born, and in an ideal world, nurtured by their mother. Please help women needing extra strength to cope with difficult challenges facing them and their children.
- † Remember people whose lives have been devastated by natural disasters such as tsunamis, earthquakes, droughts, fires and violent storms. Ask God to give them strength, healing and hope, and that practical help comes to those in need and continues after the situation is no longer headline news.
- † Give thanks for the growing awareness of national agencies, local authorities, businesses and individuals about the importance of recycling and caring for the environment. Pray that we would all make the effort to be good stewards of the world around us.
- † I pray for anyone (myself?) whom I know to be depressed, thinking of resigning, inclined to give up, exhausted. If appropriate, I invite them to a meal.
- † There will be times when peace departs, troubles mount and prayers seem unanswered. Then is the time to remember - God will never disappoint us! I sit in deep silence.

I must never, at any moment, presume to say there is no way out for God because I cannot see any. (SØREN KIERKEGAARD) Lord, I do not understand, but I trust you.