

## 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'. If you are able, please stand as the Bible is brought in and taken out.

**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.

**PRAYER GROUP** The prayer group will meet on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 10.00am in the small hall.

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM** If you need some help this week, please contact either your elder or the coordinator, Liz Glashan (01349 861532). and we will try to be of assistance. Remember it takes time to organise so don't leave it until the last minute to ask.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY** Evangelism: A Way of Life from the LifeBuilder series of Scripture Union is our starting point for our studies this term. We will continue to look at the story of Zacchaeus in Luke 19: 1-11. The discussion around the Unlikely Seeker has proved fruitful and interesting. Please do come along and meet with this group in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere to study God's word. Wednesdays each week at 1.30 pm in the Church Hall for approximately an hour.

**CONGREGATIONAL BOARD AND KIRK SESSION** The Congregational Board and Kirk Session will meet on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September, the Board at 7.00pm and the Session immediately after. Minutes and Agendas are available for both.

**MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT** On Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September Margo and Iain are holding a Macmillan Cancer Support Event at 37 Wyvis Crescent from 10.30am till 5pm. We would be really pleased if you could come along to support this worthwhile cause. Tea, Coffee, Home Baking, Jams etc. for sale and good company. Looking forward to a busy day. Thank you.

**CROSSREACH** This year's calendar and catalogue for cards are now available. Please place order on the sheet at the back of the Church or at the teatime after the Service.

**PASTORAL DUTIES** Rev'd Graham can be contacted on 861275 if required for any Pastoral duties.

### Services next Sunday

Morning Service at 11.00am with Rev'd Andrew F. Graham

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

## Ferintosh



### Parish Church

## Order of Service

for

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2015**

**11.00am  
Morning Service**

**Rev'd Andrew F. Graham**

Welcome and Intimations

**Hymn: 132** 'Immortal, invisible, God only wise'

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

**Hymn: 510** 'Jesus calls us here to meet him'

Readings

Psalm 1 (*page 541 in Bible*)

Mark 9: 30 - 37 (*page 1013 in Bible*)

**Hymn: 556**

'I need thee every hour'

Sermon

**Hymn: 185**

'Come, children, join and sing'

Children's Talk

**Praise:**

'My God is so big'

Benediction

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

Welcome and Intimations

**Hymn: 110** 'Glory be to God the Father'

Prayer

**Hymn: 200**

'Christ is made the sure foundation'

Reading

Mark 8: 27 - 38 (*page 1012 in Bible*)

**Hymn: 466**

'Before the throne of God above'

Address

**Hymn: 567**

'Focus my eyes on you'

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise Him all creatures here below,  
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

My God is so big, so strong and so mighty  
there's nothing that He cannot do. (x2)  
The rivers are His, the mountains are His,  
the stars are His handiwork too.  
My God is so big, so strong and so mighty  
there's nothing that He cannot do.

My God is so big, so strong and so mighty  
there's nothing that He cannot do. (x2)  
He's called you to live for Him every day  
in all that you say and you do.  
My God is so big, so strong and so mighty,  
He can do all things through you.

**HARVEST THANKSGIVING** On Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September we will be having our Harvest Thanksgiving Service. This year we will be asking for food donations for the Blythswood Highland Foodbank (Tins and packet foods). Any donations can be brought on that Sunday and tables will be in place at the rear of the Church and in the vestibule. The church will be decorated for Harvest Thanksgiving and donations of flowers and foliage can be brought to the church hall on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> September between 10 & 11am. Any help is always welcome and you don't need to be a flower arranger to become involved. There are leaflets giving some advice on the donations for the Foodbank. Please take home and think about donating on Harvest Sunday. For further information contact Jeannette Cameron 01463 870416.

**THE LEPROSY MISSION** The home shopping catalogue is now available. It can be found at the back of the church. Orders sent by Margaret are post free or send direct and pay postage. I will be sending an order early in October.

**CONON BRIDGE AMENITIES ASSOCIATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**  
The Annual General Meeting of the Conon Bridge Amenities Association shall be held at Ben Wyvis Primary School on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2015 at 7.30pm. The Agenda comprises chairman's and treasurer's reports; proposed amendments to the Constitution; the Future of the Conon Family Resource Centre (Ferintosh House); and the election of office bearers and committee members. Please come along. Roderick Urquhart, Chair.

**GUILD** The meeting of the Guild in the Church Hall on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm will take the form of a film evening. The film is "Albert's Memorial" and all are welcome to join this meeting. Look forward to seeing you there. (Due to unforeseen circumstances this has been brought forward on the syllabus!)

**SOUP LUNCH** The first Soup Lunch of this new session takes place in the Church hall on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 12noon. Our speaker that day will be Adrienne Dempster from Blythswood, who will tell us about the Shoe Box Appeal and how we can participate in this. Whether you have attended the soup lunches before, or not, we look forward to welcoming you along to this event.

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

***If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking. But when you ask him, be sure that your faith is in God alone. Do not waver, for a person with divided loyalty is as unsettled as a wave of the sea. James 1: 5,6. (New Living Translation)***

- † Lord Jesus, so many people around the world are experiencing sickness and suffering. So we cry to You to give them healing and peace. Please equip and strengthen all those who provide medical care, sometimes in very difficult circumstances. Please grant compassion, wisdom and skill to doctors, nurses and others working in the field of palliative medicine, bringing effective pain relief and the best possible care to people with serious illnesses nearing the end of their lives.
- † Intercede for the thousands of desperate refugees who pay smugglers for places on dangerously overcrowded and unseaworthy boats in the Mediterranean and also the Far East. Pray for those seeking to rescue them from drowning and also help them to rebuild their lives.
- † In these days of supermarket shopping, and superabundance of food, it's so easy to overstock our household, and overload our plates. Pray to the Lord to teach us to shop responsibly so that there is no waste. If we have extra, let us share it with those families who are struggling.
- † Remember God is with you at all times. Remember He loves to hear our prayers, in times of sorrow, worry and sadness but also in times of joy and happiness. Remember to include Him in ALL we do.

***Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers. Psalm 1: 1-3***