

## 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. Due to the superb generosity of those supporting the teas/coffees, baking and stall last week the sum of £300 was raised to support Natalia.

**PRAYER GROUP** The prayer group will meet on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 10.00am in the small hall.

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM** Please contact us if you need some help. We are ready to be of assistance. Contact your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349 861591). Do allow time to make the arrangements.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY** The next meeting for Advent studies is on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December in the Church hall at 1.30pm. Having looked at Mary's contribution to the Christmas events, we turn to Joseph this time. The study is entitled "Stand-In Father" reading Matthew 1: 18-25. Please come along if you can. We'd be delighted to have you with us.

**GUILD** Meeting tomorrow in Conon Hotel for lunch. Please see Pat Gillanders if you need more information. Look forward to seeing you there.

**MIRIAM SINGERS** The choir invite you to join them at Rosskeen Church hall on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm for their Christmas programme, "Born to Bring Love to the Earth". There will follow a Christmas tea. Do come along and hear the Christmas story in word and song.

**RIVER CAFÉ** The next River Cafe takes place in the Church hall on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December from 2pm to 3.30pm. Whether you've joined us before, or not, why not drop in for some tea, coffee, home baking and the all important chat? We look forward to welcoming you there.

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

### Services next Sunday

Third Sunday of Advent Service at 11.00am with Rev'd Andrew F. Graham

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

Registered Charity no. SCO12675

## Ferintosh Parish Church



## Order of Service

for

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015**

**11.00am**

**Second Sunday of Advent Service**

**Mr Andrew Morrison**

Welcome and Intimations

**Hymn: 111** 'Holy, holy, holy'

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

**Advent Hymn** 'The holly and the ivy'

Readings

Psalm 27 (*page 557 in Bible*)

Luke 1: 67 - 80 (*page 1027 in Bible*)

**Hymn: 578** 'Christ, whose glory fills the skies'

Sermon

**Hymn: 426** 'All heaven declares'

Children's Address

**MP: 249** 'How lovely on the mountains'

Benediction

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

Welcome and Intimations

**MP: 449** 'Love divine, all loves excelling'

Prayer

**MP: 418** 'Lift up your heads to the coming King'

Reading

Hebrews 1: 1 – 12 (*page 1201 in Bible*)

**MP: 730**

'We have heard a joyful sound'

Address

Prayer

**MP: 179**

'Go, tell it on the mountain'

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.

*The holly and the ivy  
Are dancing in a ring,  
Round the berry-bright red candles,  
And the white and shining King*

O, one is for the prophets  
And for the light they bring.  
They are candles in the darkness.  
All alight for Christ the King.

*The holly and the ivy.....*

And two for John the Baptist,  
He calls on us to sing:  
"O prepare the way for Jesus  
Christ,  
He is coming, Christ the King.

*The holly and the ivy.....*

### How Lovely On The Mountains

How lovely on the mountains are  
the feet of him  
who brings good news, good news,  
proclaiming peace, announcing  
news of happiness,  
our God reigns, our God reigns!  
Our God reigns, our God reigns,  
our God reigns, our God reigns!

You watchmen, lift your voices  
joyfully as one,  
shout for your King, your King.  
See eye to eye the Lord restoring  
Zion:

your God reigns, your God reigns!  
Your God reigns, your God reigns,  
your God reigns, your God reigns!

Waste places of Jerusalem break  
forth with joy,  
we are redeemed, redeemed.  
The Lord has saved and comforted  
His people:  
your God reigns, your God reigns!  
Your God reigns, your God reigns,  
your God reigns, your God reigns!

Ends of the earth, see the salvation  
of your God,  
Jesus is Lord, is Lord.  
Before the nations He has bared  
His holy arm:

your God reigns, your God reigns!  
Your God reigns, your God reigns,  
your God reigns, your God reigns!

**A PLACE AT THE TABLE** Many thanks to those who have already handed in donations for this project, to assist the National Evangelical Synod of Syria and Lebanon support refugees from Syria in neighbouring countries, and displaced people within Syria. All the money collected will be sent off during the week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> December, so all donations should be put in the offering plate (in an envelope clearly marked A Place at the Table) by **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>**

**December.** Information packs are still available on the table at the back of the Church, if you want to find out about different ways of raising money, but a straightforward donation is equally acceptable.

**FERINTOSH FOCUS** Folders of newsletters for those who distribute the Ferintosh Focus are available to uplift from the annex.

### Christmas Services

<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	Family Nativity Service at 11.00am, followed by tea and coffee in the church hall.
<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	Family Carol Service at 6.30pm, followed by tea, coffee and mince pies in the church hall.
<b>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup></b>	Watchnight Service at 11.30pm.
<b>Friday 25<sup>th</sup></b>	Christmas Day Family Service at 11.00am.
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Worship at 11.00am (No Evening Service)
<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> January</b>	Morning Worship (Communion Service) (No Evening Service)



### Scout Christmas Post

Have your Christmas Cards delivered by the 1<sup>st</sup> Conon Bridge & Maryburgh Scout Group for the very reasonable price of 15p per card.

They will be delivering them within the 30mph signs in the villages of Conon Bridge and Maryburgh. Christmas cards can be dropped off at Conon Bridge Church Hall or Maryburgh Amenities Hall (Combined with Maryburgh Brownies Christmas Fair) between

**10am and 12noon on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December.**

No post accepted after this date

Tea/Coffee with Mince Pie and Shortbread on Sale throughout the morning

Same day delivery not guaranteed.

For more information contact Corinna 867880 or Lauren 863794.