

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 meets on Wednesday 27th April at 10.00am in the small hall.

PASTORAL CARE TEAM Contact either your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349 861591), if you need our assistance. Please remember to give plenty of notice so that arrangements can be made.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY The Ladies continue with the World Day of Prayer material entitled "Jesus said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you?"" This week, Wednesday 27th April, we will examine Philippians 2: 1-11. We meet at 1.30 pm in the Church hall and the meeting usually lasts about one hour. Do try to come along and join us if you can. A warm welcome awaits.

KIRK SESSION The Kirk Session will meet on Thursday 28th April at 7.00pm in the Church hall, in private, *in hunc effectum*, to discuss the way forward following the recent change of Constitution.

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 Andrew F. Graham

Registered Charity no. SCO12675

Ferintosh Parish Church



Order of Service

for

Sunday 24th April 2016

**11.00am
Morning Service**

Rev'd Andrew F. Graham

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn: 120 'God, we praise you. God, we bless you'

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 550 'As the deer pants for the water'

Readings

Psalm 100 (*page 604 in Bible*)

Mark 12: 28 - 34 (*page 1018 in Bible*)

Hymn: 641 'Seek ye first the kingdom of God'

Sermon

Hymn: 519 'Love divine, all loves excelling'

Children's Address

Hymn: 547 'What a friend we have in Jesus'

Benediction

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

Welcome and Intimations

MP: 18 'All over the world'

Prayer

MP: 750 'What kind of love is this'

Reading

Acts 9: 10 - 19 (*page 1102 in Bible*)

MP: 760 'When we walk with the Lord'

Address

MP: 617 'Stand up! stand up for Jesus!'

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.



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK
15TH TO 22ND MAY

We plan to open Christian Aid week with a special service, followed by a soup lunch, on Sunday 15th May. It would be appreciated if you could sign up on the list at the back of the Church, if you can provide soup or bread/oatcakes, and/or if you are able to help in any way on the day, whether setting up, in the kitchen, serving or clearing up. Alternatively speak to Janet Winchester on 01349 865308.

Volunteers required to help with distribution of envelopes for door to door collections, if you are able to help in any way, please contact Joan MacKenzie on 07733196633 or at jmackenzie10@btinternet.com after 28 April.

WORLD MISSION COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

The latest edition of the Newsletter is now available. Those who subscribe to "Life and Work" should receive a copy inside their magazine. Otherwise, please take a copy from the table at the back of the Church. This issues contains a variety of interesting articles under the title "People of the Way".

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

This is My commandment, that you love and unselfishly seek the best for one another, just as I have loved you. No one has greater love, nor stronger commitment, than to lay down his own life for his friends.
John 15: 12-13 (Amplified Bible)

- † Remember staff and volunteers working with over 420 Trussell Trust (one of which is Highland Foodbank) and other foodbanks across the UK, that last year provided emergency food for over a million people - including almost 400,000 children. Pray that every town will have its own foodbank but Lord, we pray that foodbanks should become obsolete and every family will have enough resources to feed themselves.
- † Remember those working under huge pressure in Accident and Emergency departments, many feeling under-valued and overwhelmed by ever-increasing patient numbers and staff shortages. Pray that this will change so they can give of their best professionally, caring properly for those in need.
- † Remember those Kenyans who are persecuted for their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Praise God for the courage of Muslim passengers on a bus ambushed by *al-Shabaab* near El Wak village, north-east Kenya. When militants tried to separate Christians from Muslims for execution, Muslims told the assailants to kill everyone or leave them in peace. The attackers left. Pray in April for those in China, Nigeria, Kenya and Sudan who are persecuted for their faith.
- † O Lord, the Scripture says, "there is a time for silence and a time for speech." Saviour, teach me the silence of humility, the silence of wisdom, the silence of love, the silence of perfection, the silence that speaks without words, the silence of faith. Lord, teach me to silence my own heart that I may listen to the gentle movement of the Holy Spirit within me and sense the depths which are of God. (Frankfurt Prayer 16th Century)

God strikes straight with crooked sticks. (Old Gaelic saying)