

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. There is a Crèche for pre-school children each Sunday morning

PRAYER GROUP The prayer group will start again on Wednesday 14th September at 10.00am in the small hall

HOLY COMMUNION A fortnight today, Sunday 4th September, we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion at morning and evening worship. Could the Kirk Session please meet in the small hall at 10.45 prior to morning worship.

USED STAMPS If you have any used stamps for the World Mission Council appeal at home, could you please bring them to Church during August. The year's collection will be handed over on 3rd September. It is helpful if stamps are trimmed (half inch border all round if possible, but if not perforations must be intact) and separated into UK and foreign. Stamps may be placed in the red box in the annexe.

PASTORAL CARE The Team would love to help you. Ask either your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349 861591) and we will try our very best to be of assistance. Do allow time to make arrangements if you need to be taken to appointments.

PASTORAL DUTIES The Minister will be away from 22nd August until 8th September. Pastoral cover during this time will be available from Rev'd. Russell Smith (861011).

Services next Sunday

Morning Service at 11.00am with Mrs Heidi Hercus

Evening Service at 6.30pm with Mrs Heidi Hercus

Registered Charity no. SCO12675

Ferintosh Parish Church



Order of Service

for

Sunday 21st August 2016

**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: 202 'Stand up and bless the Lord'

Readings Hebrews 12: 18 - 29

Luke 13: 10 - 17

Hymn: 530 'One more step along the world I go'

Sermon

Hymn: 200 'Christ is made the sure foundation'

Children's Address

Hymn: 522 'The Church is wherever God's people are praising'

Benediction

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

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn: 63 'All people that on earth do dwell'

Prayer

Hymn: 336 'Christ is our light'

Reading Psalm 73: 21 - 28

Hymn: 567 'Focus my eyes on you'

Address

Prayer

Hymn: 18 'All over the world'

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.

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

CAN YOU HELP? The Conon Gala is to be held on Saturday 27th August from 1 - 4pm in the Village Playing Field, beside the Church. Once again, we plan to serve teas in the Church hall between 1pm and 3.30pm. We also plan to set up 2 gazebos in the Church garden to sell books and plants, so donations of home baking, books and plants would be most welcome. Your help and support for this event would be gratefully appreciated. If you can help in any way, please add your name to the list at the back of the Church, or contact Janet Murray (864024) or Isabel MacDonald (861767). Many thanks. The Church hall will be open from 7pm-8pm on Friday 26th August and from 10am onwards on Saturday 27th August to receive any donations of plants, books and home baking for the teas. Thank you for your support in this venture.

HIGHLAND FOODBANK Thank you for all your donations to this cause which helps people at their lowest ebb. The need continues. So please donate what you can and place your items in the basket in the annex.

SUPPLIES FOR EKWENDENI HOSPITAL The Kirk Session has agreed that this year we should collect bandages and gloves for Ekwendeni Hospital. Baskets will be available in the Church vestibule for through August to receive donations of:

- Bandages of all sizes in original wrapping, and with a "use by date" (if applicable) of at least one year ahead
- Thin gloves ("surgical gloves") - any size
- Heavier duty gloves ("Marigold" or equivalent) - any size

But as for me, it is good to be near God. I have made the Sovereign Lord my refuge; I will tell of all your deeds. Psalm 73: 28

- † It is sometimes hard to believe that God rules over world events, but that does not mean it is untrue. Pray that one day it will be universally recognised. (Phil 2:10,11) Identify a situation in the news and pray that God will reign.
- † In August, pray for persecuted Christians in North Korea, Pakistan (a young Pakistani Christian woman called Marriam was abducted when she was dragged into a car as she walked down the street in Lahore. Pray she will be returned to her family.), Vietnam, Iran and Uganda.
- † Lord, where tears fall through tragedy or heartbreak enter the silence and hold me tight lest in bitterness I blame you or those close to me when I should be trusting you with those I love and groping my way towards gratitude for the time I have been privileged to share with them.
- † We pray for all who teach children about you, O God, in church or in school. Give them honesty, sincerity and a love for you and for their pupils which will convey the good news of Jesus as strongly as the lessons they teach.
Lord, we pray for all young people who are trying to serve you in an alien world. Give them courage, wisdom and tact and the knowledge that you are round about them keeping them from evil.

Do not be daunted by the enormity of the world's grief. Do justly, now. Love mercy, now. Walk humbly, now. You are not obligated to complete the work, but neither are you free to abandon it. (Anon)