

## 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 Church hall after each 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.

**BREAKFAST CLUB** Breakfast Club for nursery and primary children is today at 10.20am.

**PRAYER GROUP** Prayer meetings continue on Wednesday mornings at 10am in the Church hall. Prayer is the essential powerhouse of the Church and your participation would be greatly valued.

**INFORMAL PRAYER TIME BEFORE THE MORNING SERVICE** From 1015-1045 each Sunday the posh room is available for prayer spoken and unspoken, for our church, for the world and for current needs. Those who have participated come and go within that time so no need to stay for the half an hour. Feel free to drop in.

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM** You can be helped by the Team by contacting either your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349861591). We will try our very best to assist. Remember to allow time for arrangements to be made if you need to be taken to an appointment.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY** We are off to a good start looking at the prophet Nahum. Why not join us on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January at 1.30pm in the Church hall? The second study "The Lord is a jealous and avenging God" leads us to the key truth "The Lord Jesus Christ not only died for us in His great passion but he will also judge the world in His great anger". Not what we are used to hearing, so very intriguing. Come along and find out more. A great welcome awaits.

**PASTORAL DUTIES** Rev'd Stephen Macdonald can be contacted on 864273 if required for any Pastoral duties.

### Services next Sunday

Morning Service at 11.00am with Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Evening Service at 6.30pm with Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

## Ferintosh Parish Church



## Order of Service

for

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**11.00am  
Morning Service**

**Rev'd Stephen Macdonald**

Welcome and Intimations

Dedication of Offering

**Hymn: 61** v1-4 **'Oh, sing a new song to the Lord'**

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Children's Address and Prayer

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

Reading John 2: 1 - 11 (*page 1064 in Bible*)

**Hymn: 506** **'All I once held dear'**

Sermon

**Hymn: 565** **'My life flows on'**

Benediction

### Evening Service at 6.30pm with Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Welcome and Intimations

**Hymn: 738** **'Glorious things'**

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

**Hymn: 443** **'He is Lord'**

Reading John 15: 11 (*page 1083 in Bible*)

**Hymn: 531** **'My Jesus, my Saviour'**

Sermon

**Hymn: 470** **'Jesus shall reign'**

Benediction

**KIRK SESSION** The Kirk Session will meet at 7.00pm on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January in the Church hall. Minutes and the Agenda have now been circulated to all elders so if you have not received your copy, please let the Session Clerk know.

**GUILD VISIT TO CAMERON HOUSE** The Guild plan to visit Cameron House on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January, leaving Conon at 1.45pm. If you did not give your name at last Monday's Guild meeting, and wish to participate, please let Janet Winchester know (01349 865308).

**SOUPER SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2019** We will be celebrating Souper Sundae in the morning on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January this year. Donations of soup, bread/oatcakes and desserts would be appreciated. Please add your name to the list on the table at the back of the Church, indicating which type of soup or dessert you plan to make, to avoid duplication.

**HIGHLAND FOODBANK** Lists of staple items can be picked up in the annex of the Church. Any non-perishable foods, cleaning and toiletries are very welcome. Thank you for all the donations you have made. Sadly, we still need your help.

**WORLD MISSION COUNCIL NEWSLETTERS** The latest edition of this newsletter is now available. There is a variety of articles, including two relating to the HIV/AIDS programme, which we will support through Souper Sundae later this month. Sorry I did not get copies to Sheena in time for them to go out with the January Life and Work, but there are plenty copies on the table at the back of the Church. Please help yourselves.

**THE LEPROSY MISSION PRAYER DIARY 2019** There are copies of this publication on the table at the back of the Church. It includes a lot of information about TLM and its work around the world. Please take a copy. More can be ordered if required.

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

*A special prayer has been written to focus hearts and minds ahead of a crucial Brexit vote next week. Legislators are set to vote on Prime Minister Theresa May's plans on Tuesday with less than three months to go before the UK is scheduled to leave the European Union. The vote in the House of Commons will be a key moment in UK modern history and the consequences of the result are uncertain. The prayer was written by Rev Dr Martin Johnstone, Secretary to the Church and Society Council of the Church of Scotland.*

God,  
who in Jesus,  
broke down all barriers,  
between people of different races  
rich and poor,  
male and female,  
Jew and Gentile,  
between heaven and earth,  
we worship you.

God,  
at this time of heavy responsibility,  
as decisions about future  
relationships  
with our neighbours in Europe are  
being taken,  
we pray for our leaders:  
that they will lead wisely;  
that they will listen attentively;  
that they will exercise grace;  
and that they will know peace  
in their deliberations.

God,  
at this time of uncertainty,  
within our nations and communities,  
we pray for ourselves:  
that we will remain open to the  
stranger;  
welcoming to the neighbour;  
and committed to those who struggle.

God,  
we pray for your church of which we  
are a part:  
that we might be a place of honest  
reflection;  
respectful dialogue;  
open friendship;  
humility and reconciliation.

We pray that  
we might be a community that points  
to heaven,  
and shows ways in which heaven is  
glimpsed on earth.

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who in Jesus,  
breaks down all barriers,  
between people of different races  
rich and poor,  
male and female,  
Jew and Gentile,  
between heaven and earth,  
we worship you.

**AMEN**