

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. You can come and go within that time so no need to stay for the half an hour. Feel free to drop in.

PASTORAL CARE TEAM Do not hesitate to contact the team if you require some help. This can be through your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349861591), and we will try to respond as soon as we can. Please allow time for arrangements to be made if you need to be taken to appointments.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY After a really interesting start being made to our fourth study in the series looking at Nahum, we hope to complete this and begin study 5 entitled "I am Against You". Intriguing? Why not come along on Wednesday 6th February to our next meeting in the Church Hall at 1.30pm and find out more. A warm welcome awaits.

BUNDLES OF FUN For all parents/carers, babies + toddlers, every Thursday in the hall from 1pm-2:30pm. Come along and relax over a cup of tea/coffee whilst you watch the children play.

RIVER CAFÉ The next River Cafe takes place in the Church Hall on Wednesday 13th February from 2pm-3.30pm. This gives the opportunity to meet up for a chat while enjoying some tea/coffee and home baking. Why not drop in, even for a few minutes? We look forward to welcoming you there.

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 3rd February 2019

**11.00am
Morning Service**

Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Welcome and Intimations

Dedication of Offering

Hymn: 16 'The Lord's my Shepherd'

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Children's Address and Prayer

Praise: 'He will be there'

Reading John 6: 1 - 5 (*page 1069 in Bible*)

Hymn: 641 'Seek ye first'

Sermon

Hymn: 268 'O God of Bethel!'

Benediction

Evening Service at 6.30pm with Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn: 425 'The Saviour died, but rose again'

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 481 'Jesus is the name we honour'

Reading Galatians 5: 22 (*page 1172 in Bible*)

Hymn: 502 'Take my life, Lord, let it be'

Sermon

Hymn: 520 'Ye who the name of Jesus bear'

Benediction

COMMUNION Our next Communion services will be on Sunday 3rd March. This is always a good opportunity for anyone who wishes to profess their faith in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour to do so by becoming a member of the local church. Please speak to the minister or any elder to find out more about faith and commitment.

GUILD The next meeting of the Guild takes place tomorrow afternoon at 2pm in the Church Hall. The speaker will be Hannah Sutherland, Highland Support Refugees and her topic is Seeking the way to Safety. All are welcome to join this group to hear about this initiative. The Guild is for all and you will receive a very warm welcome. If anyone has any clothes, bedlinen, blankets, sleeping bags or tents in good condition for which they have no further use, these would be gratefully received by The Highlands Support Refugees. Bring items to the Church today, give to a Guild member, or come along to the meeting tomorrow.

The visit to Cameron House has been re-arranged for Friday 8th February at 2.30pm (leaving Maryburgh/Conon at 1.45pm). If anyone in the congregation would like to join Guild members on this visit, you would be most welcome to join us. Please speak to Janet Winchester (01349 865308).

BEETLE DRIVE We plan to hold another Beetle Drive in the Church Hall on Saturday 9th February starting at 6.30pm until approx. 9pm. Costs are as before £1 per adult and 50p per child to cover the cost of prizes and refreshments. This is always a fun evening for all ages. If you would like to participate in this, please add your name to the list at the back of the church to give us an indication of numbers. We look forward to seeing you there.

HE WILL BE THERE

1. If I go to the furthest place that I
could go,
He'll be there, He'll be there,
To the East or the West, to the sun or
snow,
He will always be there!

*Oh yeah! Oh yeah!
He will never leave me.
I know He cares,
He's the only one and I know who's
always there!*

2. In the dark of the night or in the
light of day,
He'll be there, He'll be there,
When I'm all on my own or I've lost
my way,
He will always be there!

Oh yeah! Oh yeah!...

3. When I'm down in the dumps and
things are looking bad,
He'll be there, He'll be there,
When I'm over the moon, when I'm
really glad,
He will always be there!

Oh yeah! Oh yeah!...

*Oh yeah! (He'll be there)
Oh yeah! (He'll be there)
He will never leave me.
I know (oh I know)
He cares (How He cares)
He's the only one and I know who's
always there!*

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

***If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a
noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. 1 Corinthians 13: 1 (ESV)***

✠ In February, pray for our persecuted brothers and sisters in Pakistan, Iran and Central Asia. Christians in Pakistan are suffering mounting discrimination, including from government policies and discriminatory laws which cast them as second-class citizens. Pray that the Government will start to stand up to extremist and radical groups and uphold equal rights for all citizens.

✠ Eternal God, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ. Fill us with your Holy Spirit and make us one with him, in love for you and for the world he came to save. We thank you for our brother and sister Christians throughout the world. Open our eyes to the needs of our neighbours. Open our hearts to the depth of your love. Open our minds to the truth which can save. Open our hands to give and to serve. Open our mouths to speak words that bring life. Help us to help each other in the great and glorious task of making Christ known everywhere and to everyone.
(Prayers for Today's World)

✠ Pray for the work of CrossReach's Perinatal Services which supports parents and families whose mental health is affected during pregnancy and/or following the birth of a child. This is done through counselling and psychotherapy, therapeutic groups and infant massage. Pray for the development of digital health connections for families who cannot access services because they live in areas where there is no provision.
(CrossReach Prayer Diary)

✠ We pray you would strengthen your church to be a beacon of hospitality for the poor. We pray that, seeing the light of Christ's love, the nations and peoples of the world may fight not to kill, but to outdo one another in care for the poor, and in actions of gracious generosity.
(Prayer by Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury)

The Jewish word for peace is Shalom. Its meaning signifies a deep inner wellbeing that is often wished upon someone in greeting. Greet someone today in this way and wish peace into their life. Read Daniel 4:1

SEAFORTH HOUSE There will be a service held in Seaforth House this afternoon at 3pm. The residents are always glad to see the Ferintosh church team so feel free to join us.