

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. The Youth Club will meet fortnightly on 29th November and 13th December.

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 10.15-10.45am 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.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY The meeting on Wednesday 27th November will take place at Janette's, 17 Muirden Road, Maryburgh, where a warm welcome awaits those who want to study God's word together. We meet this week at 12 noon for a bite of lunch and will then continue studying 2 Timothy 4 entitled "Be Prepared". Do come along and give it a try.

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.

PASTORAL CARE TEAM Please remember we are here to help with transport and visits. Just let us know what you need and we will try our very best to assist. Contact either your elder or the coordinator, Janette Steele (01349861591). Do allow time for arrangements to be made.

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 Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Ferintosh Parish Church



Order of Service

for

Sunday 24th November 2019

**11.00am
Morning Service**

Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Welcome and Intimations

Dedication of Offering

Hymn: 78 'Oh, set ye open unto me'

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Children's Address & Prayer

Hymn: 519 'Love divine, all loves excelling'

Reading Luke 18: 9 - 14 (*page 1052 in Bible*)

Hymn: 396 'And can it be'

Sermon

Hymn: 36 'God is our refuge'

Benediction

Evening Service at 6.30pm with Rev'd Stephen Macdonald

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn: 34 'O send thy light forth and thy truth'

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 691 'Be still, my soul'

Reading John 5: 39 (*page 1069 in Bible*)

Hymn: 53 'Oh, greatly blest the people are'

Sermon

Hymn: 466 'Before the throne of God above'

Benediction

FERINTOSH FOCUS The next edition of the Ferintosh Focus will be published in early December. Any articles to be with the Editor by Friday 29th November please.

COFFEE MORNING There is to be a Coffee Morning in the Church Hall on Saturday 30th November from 10am-12 midday. Entry is by donation with proceeds going to Church and Community Activities. Teas will be provided. There will be a variety of stalls including Christmas Decorations and Gifts, Crafts, Baking/Produce, Books and many more surprises and bargains! (No bric-a-brac)! The hall will be set up on Friday 29th at 2.30pm and will also be open from 6pm-7pm to receive any donations for the teas and sales tables. The hall will again be open from 08.30am on the Saturday for contributions. There is a list at the back of the church for names and details of how you can help with this event. Please add your name as your help and support would be most welcome at this church/community event. We look forward to seeing you there.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE Seaforth House is holding their Christmas Fayre on Saturday 30th November from 12-3pm and would be glad of any support.

HIGHLAND FOODBANK Why not fill a "bag for life" as a Reverse Advent Calendar? Pick up a leaflet at the back of the Church for more details. Great idea! On the leaflet, it says the foodbank have lots of soup, beans and pasta for now but all other non-perishable foods are very welcome along with toiletries and cleaning materials. Thank you for your continued support for the most needy in our community.

FERINTOSH & RESOLIS FREE CHURCH LADIES WFM GROUP Ferintosh & Resolis Free Church Ladies WFM Group would like to invite you to their Christmas Evening on Monday 2nd December at Resolis Free Church. The speaker will be Allan Dunbar from Christians Against Poverty (CAP) and there will be a variety of craft sales tables in aid of the WFM projects. Tea, coffee and home baking will be also served and a chance to blether with old and new friends. The evening starts at 7.30pm. Please come along and bring a friend, a warm welcome awaits.

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

Heavenly Father, blessed Son, eternal Spirit,
We adore you as one Being, one Essence,
one God in three distinct Persons.

O Father, you have loved us and sent Jesus to redeem us;
O Jesus, you have loved us and assumed our nature,
shed your own blood to wash away our sins,
wrought righteousness to cover our unworthiness.

O Holy Spirit, you have loved us and entered our hearts,
implanted there eternal life,
revealed to us the glories of Jesus.

Three Persons and one God,
we praise you for love so unmerited,
so unspeakable, so wondrous, so mighty,
to save the lost and raise them to glory.

As we consider how to govern ourselves
and share leadership with each other,
inspire us with Your ways –
God with us,
God in us,
God through us.

Let us live and pray as one,
baptised into the threefold Name,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
Amen.

***Adapted from a prayer by Rev Sally Foster-Fulton, Head of Christian Aid
Scotland and former convener of the Kirk's Church and Society
Council.***