

## INTIMATIONS : Sunday 25th November 2018

We welcome you to our service this morning. You are reminded that when the Bible is brought into and carried out of Church we all stand. The Service this morning will be conducted by **Rev. Jean Montgomerie**. Any visitors worshipping with us are especially welcome and are invited to join us for tea or coffee in the hall afterwards

### SUNDAY:

There will be a **Traidcraft Stall** in the Main Hall following this Service.

A big 'Thank You' to everyone who supported the **Traidcraft Christmas Fayre** last Sunday. Approximately £700.00 of sales were made with a further £100.00 on orders for Christmas Cards. **These cards are now ready for collection.** There are only a few cards left but orders can still be taken. Also, this is the last Sunday to buy an **Advent Calendar** before 1st December.

### MONDAY:

**The Monday Squad** will meet today at **9.30am** at the Shed. Any queries please contact Willie Black. Tel. 01224 869362.

**The Badminton Group** meet this evening in the Main Hall at **7.15pm**. All Welcome. More information from John Troup 01224 732701.

### TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY:

**The Hub Café** will be open from 10am to 3pm serving up wonderful fare of teas/coffees, soup, sandwiches, baked potatoes, quiche and home baking.

### TUESDAY:

**The Guild** will meet in **Scolty** at the **Kirk Centre** at **7.30pm** to enjoy a talk from **Rev. Alison Harvey** entitled '**My life as a Prison Chaplain**'. All welcome. For more information please contact **Evelyn Sangster** 01224 868038.

### WEDNESDAY:

**The 050** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at **11.45am** followed by a talk in **Bennachie** from **Bill Budge** entitled '**The Budge Foundation-a local charity working locally, nationally and internationally**'. For more information please contact **Liz Kilvington 01224 867103**.

**The Prayer Team** meets on the last Wednesday evening of each month to pray for the needs of all others and for community and world issues. If there is anyone you would like us to pray for, please write a card and place it in one of the prayer boxes (one in the Sanctuary and one at the Kirk Centre), or mention it to Shuna. This is an open meeting and anyone is very welcome to come along and join us. For more information contact **Mary Troup 732701**.

### THURSDAY:

**Bible Study** will meet in **Scolty** at 10.00am for coffee then continue our study of **Hebrews**. All welcome. For further information please contact **Peter Michie. 01224 868054**.

**Poetry Group News:** The Group will meet at **11.45am** in **Morven** to explore some seasonal themes, using poetry as a vehicle for lively and wide ranging conversation. Please come along if you are interested or curious! For more information, contact **Margaret Robertson on 01224 733567** or **Kate Kindness on 01224 867464**.

**Laura Walker** will be holding an exercise class in **Bennachie** at 11.00am. Please come along and enjoy your first class free!

The **Bereavement Group** will meet at 2.30pm in **Scolty**. All welcome to come along and join us.

Please come along this evening to join the **Carpet Bowlers** in the **Main Hall**. We meet from 7.00pm until 9.00pm. All welcome. Bowls are available. More details from **Doreen Gordon** Tel. **01224 869491**.

**FRIDAY:**

**Friday Cafe for S1-S4** takes place at the Hub from 3.30pm until 6.00pm. Table tennis, table football, air hockey, basketball etc. Cafe and tuck shop. Baking. Music. All welcome.

**SATURDAY:**

The **Youth Core Group** are holding a '**Santa Breakfast**' in the Kirk Centre on 1st December, from 08.30am to 09.30am and 10am to 11am, which will be open to all Primary School Children. This will be a **TICKET ONLY EVENT** costing £5 per ticket and tickets can be purchased from Karen Fawcett 07970 285885 or Carol Sinclair 07960 158135.

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Please come along to the **Christmas Coffee Morning in the Kirk Centre** on **Saturday 8th December 10.00am until 12 noon**. Tickets £3.00. **Singing Waiters** and the usual stalls.

Some of the choir and congregation will be carol singing at **Mains of Drum on Saturday the 1st and 8th December from 12.00noon until 2.00pm**. We will be raising money for **Christian Aid** as well as bringing the happy sound of Christmas to the shoppers. If you would like to join us you will be welcomed with open arms. Just arrive at the Mains of Drum by 11.45am or phone **Anne Wilcox 869276**.

**Carol Singing- Woodend Hospital. Monday 10th December** from 5.30pm until 7.00pm. Instrumentalists and choristers required please. See poster for further details.

**Christmas Tree Festival. 10th -16th December**. If you would like to volunteer to be on duty at the Tree Festival please add your name to the lists which are in the **Main Hall**. Any queries please contact Ann Middleton 01224 867334. There is also a list available for anyone who would like to provide **Music** during the Tree Festival. Thank you.

We are holding our **Hogmanay Celebration** this year. If you would like to help with the organisation of this event please contact **Maureen Taylor on 01224 861377** or e-mail [maureen.ag@btinternet.com](mailto:maureen.ag@btinternet.com)

*Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
that were an offering far too small;  
love so amazing, so divine,  
demands my soul, my life, my all.*

**In the back of the hymn books you will find the 'Departing praise songs' for your convenience.**

**Readings for the Next Few Weeks**

2nd December	Exodus 1:8-14,22; 2:1-10
9th December	Judges 13:2-14,24
16th December	Luke 1:5-7,11-25,57-66
23rd December	Luke 1:26-42

**Daily Bible Readings**

The following are a suggested list of daily Bible readings. The readings given are aimed at offering you something to focus on throughout the week.

Monday	26th November	Psalm 107:33-43
Tuesday	27th November	Psalm 108
Wednesday	28th November	Psalm 109:1-15
Thursday	29th November	Psalm 109:16-31
Friday	30th November	Psalm 110
Saturday	1st December	Psalm 111

After reading the passage take a few moments to think about/contemplate what you have read, and to finish your time use the following short prayer or The Lord's Prayer. You may also wish to use the daily prayer suggested in our Prayer Diary (available from the Church website, the Kirk Centre or Sanctuary).

*Lord, thank you for your Word,  
For the way it speaks;  
the way it can both comfort and challenge.  
help me to understand and apply it's teaching in my life.  
Amen*

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