

INTIMATIONS: Sunday 22nd January 2017

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. 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 morning's Service.

MONDAY:

The **Maintenance Squad** are taking a break and meet again on **Monday 6th February** at 9.30m. Any queries please contact Willie Black. Tel. 01224 869362.

Badminton will meet at **7.15pm** in the **Main Hall**. Any queries please contact **John Troup** Tel. 01224 732701

Monday Lunch Club are looking for more volunteers to help out from 12 - 2pm. Please contact **Jacky Hatchwell 01224 861736** for more information.

TUESDAY:

Cults '**Music To Remember**' meets at **Cults Kirk Centre** in Bennachie at 10.15-11.45 (including refreshments in Lochnagar). All welcome. For more information contact **Debbie Gordon 863472** or **Anne Meldrum 868053**.

The Guild will meet at 2.00pm in **Scolty** when Guild members will be enjoying an afternoon with the topic "**My Joy**". All welcome. Any queries please contact **Fiona Anderson 869847**.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY THURSDAY:

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

WEDNESDAY:

The **050** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at 12 noon followed by notices and a talk in **Bennachie** from **12.45pm**. The speaker today is **J. Derek McClure** whose topic is '**Those in Literature who influenced Robert Burns**'. For more information please contact **Liz Kilvington 01224 867103**.

THURSDAY:

Bible Study meet at 10.00am for coffee in **The Kirk Centre** followed by discussion in **Scolty**. This week we will be focussing on **Exodus Ch2-Ch3 vs1**. Please join us. Any queries please contact **Peter Michie 868054**.

The Acts Group led by **Peter and Katie Cross** will meet from **7.30pm until 9.00pm**. Tea, coffee and home baking will be provided. Join us as we dive into the danger, intrigue, and mistakes of the early church and learn more about who we are and why we do the things we do. **Contact Peter for more info: 07734207203 or pmarlowecross@me.com.**

FRIDAY:

Friday Cafe will meet at the **Kirk Centre** from 3.30pm until 6.00pm. Table tennis, table football, air hockey, basketball etc. Cafe and tuck shop. Baking. Music. All in **S1-3** welcome.

Walking Group 28th January. Welcome in 2017 with a **walk** from Kemnay to (and from) the stone circle at Aquhorthies. We will start walking through woods past Fetternear House and Bishops Palace then onwards towards Burnhervie and finally the stone circle. OS map 38. Distance 8.5 miles on good tracks/paths with some minor road walking. Ascent 110m. Time-approx 4 hours. Please meet at the Dunmail car park 8.30am ready for departure at 8.45am. Contact details 01224 868677/ 07989922440 or lynne.soulsby@btinternet.com on or before **Thursday 26th January.**

Scottish Night with a taste of Burns. Saturday 28th January 7.00pm in CKC. Featuring Duo, Fyfe Penni Piece and the Aurora dancers. Stovies or macaroni cheese supper. Tickets £10 available from Anne Wilcox 869276.

Thanks to **Irene Paterson** who kindly donated the flowers which decorate our Sanctuary today.

*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.*

"CONVERSATIONS SHARED, PERCEPTIONS CHANGED"

*(a short series of services challenging our attitudes
to faith, family and God)*

Jan 22nd – Haggling With the Almighty (Abraham)

(includes sacrament of baptism)

Jan 29th – Day of Joy & Sadness (Mary & Simeon)

(celebration of communion @ 10.30am and 2.30pm)

Feb 5th – Thunder & Silence (Elijah)

(praise led by our orchestra)

- We welcome **AMELLE OLIVIA REITH** into Jesus' Family this morning by baptism. Mum and dad, Naomi and Cameron, married here two years ago. Welcome back to families and friends.
- "QUESTIONS & CROISSANTS" is next Saturday morning (Jan 28th) at 8.30am in the Kirk Centre. I provide the croissants; you provide the questions about God, the universe, life, stuff. Sometimes, there are answers!
- Anyone still thinking about signing up for the beautiful **BORDERS ABBEYS WALK** in July is invited to a meeting here in church next Sunday after our morning communion. Queries and questions welcomed; coming along doesn't commit you to doing the walk!



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