

## INTIMATIONS: Sunday 13th November 2016

*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 today. Choose from a selection of Cards, Calendars, Decorations, Food and Gifts. Catalogues will also be available.

### MONDAY:

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

**Badminton** this evening in the **Main Hall** from 7.15pm. A warm welcome is extended to anyone interested in coming along. Any queries please contact **John Troup** Tel. 01224 732701.

### TUESDAY:

**050 Bridge & Scrabble** from 10am - 12 noon in the **Kirk Centre**.

**The Guild** will meet in **Scolty** at the Kirk Centre at **2.00pm** to hear from **Stanley Flett**. His topic will be '**Hymns for the Seasons**'. All welcome. Any queries please contact **Anne Meldrum**. Tel. **01224 868053**.

### TUESDAY WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY:

**The Hub Coffee Shop** is open from 10am till 3pm, serving teas/ coffees, soup, sandwiches, baked potatoes, quiche and home baking.

### WEDNESDAY:

The **050** will meet today at **12.45pm**. The speaker will be **Muriel Thomson**. Her topic will be '**Little Drops Charity Trust Update**'. All welcome. Any queries please contact Liz Kilvington 867103 or Lizzie Thomas 869413.

### THURSDAY:

**Bible Study** continues at **10.00am** in the **Kirk Centre**. The group is considering the life and work of the apostle **Peter** and will focus on **Acts 3 vs1-20**. Please join us.

**The Prayer Team** are leading a series of six **Time Out for Reflection** and prayer sessions every **Thursday at 11.30am** in the Morven Room in the Hub. All welcome.

**Carpet Bowls** in the **Main Hall** at **Quarry Road** at **7pm**. All are welcome.

**FRIDAY:**

Friday Cafe at the Hub for young people S1-3. Runs weekly during school term from 3.30-6pm. Table tennis, table football, air hockey, basketball etc. cafe and tuck shop. baking. Music. All welcome!

**Church Walk** The next walk on **Saturday 26th November** is a circular one starting from Castle Fraser. Good views, mostly on farm tracks, but also along field edges. Minimal gentle ascent of about 300ft.

Meet at Dunmail car park at 8.30a.m. for 8.45 departure. If you would like to join us, phone **Evelyn Massie on 310125** by the evening of **Thursday 24th**.

**St. Andrew's Night Celebration: 2nd December in CKC.** Meal and entertainment from 7pm. Tickets £15 from Irene 861140 or Maureen 861377. Proceeds to **Christian Aid**.

The book stall at the Hub would welcome your donations of holiday reading books. Please drop them off at the Centre. Many thanks.

The next **Music in the Sanctuary Concert** will be **NEXT SUNDAY 20th November** at 2.30pm when baritone **Paul Tierney** will be accompanied by **Roger B. Williams MBE** in a programme of songs by Schumann, Schubert, Faure and Ravel. Admission is by donation and refreshments will be served afterwards in the Main Hall.

**Poems for People**- You are invited to come along to the Hub on **Saturday 26th November** at 6.30pm to enjoy the poetry of the late Bernard Kenworthy. All welcome.

*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.*

## The Return of "BIBLICAL SOAP OPERAS"

Earlier this year, in spring, our worship focussed on "Biblical Soap Operas"; highlighting some of the little known, tragic, touching and legendary characters of Scripture. Stories and individuals from long-ago, but with an undoubted message for today. We're returning to that theme for a few weeks:

**Oct 23rd - Ruth**

**Sep 30th - Service led by our Guild**

**Nov 6th - Ananias and Sapphira**

**Nov 13th - Jonah**

**Nov 20th - Led by Rev. Trevor Jamison, Chaplain Eco-Cong Scotland**

## CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Mon, Dec 12th – Sun, Dec 18th



The persistent popularity of this festival makes it difficult for us to keep up with the paperwork! Church, community groups, local businesses and individuals who sponsored a tree last year are welcome to do so again. But they go fast so don't hang about! It costs £25 to sponsor a tree. To **confirm a booking**, phone our Church Office on 869028 by **Friday, Nov 25th**

- Our **CONGREGATIONAL BOARD** meet on Thursday, Nov 24th at 7.30pm in the North Hall.
- Our **CHURCH CENTRE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE** meet on Tuesday, Nov 22nd at 7pm in the Kirk Centre.
- Articles and rotas for the **DEC/JAN CHURCH MAGAZINE** need to be with Ewen by Wednesday.

## "HAPHAZARD BY STARLIGHT"

You are invited to explore the wonderful and mysterious season of Advent by reading a poem a day. We'll meet once a week (Thursdays, 10am in the Morven room of the Kirk Centre) to discuss what poem that week has, for you, "opened a door" into Advent. You can order "Haphazard by Starlight" from Yeadon's Bookshop In Banchory. **First meeting is Thursday, Nov 24th.**



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