

## INTIMATIONS: Sunday 7th May 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. We welcome Pansi Katanga who is head of Christian Aid in Malawi to our Service today.*

### SUNDAY:

There will be a **Traidcraft Stall** in the **Main Hall** after this morning's Service.

### MONDAY:

The **Maintenance Squad** will meet today at the shed. 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.

### 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.

### TUESDAY:

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

### WEDNESDAY:

The **050** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at **11.45am** followed by notices and a talk in **Bennachie** from **12.45pm**. The speaker today is **Fiona Benzie**. Her topic will be 'Twinning with Blantyre, Malawi'. For more information please contact **Liz Kilvington 01224 867103**.

### THURSDAY:

**Bible Study** meet in Scolty from 10 am until 11.30 am This week we will be studying **Numbers Ch 11: v 4-35**. Any queries please contact Peter Michie 01224 868054.

A **Strength and Balance Class for Seniors** run by **Laura Walker** meets from 11.00am until 12 noon in **Bennachie** at the **Kirk Centre**. Try a class **for free** in May!

The **Acts Group** led by **Peter and Katie Cross** will take place in **Morven** at **7.30pm**. Please do come along. All welcome.

**MESSY CHURCH** meets today in the centre from 3.30pm until 6.00pm.

**SATURDAY:** 050 Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale in the **Kirk Centre** from **10am till 12 noon**. All proceeds to the **UNICEF'S Syrian Appeal**. All welcome.

## Dates for your Diary

**Holiday Club- July 10th - 14th** in the **Main Hall. Nursery -P7.** Sign up by contacting Peter (07734207203) or just for more information.

**Christian Aid Week** is coming soon! We could use a couple more collectors- a collection of between 20 and 30 houses. Please get in touch - **Maureen 861377** or maureen.ag@btinternet.com if you could help.

There will be a meeting of the **Kirk Session in the Sanctuary on Tuesday 16th May at 7.30pm.**

The **Electoral Register** is a list of those who will be eligible to vote when the time comes to elect a **Nominating Committee**, and subsequently in the election of a new minister.

If your name and current address are on the **Communion Roll** of the Church, your name will automatically be added to the electoral register.

Any regular worshipper not on the **Communion Roll** of this Church, who is a member of another congregation and wishes to participate in the process for electing a new minister, should provide the **Session Clerk** with a valid **Certificate of Transference** before the **16th May 2017.**

If you are a regular worshipper here and not a member of this or any other congregation then the **Kirk Session** can add your name to the electoral register as an 'adherent'. If you wish the **Kirk Session** to consider this, you should obtain a form from the **Session Clerk** and return it completed to him before the **16th May 2017.**

**Graeme Robertson. Session Clerk. Tel. 01224 867260 or a.g.w.robertson@btinternet.com**

***Helen Kelbie's daughter and grandchildren will be running in memory of Helen at the Stirling Fun Run on 14th May. More details on poster in the hall.***

*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.*



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK  
MAY 14TH – 20TH

*This morning we welcome Patsi Katange, head of Christian Aid in Malawi, and Sally Foster-Fulton, head of Christian Aid Scotland, who will share stories of hope and healing from Malawi, whilst reminding us that what we do over **here** really can help make a difference over **there**. Well done to Maureen Taylor and the local Christian Aid team for bringing us such special guests!*

- Our CHOIR meets every Sunday for a rehearsal with Emily at 9.45am. All voices welcomed – no voices turned away!
- Folk looking forward to the BORDERS ABBEYS WALK in July meet immediately after this morning's service in the North Hall.
- The CONGREGATIONAL BOARD meeting planned for Tues, May 16th has been moved to Thursday, June 1st.

PENTECOST IN THE PARK

Sunday, June 4th – 12 noon  
Hazlehead Park

Six local churches are closing their doors on Sunday June 4th.

Instead we meet in Hazlehead Park for a Pentecost Celebration  
- **the Church's Birthday!**

Joint orchestra and choir

Meet at Cults Kirk at 11am.

Car and free coach transport available.

Service at 12noon,  
followed by picnic.

Please bring picnic food,  
blanket and chairs, if possible.

Children's activities.

Rev Ewen Gilchrist

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