

INTIMATIONS : Sunday 15th April 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. Shuna Dicks**. 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** after the morning service. Please do come and see what is available.

MONDAY:

Badminton will NOT meet in the Main Hall at **7.15pm** this week. More information from **John Troup 01224 732701**.

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

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY:

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

WEDNESDAY:

The **050** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at 11.45am to enjoy lunch followed by a talk in **Bennachie** by **Mel Edwards**. His topic will be '**Optimising your Mind Set**'. For more information please contact **Liz Kilvington 01224 867103**.

The **050** are having an **Italian Night** on **Friday 27th April** at **7.30pm** in the **Kirk Centre**. Italian buffet and entertainment. Tickets £15 from Anne Wilcox or the office.

THURSDAY:

Bible Study will meet at 10.00am in the **Kirk Centre** when we will continue our study of **2nd Peter**.

Laura Walker will be holding an **Exercise Class for Seniors in Bennachie** from 11.00am until 12noon. Please do come along and **try a class for free in April**.

FRIDAY:

The Guild are holding a **General Knowledge Quiz** in the **Outreach Centre** to raise funds for the Guild Projects. 6.45pm for a prompt start at 7.00pm. Bring a team of four or come and join with others. Tickets £5.00 per person- including refreshments. More information from **Lilian Brown 01224 742532 or lilianbrown30@gmail.com**

Saturday 28th April - Please join us for a guided walk in the **Glentanar** area with one of the rangers-Mike Martin. He has led previous walks and is always interesting and informative. From the Glan Tanar visitor's centre we will walk up to Knockie viewpoint, out to the Allachy and Tanar Bridges over Craig of Woodend onto the Queens Drive and return. Distance:10km. Time 3.5hrs. We will initially meet at Dunmail Car park- 8.30am for 8.45am. Please let me know by Thursday 26th April if you would like to join us. Lynne Soulsby. 07989922440 or lynne.soulsby@btinternet.com

Instant Neighbour send their grateful thanks for our contributions of food, and tell us that though they receive plenty of tins of soup and beans, they are often short of main meal items such as 'tins of macaroni, Fray Bentos pies.. that sort of thing'. Your continued support and imagination is much appreciated.

*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.*

Readings for the Next Few Weeks

22nd April	Acts 16: 16-34
29th April	Acts 17: 16-31
6th May	Philippians 1: 1-18a
13th May	Philippians 2: 1-13

Daily Bible Readings

The following are a suggested list of daily Bible readings. The readings given are aimed at supplementing the readings from the Narrative Lectionary from which we get our readings on a Sunday. The Narrative Lectionary aims to take a sweep through the Bible starting in September each year and finishing the following Pentecost. Over the summer months we then take a deeper look at different parts or themes in the Bible.

Monday 16th April	Acts 9: 19b-22
Tuesday 17th April	Acts 9: 23-31
Wednesday 18th April	Acts 9: 36-43
Thursday 19th April	Acts 10: 1-16
Friday 20th April	Acts 10: 17-23a
Saturday 21st April	Acts 10: 23b-33

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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