INTIMATIONS: Sunday 12th August 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.

A Service will be held in **Deeside Care Home** this afternoon at 2.30pm. All members of the congregation are invited to join us.

MONDAY:

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

The **Badminton Group** restart on **Monday 20th August** at **7.15pm.** All Welcome. More information from John Troup 01224 732701.

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.

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 Lilian Brown 01224 742532 or Rosa Laing 01224 868156.

WEDNESDAY:

The **050** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at 11.45am followed by a talk in **Bennachie** from **Sonya Angus** entitled **'The 25-year Dream come true'** For more information please contact **Liz Kilvington 01224 867103.**

THURSDAY:

Laura Walker will be holding an **Exercise Class** at 11.00am in Bennachie. Please do come along and enjoy your first class for free in **August.**

SATURDAY:

Strawberry Coffee Morning in **Cults Kirk Centre** from 10.00am until 12noon. This week it is being organised by **DAWGS.** Home baking and stalls. Entry by donation.

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.

Contributions for the next magazine should be with the Editor, Graeme Robertson <u>no</u> <u>later</u> than 15th August 2018. His e-mail address is a.g.w.robertson@btinternet.com

<u>Oberammergau.</u> There are a limited number of spaces available left in the group. The travel dates are 3rd to 10th June 2020. Total cost (which includes flights, dinner B&B, some lunches, tickets for the play and excursions) is £1565 with a deposit of £200 required on booking, a further deposit of £400 in 2019 and the balance eight weeks prior to travel. If interested, please see Shuna or pick up a leaflet from the back of the church or at the Kirk Centre.

The Hub Cafe are looking for a Relief Manager to work alongside the existing team to provide cover on an 'as and when' basis. There would be an immediate start with alternate Thursdays requiring cover due to staff illness. If interested, please speak to June Gilchrist Tel. 07776458191. ALSO- the cafe urgently require additional volunteers. If you have a couple of hours to spare each week/ fortnight and would be willing to help out, again speak to June.

<u>Cults Church Walkers</u>- Please join us with the Mannofield walkers along Glen Lethnot on Saturday 25th August. Distance 9.6miles. Time 6 hours. If you intend joining us please let Lynne Soulsby know on 07989922440 or lynne.soulsby@btinternet.com by Thursday 23rd August.

Cults Parish Church Golf Outing

Thursday 30th August at Alford Golf Club. Tee Off Time 1.00pm. Stableford Competition. 2 Course Meal at approx 5.00/5.50pm. Cost £29.00. Names please to Gordon Taylor Tel. 01224 868627.

<u>Poppies for Remembrance Sunday</u> If you have been knitting poppies (thank you!) could you hand in the ones you have completed to the office or leave them at church. It would be helpful to know how many we have so far. We need lots and there will not be too many, so if you would like to start knitting/crocheting then patterns are available from the office.

Christian Aid Walk on the old railway line from **Cults to Culter**- or vice versa. 1st September at 1.30pm starting from Keith's yard. Delighted if you would take part or please sponsor someone who is taking part! Please contact Maureen Taylor on 861377 for information or a sponsor form.

The Guild have some tickets for the **Annual Gathering** in Dundee on the 1st September. If anyone (not just Guild members) would like to go, please speak to Evelyn Sangster-868038.

<u>Cults Cake Off.</u> The Cake Off this year will be on **1st September** and we are looking for cake decorators who wish to take part. This year the adults will bake and decorate, and the children will taste and judge. We are also looking for donations of baking for the morning. We would be grateful for any help or participants to make this event another success. Please e-mail Carol on carol.sink@btinternet.com or call 07960158135 to register or for further details.

Readings for the Next Few Weeks

19th August Ephesians 2:11-22

26th August Ephesians 4:1-16

2nd September Ephesians 6: 10-20

9th September To be advised

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	13th August	Psalm 47
Tuesday	14th August	Psalm 48
Wednesday 15th August		Psalm 49
Thursday	16th August	Psalm 50
Friday	17th August	Psalm 51
Saturday	18th August	Psalm 52

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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