INTIMATIONS: Sunday 16th February 2020

We welcome you to our service this morning. You are reminded that when the Bible is brought in and carried out of Church we all stand. Our service this morning will be taken by our minister, **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** following this service. Please do come along to view our range of products.

MONDAY:

The Monday Squad are taking a well-earned break until 24th February. Any queries please contact Willie Black. Tel. 01224 869362.

Knit and Natter meet from 2.00pm until 4.00pm in Scolty. Come along and enjoy the company and bring your knitting, tapestry, crochet embroidery with you- OR NOT, if you just want to have a blether. If anyone in the congregation has any spare wool which they would like to donate to this group please hand it in to the church office.

7.15pm. A warm welcome to anyone who would like to come and join our friendly group. Contact John Troup. Tel. 01224 732701.

Wellbeing Group – S1-S4 pupils are welcome to join Abbie for the first meeting of her wellbeing group in the SHED 6:30pm to 8:30pm. There will be arts and crafts activities as well as some mental health and wellbeing workshops.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY:

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

TUESDAY:

The **Guild** invite you to come along to an entertaining and fun musical evening with **"All at C"**, a **Ukele Group**. Tickets priced £5.00, which includes refreshments, are available today from Guild members or at the door on the evening. Transport can be provided. Further information from Lilian Brown 01224 742532.

<u>Wednesday:</u> The **050 Group** will meet for lunch in **Lochnagar** at **11.45am** followed by a talk in **Bennachie.** The speaker this week will be **Mairianna Chrystal** and her topic will be **'The Stroke Team'.** For more information please contact **Libby Brand 01224 867717.**

THURSDAY:

Bible Study will meet at **10.00am** in **Scolty** in the Centre. We meet for coffee and fellowship first, then go on to continue our study of **Acts.** We always finish by 11.30am. All welcome, even for just one session!

Laura Walker will be holding an exercise class in **Bennachie at 11.00am.** All welcome. First class is free of charge.

FRIDAY:

Friday Cafe. We will meet this week at the Kirk Centre from 3.30pm until 5.30pm. Table tennis, table football, air hockey, basketball etc. Café and tuck shop. Baking. Music. All in S1-S4 welcome.

SATURDAY:

Traidcraft are holding a **Big Brew Coffee Morning** in the **Kirk Centre** on **Saturday 22nd February** from 10.00am until 12.00 noon. Please do come along to join us.

Saturday 22nd February - Church Walk. This is a pleasant walk mostly on tracks between the river and woodland. Starting from Persley Walled garden we progress to the Bridge of Don and return via Seaton Park. Distance: approx. 7miles. Time: approx. 4 hours. Meet at Dunmail at 9.00am for 9.15 am. For further information or to join the walk phone **Evelyn Massie on 01224 310125.**

Green Group - "Doing things Differently". Please see our notice board in the **Main Hall** where there is a space for you to write down something that you will be trying to do for the environment in 2020. You might just have the idea that other people are looking for! We also have a similar Action Board in the **Kirk Centre**.

Saturday 29th February 2020 - Litter Pick. Small groups will set out from the Kirk Centre at 10.00am and 2.00pm to pick up litter along the old railway line, Allen Park and in the vicinity of both the Cults Primary School and Cults Academy. Volunteers are encouraged to give their names to Ben Johnson, Graham Anderson or Andrew Fairhead.

If you would like the **Prayer Team** to pray for yourself, someone you know or a situation important to you, please feel free to write a prayer card (first names only) and put it in the Church or Hub prayer box. All prayers are held in confidence.

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

23rd February Matthew 17: 1-9

1st March Psalm 32, Matthew 4:1-11

8th March TBC 15th March TBC

Daily Bible Readings

The following are a suggested list of daily Bible Readings. The readings given are aimed at offering you something to focus on throughout the week.

Monday 17th February Genesis 21:1-8
Tuesday 18th February Genesis 21:9-21
Wednesday 19th February Genesis 21:22-34
Thursday 20th February Genesis 22:1-12
Friday 21st February Genesis 22:13-24

Saturday 22nd February Genesis 23

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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