



Dunscore Church Family Notices

Registered Scottish Charity SC016060, Congregation Number 080454

SUNDAY 2nd August 2020

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10.30am – Worship Together via Zoom video-conference. Organist: Elizabeth Hall

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85850844942>
Tel. 0131 460 1196 with meeting ID: 85850844942 #

A note from our Minister:

Some of you may know that this Sunday is Bring a Biscuit to Church day!

Each person will need a small round biscuit (digestive/rich tea style or cracker) to hold during the service!

God Bless & elbow bumps,

Mark

PRAYER OF THE WEEK –

*Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Give us Your bliss, Your strength,
Your Love and Your Peace at this time, for Jesus' sake.*

PRAYER THEME

Pray for those being caught up in 'spikes' of CoViD-19.

You have Called me – music and images for prayer, contemplation -

<https://youtu.be/Zox9YksAB5A>

Wednesday Reflection – Psalm 145 - <https://youtu.be/ljWY3Lcx4A>

Next Sunday:

10.30am – Worship Together via **Zoom** video-conference

Connect Discussion Group. The Discussion group is now being continued online on Thursday evenings.

If you would like to join in please contact Tim Harmer- timharmer95@gmail.com

First Base Food Bank ... Due to present difficulties, it has become preferable to donate money so that First Base can source the food required themselves. You can donate by using the following link www.justgiving.com/first-base. Please do donate if you can.

Worship during self-isolation and social-distancing:

To ensure that we can all continue to worship together as far as possible we currently mainly use the internet:

Zoom video-conferencing for Sunday worship (also by telephone!)

YouTube clips for meditation and reflection (highlighted in CFN)

Facebook posts for ongoing encouragement and information

Email for general contact and updates

- but ... we are aware that some of you are not connected to such things.

Your Elder will ensure that you get a copy of the CFN each week and these include the hymns, a few thoughts on the reading for Sunday Worship, and other ideas to enable you to join in the ongoing worship, prayer and study life of the congregations as you are able.

TOGETHER AT HOME ... 7pm Sunday & Thursday.

Join in prayer, thought and reflection. Use the weekly prayer and theme from CFNs.

Light a candle. Look at pictures of friends/family/congregation. Listen to restful music.

As we pray in the name of Jesus the Holy Spirit will unite us across the distancing.

YOU can help ...

If you have a helpful prayer ...

If you have any beautiful pictures ...

If you have any encouraging stories ...

...let Colin, Lindsay, Mark, Matthew, or Max have them to share with everyone

**** Don't forget to pass on these CFNs to neighbours and friends as you are able ****

* Notes for inclusion in Augusts CFNs to Samantha by Friday midday please. * samanthaw782@outlook.com Tel. 01387 820231.

Words and notes for Sunday's service are overleaf.

Hymn 139

Praise the Lord, you heavens, adore Him;
praise Him, angels, in the height;
sun and moon, rejoice before Him,
praise Him, all you stars and light.

Praise the Lord! for He has spoken;
worlds His mighty voice obeyed;
laws which never shall be broken
for their guidance has He made.

Praise the Lord! for He is glorious;
never shall His promise fail;
God has made His saints victorious;
sin and death shall not prevail.

Praise the God of our salvation!
Hosts on high, His power proclaim,
heaven and earth, and all creation,
laud and magnify His Name.

Foundling Hospital Hymns (c.1796) from Psalm 148

Hymn 166

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
whose trust, ever childlike,
no cares could destroy,
be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord,
at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
whose strong hands were skilled
at the plane and the lathe,
be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts,
Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome,
Your arms to embrace,
be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your Love in our hearts,
Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
whose voice is contentment,
whose presence is balm,
be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your Peace in our hearts,
Lord, at the end of the day.

Jan Struther (1901-1953)

Hymn 352

O for a thousand tongues, to sing
my great Redeemer's praise, {x2
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of His Grace! {x4

Jesus! the Name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease; {x2
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace. {x4

He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
He sets the prisoner free; {x2
His blood can make the foulest clean,
His blood availed for me. {x4

He speaks, and, listening to His voice,
new life the dead receive, {x2
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice,
the humble poor believe. {x4

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb,
your loosened tongues employ; {x2
ye blind, behold your Saviour come;
and leap, ye lame, for joy! {x4

My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim, {x2
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honours of Thy Name. {x4

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)