



Dunscore Church Family Notices

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SUNDAY 15th August 2021

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A note from our Minister:

As schools return and Autumn approaches there is a lot of planning to do if we are to be ready.

Kirk Sessions and Boards are not exempt – check the diary for the September and October services.

After the slowing-down of Summer we have to get back up to speed. The joys of the Galas have given us much to remember and treasure as nights draw in – Circus acts, big tents, and bunting galore! We are blessed to live in such active and friendly communities.

After trying 'live' transmission of our Dunscore services, we're going back to Zooming to see if that suits better. Aside from technical issues, for some it is a more interactive way of being with us whilst 'confined to barracks' by health or isolation. Watch for the link if you want to log in with us.

However you join us, welcome. Why not invite a friend? Our variety of worship and events should give something for everyone!

After all ... God is for everyone!

God Bless,
Mark

Prayer Theme – As schools go back ask God to help you get back into a settled routine.

Prayer of the Week

*Lord Jesus, You walked on earth at a time of upheaval and change,
give us the patience, the faith, and the wisdom we need
to walk in Your Way through this stage of the pandemic.*

*Show us what lessons You have for us
and guide our forward steps over this summer
so that we can better reflect You in our lives
and better show You to others.*

Next Sunday:

10am – Café Church at St Ninian's Church

11.45am – Morning Worship in Dunscore Church

Sunday's Church Service

This at the usual time of 11:45 am in the church but the live stream is moving from YouTube to Zoom from this Sunday.

It is on this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86939887756> and you will be able to join a little bit before 11:45 am. The service will be recorded and will be sent round the church email list shortly after the service.

You can join the church email list on this link: <http://eepurl.com/ds0gzj>

Eco Snippet

Use long-lasting light bulbs. Energy efficient light bulbs reduce greenhouse gas emissions and last far longer. Also, if you flip the light switch off when you leave the room, you'll save quite a bit on your electricity.

First Base Food Bank

Please remember to support this excellent charity. It is still hard for many folk living on little income. I know that many of you give through 'Just Giving' online www.justgiving.com/first-base but as an alternative, Mark Frankland would be delighted to receive cheques to 'The First Base Food Agency', 6 Buccleuch Street, Dumfries DG1 2NH.

Coming Soon

22nd August - 10 am St Ninian's, Moniaive Café Church 11.45 am Dunscore

29th August tbc Joint Service

Please send items for inclusion in the CFNs to Samantha Wallace

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