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> **Sunday 17th March 2024** Readings – Jeremiah 31:31-34; John 12:20-33

A Message from our Minister:

Today used to be known as Passion Sunday. The day to remember that Jesus deliberately and consciously headed toward Jerusalem even though He knew what lay ahead of Him. The day to remember that He did that because of His Love for YOU! What more do you need to know? God Bless, Mark

PS I'm 'off' this week so please contact Colin Mitchell (Dunscore 820455), Nan Tait (Moniaive 200403), or Rev Tim Harmer (Dunscore 820861) if you need any help or information.

PRAYER for this week:

Most Merciful God, Your Son chose the path of service rather than self, effort rather than ease, sacrifice rather than safety. Give us the same passion for others, and by Your Grace fill us with the Holy Spirit so that we may daily follow Jesus' example. PRAYER THEME - Ask God to fill you with His passion for others.

Thursday:

7.30pm - Connect: Lent Lead us not into temptation ... at Dunscore Church

7.30pm - Solway to Svalbard MADAA talk at St Ninian's, Moniaive

Saturday:

from 5pm - Fish & Chip Van outside Flying Pig (order in advance) 6.30 for 7pm - Glencairn Gazette Awards Evening in the Craigdarroch Arms, Moniaive 7.15 for 8pm - Bingo & Light Supper in Flying Pig, Dunscore (Pre-School and other charities)

Next Sunday: PALM SUNDAY

10am – Family Worship in St Ninian's, Moniaive 11.30am – Together with KiKs & Annual Congregational Meeting in Dunscore Church

HOLY WEEK:

Maundy Thursday (28th): The Last Supper Reflection & Communion 2pm in St Ninian's, Moniaive; 7.30pm in Dunscore Church

Good Friday (29th):

The Crucifixion Meditation &; Reflection 11am in St Ninian's, Moniaive; 2pm in Dunscore Church

Easter Day (31st):

8am – Poolside Praise at Cairn Pool, Moniaive 9am – Breakfast Buns in St Ninian's, Moniaive 10.30am – Joint Family Worship in St Ninian's, Moniaive

ECO-Snippets - tips for working towards a more sustainable life ...

More skin stuff ... (definitely a theme this month!) Do the edges of your semi-hard/hard cheese get hardened when left in the fridge? Next time you cut a piece of cheese put a very light coat of butter on the chopped edge to keep it fresh and mould free!

> The Big Plant Sale . Funds for "Raising the Manse Roof" 27th April 11am – 2pm. Glenriddell Hall.

Plants of all sorts for Sale, with teas and Bric-a-brac. We are looking for contributions of all kinds of plants, baking ,bric-a-brac and toys. (No clothes please). This sale is especially important as we have serious repairs to carry out on the Manse roof.

Mary Waugh (820301) <u>marypwaugh@gmail.com</u> will collect items in advance of the sale.



Please send any items for CFNs for service on Sunday 24th March by Friday afternoon 21st March to Tim Harmer at timharmer95@gmail.com