



Church Family Notices

11th August 2024

Morning Worship at 10:00 am


Reading: – John 6: 41-51


Join the Service Online:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86939887756>

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A Message from our Minister

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Well done! You've survived Gala Season! However many events you managed to take part in, however wet you got, however overfed you felt ... you did it!

It's always great to see so many members of our communities come together determined to have fun and enjoy themselves. I hope that the Galas will have helped cement some relationships, built some friendships, created new neighbours. On the Sundays we've thought about how God seeks to meet our needs through Jesus, the Bread of Life. In the throngs of Gala happiness, it's easy to forget our woes, but as 'normality' returns, we may feel the wallop of life, the low after the high. Reality bites!

The Gala may be finished, the marquee away for another year, but Jesus remains. He wants to be beside us as we walk through the often harsh reality of life. He wants to be within us as we feel the highs and lows, as we face the physical challenges of life. Do you believe that?

We often sing "What a Friend we have in Jesus" – join us to find out for yourself.

God Bless, Mark

Prayer for this week:

*Lord Jesus,
I thank You that You are the Bread of Life,
the staple of life itself,
physically, mentally, emotionally, spiritually.
I come to You as I am,
with all my needs and brokenness,
with all the good things in my life.*

PRAYER THEME - Thank Jesus for being the 'Bread of Life' for you

First Base Food Bank

The Dumfries Food Bank, First Base is always in need of support. IF YOU CAN: Please donate through "Just Giving" online - www.justgiving.com/firstbase or Mark Frankland would be delighted to receive cheques made out to 'The First Base Food Agency' at First Base FoodBank, 6 Buccleuch Street, Dumfries DG1 2NH or Sheila will be happy to take a donation in church and send it. Many thanks for your help. Phone Sheila on 01387 820236 or email sheila69@btinternet.com for more information.

ECO-Snippet Scripture provides us with so much good everyday advice and examples to follow. In Matthew 14 verse 20, the feeding of the 5,000, it states that: "everyone ate and had enough then the disciples took up 12 baskets full of what was left over". So nothing was wasted and no litter was left behind - a good example for us to follow!

Forthcoming Events		
Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 13 August	7:30 pm	Session Meeting
Sunday 18 August	10:00 am	Family Service
Saturday 7 th September		Tea Party / Fete at the manse – donations for baking etc. gratefully received

Please send any CFN items for July to Colin Mitchell by Noon on Friday at c.mitchell50@btinternet.com