



Church Family Notices

Date: Sunday 30th March 2025

Morning Worship 10:30 am

Today's reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 16-21

Worship in Dunscore Church is for everyone regardless of age, nationality, status, or ability. You will be made most welcome at our services. If you can't make it to our Sunday services, you can join online at this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86939887756>

A MESSAGE FROM OUR MINISTER:

Welcome to British Summer Time!

Welcome to Mothering Sunday!

Welcome to the fifth Sunday of March!!

Today we join together as congregations in Joint Worship. At 10:30 am BST!

Mothering Sunday is an ancient tradition. NOT Mother's Day (the Hallmark Festival), but a time to remember those who have helped us on our journey of faith, from our Baptism to today.

Whilst it is important to say "thank you" to our mothers and others and be grateful for all that they have done for us, Mothering Sunday goes beyond this. We reflect on how we have come to where we are in our spiritual lives, recalling how God has worked through others to build our trust in Him, give us strength in times of weakness, and using us to help others too.

The things which we give thanks for on Mothering Sunday are the very things we should be doing for others. Edification. Encouragement. Engagement. As we continue the spiritual journey through Lent, we show our gratitude for help received in the past by asking God to help us help others!

Whether you need His help or want to help others, join us to find out more.

God bless,

Mark

PRAYER FOR LENT

Father God, thank You for your Word, an effective weapon that equips us for survival.

We give thanks for the unshakeable truths on which we can stand firm.

Lord Jesus, we praise You for always watching over us, through good times, bad times and desert times.

Thank You that when we falter all we need do is cry out to You and we are heard.

Holy Spirit, thank You that no matter what hardships we encounter, whatever dry wilderness places we may find ourselves in, You always guide us through.

We praise You for the angelic help we receive in times of weariness from neighbours, friends, colleagues or strangers.

Father, Son, Holy Spirit, thank You for helping us to survive and thrive.

PRAYER THEME: Ask God to help you to Edify, Encourage and Engage in sharing Love.

COMING SOON:

Thursday 3 April: 7:30 pm – Connect Bible Study at Dunscore Church. All most welcome!

Sunday 6 April: 10:00 am - Morning worship

ECO SNIPPET (these are prepared each week by members of our Eco Group): It's gardening season. Make your garden more productive. Try a strawberry or tomato plant in your hanging baskets this year. Consider adding edibles to your borders and flower beds - like beetroot, chard, salad and herbs.

Happy Gardening   

Which leads neatly into the **PLANT SALE:** The Plant Sale this year will take place on Saturday 10th May at the Glenriddell Hall. There will be the usual stalls of plants, books, bric-a-brac with teas etc. All donations will be gratefully received. Contact Mary Waugh 820301 if you can help or donate.

STATED ANNUAL MEETING: The Dunscore Church Stated Annual Meeting was held last Sunday. If you would like to read the draft minutes of the meeting, these are on the notice board in the Hall of Fellowship.

HYMN / SONG CHOICES: If you have a favourite hymn or worship song, please send it to Mark and he will include it in a future service. This might not be immediately but will be included when the service theme is appropriate.

CHURCH FAMILY NOTICES: If you have anything that you would like to be included in next week's CFNs please send it to Sheila at sheila69@btinternet.com.com by noon on Friday.

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