



Church Family Notices

Date: Sunday 22nd June 2025

Morning Worship Together with KIKs: 10:00 am

A Message from our Minister:

I guess I don't have much to say this week. We've covered all the theological basics – Creation, Incarnation, Crucifixion, Resurrection, Ascension, the Holy Spirit, the Trinity! Time to relax for the Summer!

One basic truth we can remember and reflect on as we gather together round the Barbecue or in the Gala Marquee is that everyone is the same to God. He loves everybody, regardless of age, gender, race, ability, He loves us all.

That's something to celebrate. It is also a challenge! He wants us to share His Love with everybody. Not just our closest pals, those who agree with us on everything, those who like the same music, those of our generation, or those who like us. Everybody.

Let's declare a summer of love and share God's Love with everybody we meet!

God Bless,

Mark

PRAYER for this WEEK: *Lord God, thank You that You are always showing us*

new things in this world.

We remember rainbows after rain

and the cleansing effect of a strong wind.

We think of a grimy world made white and pure by snow,

and a beach washed clean by the tide.

Most of all, we thank You

for the new start You gave the world in Jesus.

PRAYER THEME – Thank God for His renewing work in your life as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

HUNGARIAN INVASION!

We are about to be hosting two separate Hungarian Visits!

1. On Thursday 26th June, four student - winners of the Jane Haining Competition and two accompanying adults are coming for the day. (one of the adults visited in 2013 with the Theological Student's group). Pam and Colin will collect them from the station and take them to Dumfries Academy then bring them out to Dunscore Hall for lunch. This is an invitation to meet and join them. If you can do that, please bring some food to share to the Glenriddell Hall for 1.00 pm and speak to Pam so we can set up for everyone. It was a lovely occasion last year and we shared a marvellous finger buffet.

2. In 2013 a large group (about 40) of Hungarian Theological Students, touring Scotland, stayed overnight (sleeping in the Glenriddell Hall) and learning more about Jane Haining and walking around the area and looking in the Church. It was a memorable occasion. The organisers have asked if this could be repeated and Pam has agreed. So, 15 students plus leaders will arrive on Monday 30th for the night. Any offers or contributions for their food would be gratefully received, and again, Pam will coordinate this. We would like to provide them with supper and breakfast so please speak to Pam if you would like to help (820455)

This is part of Jane Haining's legacy where we can show hospitality, generosity and friendship with our brothers and sisters from Hungary in her memory. Thank you so much...in anticipation.

DUNSCORE CHURCH DUTY ROTA

If you help with church duties, please let Colin know when you are not available. A new rota is being prepared. If you would like to be added to the list of helpers, please speak to Colin.

This afternoon:

3-6pm – **Summer BBQ fundraiser for Moniaive Playcare** at Glencairn Bowling Club

Monday:

11am – **Funeral: MICHAEL BEATTIE** at Dunscore Church

Saturday:

7.30pm – **Pizza Party fundraiser for Dunscore Gala** at the Flying Pig, Dunscore

Next Sunday:

****10.30am – Joint Worship** at St Ninian's, Moniaive

Coming up ...

4th & 5th July – **Cairn Chorus** re-scheduled concerts, watch for details

Sun 6th July – **Service times swap over!** ... St Ninian's at 10am, Dunscore at 11.45am!

Sun 20th July – ****10.30am – Joint Gala Praise** in Moniaive Gala Marquee

Sun 3rd August – ****10.30am – Joint Gala Praise** in Dunscore Gala Marquee

ECO-SNIPPET:

Juice Up Your Lemons

To make a lemon juicier and easier to squeeze, place it in the microwave for 10 seconds. Remove, allow to cool, and proceed to extract the juice from the lemon.

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB ... *Weds 30th, Thurs 31st July, Fri 1st August*

Dunscore Church will be running a Holiday Club during the week in the run-up to the Dunscore Gala.

Help is needed with 'snack time' for the children and other practical matters.

Contact Jenny Dobson or Caroline Waugh for more information.

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 Colin at c.mitchell50@btinternet.com by noon on Friday.

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