Church Family Notices

SUNDAY 29th November 2026 at 10.30am…Advent Sunday

Joint Holy Communion in Dunscore Church

10am minibus pick-up in Moniaive

(This service is live-streamed on YouTube, CairnValley Churches channel)

A Message from our Minister:

Advent is here! We celebrate by our congregations joining together and sharing Holy Communion and looking forward to Christ's return!

Today's world can seem hopeless – wars, terrorism, inflation, poverty, crises, and uncertainty.

How can we have hope?

Guess what … the answer is to put our faith and trust in God. Is it really that simple?

As we move toward Christmas I give you a simple question …

Has whatever you have put your hope in during your life so far really delivered?

Christmas is about a Special Delivery which never fails us – Jesus, the Child in a manger.

Join us across Advent to find out for yourself.

God Bless,

Mark

PRAYER for this week:

Almighty God,
give us grace to cast away the works of darkness
and put on the armour of light,
now in the time of this mortal life
in which Your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility,
that on the Last Day,
when He shall come again in His Glorious Majesty
to judge both the living and the dead,
we may rise to the life immortal;
through Him who reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

PRAYER THEME:

Ask the Holy Spirit to fill you with hope – hope in Jesus, hope for today, hope for tomorrow

Thursday:
7.30pm **Connect: Bible Study Advent Peace** in Dunscore Church
7.30pm **Winter Traditions** Glencairn History Group in St Ninian's, Moniaive

Friday:
6.30pm **Winter Art Exhibition Launch** in The Hive, Moniaive
7.30 for 8pm **Christmas Quiz** at The Flying Pig, Dunscore

Saturday:
10am-1pm **Repair Café** in Glencairn Memorial Institute, Moniaive
3-5pm **Fairtrade Market** in Dunscore Church
from 6pm **Santa comes to Dunscore!** across the village … and beyond!

NEXT SUNDAY:
10am **Morning Worship** in Dunscore Church
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COMING UP:
Th 10th 7.30pm **Connect: Bible Study Advent Joy** in Dunscore Church
Sa 12th 10.30am-12noon **Coffee Morning** in St Ninian's, Moniaive
Sa 12th 12noon-2pm **Christmas Tree Festival** in Dunscore Church
Sa 12th 1-4pm **Malcolm McCall memorial lunch** in Glencairn Bowling Club
Su 13th **10.30am **ALL Together … NOEL!** in Dunscore Church

Eco Snippets:
Gardens must have lots of thyme
Thyme for each other
Thyme for family
Thyme for friends
Thyme for God
Water freely with patience and cultivate with love

Christmas Greetings…These will be displayed on the overhead screens.
If you would like to be included, email your contribution to David Shaw (davrshaw@aol.com).
As last year, forward one of the following

- Powerpoint slide
- Photo with your suggested greeting
- A greeting

Alternatively, speak to David!
A 'sample' will be displayed on the overhead screens this Sunday!

La Posada There are still some spaces for people to host Mary, Joseph and the donkey (well, actually porcelain figures of them) for a night. Details are on the church website at: www.dunscorechurch.org.uk/la-posada-2025 and you can contact June to book your date at: jmharmer21@gmail.com.

CHURCH FAMILY NOTICES: If you have anything that you would like to be included in next week's CFNs please send it to Sheila sheila69@btinternet.comby noon on Thursday.
Please let Colin or Mark know if you are willing to join the CFN rota.

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