

**Kirkcudbright Parish Church**  
**Sunday 01 July 2018**  
**9.30 a.m. Service**  
**Conducted by Mark Hutton**

Gathering Songs: "You're the word of God the Father" (across the lands) & "Who has held the oceans" (Behold our God).

Welcome and call to worship: Dan Harrison.

Opening praise: "Come people of the Risen King"

Kids presentation: Emily Harrison

Song: "God's love is the best love"

Reading: Acts 8 26-40: Hani

Praise: "Lord I come before your throne of grace" & "What a friend we have in Jesus"( offering)

Prayers of intercession: Alistair Simpson

Teaching - Faith comes from hearing.....Mark

Closing praise: "These are the days of Elijah"

**11 a.m. Service**  
**Conducted by Rev. John Collard**  
**Reader: Sylvia Elliot**

Call to worship

118 "Womb of life" (tune 445 Hyfrydol)

Prayer and Lord's prayer

Encounters on the journey

716 "Come and find the quiet centre"

Readings:

Psalm 130 (p624) (Read together)

Mark 5:21-43

565 "My life flows on"

Life changing moments

534 "Make me a captive, Lord" - Offering

Prayers for ourselves and others

606 "Lord, you sometimes speak in wonders"

Benediction

Amen, Amen, Alleluia, Amen



Following the Service you are invited to a celebration of communion, which will be held at the 'Trades' end of the Church.

## NOTICES

**Sunday Prayers** for our services and community concerns are held in the Vestry each Sunday, starting half an hour before the Service. Next week at 9.00 a.m.

**Interim Minister** Rev. John Collard may be contacted at the Manse. Tel: 01557 330489 Mob: 07762567813 & email: [JCollard@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:JCollard@churchofscotland.org.uk)

**Parish Newsletters** for July/ August are available for pick up in the Church today. Many thanks to all who distribute the newsletters. No delivery in August !

**World Church Team** – Coffee Morning, Saturday 7 July- Church Hall 10.00 – 12 noon.

**Art & Crafts Trail** - On the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of August (the weekend of the Arts and Crafts Trail), we are planning to have a couple of children's' creative activities running in church, between 11am and 4pm daily. The activities will be fun, and simple enough for all ages to enjoy, will be an opportunity for us to help provide an 'extra warm' welcome for those visiting church, and also to 'promote' our Sunday 'Messy Church' sessions. If you would like to be involved in helping the children and their families take part in the activities, we'd be delighted to have you 'on the team'! Please get in touch with Sue McMinn, by emailing the church office, or by signing up to the rota at the back of the church. Please make contact by Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July, so we can ensure we are organised in plenty of time. Thank you! '

**Worship Group meeting** – Wednesday 04 July at 6.30 p.m. in Church

**Stewartry Food Bank** next collection will be on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July, from 9 - 9.30am at Greyfriars' House or please leave items at the back of the Church in the plastic box. We are grateful for any contributions, and are running low in the following areas: tinned fruit and fish (tuna, sardines etc.); tinned and packet soups; small packets of cereal (e.g. Weetabix). As always, thank you for your support.

**Spring Clean** - Anything in the kitchen from catering for a regular Hall booking or a one off event, please retrieve it or it will end up being given to a charity shop or thrown. In addition, if there are items under the stage which need to be sorted, please do so before we have a final clear out run to the tip. Any items not sorted will be removed. Kim

**Soup and Sweet** lunch in aid of Mary's Meals on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July in the Parish Church Hall 11.30am - 2.30pm. We need volunteers to make soup and sweets & volunteers to serve. Please contact Louise Finch.

**Sunday evening Prayer & Praise** - There will be a meeting this evening when future meetings will be discussed.

**Church Flower Distributor** for this week is Irene Robertson. Please contact her if you have any suggestions for Church flower deliveries.

**Manse Office** will be open next week on Wednesday & Friday 9.30am -1.30pm. Tel: 01557 330489 or please use the following email address to contact the office - [church@kirkcudbrightparishchurch.org.uk](mailto:church@kirkcudbrightparishchurch.org.uk)