

**KIRKCUDBRIGHT PARISH CHURCH**  
**07 October 2018**  
**9.30 a.m. Service**  
**Conducted By Mark Hutton – Elder**

Gathering Song: “Light of the world”  
Welcome: Dan Harrison  
Opening praise: “Behold the Lord” & “ Bless the lord oh my soul”  
Kids talk  
Reading: Genesis 1: 1-8 - k Bri Farlam  
Song: “Be still for the presence” & “Jesus be the centre” - Offering  
Prayers of intercession: Steve Richardson  
Teaching - God brings light  
Closing praise: “ The splendour of the king”

**11 a.m. Service**  
**Conducted by Rev. John Collard**  
**Reader: Helen Waddell**

Call to worship

355 “You Lord are both lamb and shepherd”  
Prayer and Lord’s Prayer  
Encountering different attitudes  
510 “Jesus calls us here to meet him”  
Readings  
Psalm 26 (p556) Read together  
Mark 10:2-16 (p1014)  
493 “It’s me, it’s me, it’s me O Lord”  
Tough questions  
553 “Just as I am”  
(Offering)  
Prayers for ourselves and others  
694 “Brother sister let me serve you”  
Benediction  
Amen, Amen, Alleluia, Amen



**Communion will be celebrated at the ‘Trades End’ of the church, after the 11am service today. All are welcome**

**NOTICES**

**Sunday Prayers** for our services and community concerns are held in the Vestry each Sunday 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 or Mob: 07762567813 & email: [JCollard@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:JCollard@churchofscotland.org.uk)

**Finance Meeting** – Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October at 5.15p.m. at the Manse.

The Parish Newsletter is available for pick up today.

24 Hours of Prayer from 12 noon on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October – 12 noon on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October. Please sign up today at the back of the Church if you would like to pray.



**Church Choir** - Geoff our new organist is planning to start a Church choir and is inviting you to contact him if you would like to have a chat about this. Please speak to him today after the services.

On 21<sup>st</sup> October at both Services Gary Brough, Presbytery Mission Partner will give a presentation about his upcoming appointment in Malawi. There will also be an informal meeting in the Church at 2 p.m. to meet and chat with him.

**Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal 2018** – Can you fill a shoebox to help someone in need this Christmas? Little things we take for granted can seem like luxuries for people in desperate poverty, so please take a leaflet and fill a shoebox. It means a great deal to people when they know someone cares. Leaflets are available in the Church Hall, in the Church or at Cavers and Co. Please note that this year Blythswood are collecting shoeboxes earlier than usual in the south of Scotland, so please have your shoeboxes ready by the **end of October**. Boxes can be handed in to **Cavers and Co, 40/42 St Mary Street, Kirkcudbright** or at any **Church service before 31<sup>st</sup> October**. We have a supply of empty boxes at Cavers and Co, so please pick one up from there if necessary.

The next collection for the Stewartry Food Bank will be on Tuesday, 9th October, 9 - 9.30am, at Greyfriars' House or you can leave items at the back of the Church in the plastic box. As our supplies are in good health, we have no specific requests at this time, but will be happy to accept anything you have collected since your last delivery. Thank you, as always, for your continuing support,

Messy Church will now take place on October 28<sup>th</sup> instead of October 14<sup>th</sup> as previously intimated.

A new rota is being made up for the Sunday coffee and fellowship time in between Services. We would appreciate more help to set up and serve, please contact Ann at the Manse office.

Help restore a 19<sup>th</sup> Century walled garden - Abernethy Barcaple are looking for enthusiastic volunteers from the local community to restore their garden into an eco-garden to benefit the planet and young people's groups visiting Barcaple. The sessions will take place on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of the month 10 a.m. until 2pm. Bring a packed lunch and refreshments will be provided. If you love working outdoors, have reasonable fitness and time to give please contact Emma.

Trip to Oberammergau led by Rev. Val Ott - 17 – 24 Aug 2020. Flying from Edinburgh to Munich, holiday in Austria and two days to visit the Play. More details from Val Ott

**Church Flower Distributor** for October is Angela McAdam. Please contact her if you have any suggestions for Church flower deliveries.

**Manse Office** will be open next week on Wednesday and 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)