



**KIRKCUDBRIGHT PARISH CHURCH**  
**10 NOVEMBER 2019**  
**9.30 a.m. Service**  
**Conducted by Sue McMinn - Elder**



Gathering Songs: "Praise is Rising" & "Blessed be your name"  
Welcome and opening prayer: Vivien McAlpine  
Song: "Come people of the risen king"  
All age blether:  
Song: Praise Band choice "Blessed be your name" (Offering)  
Reading: Jeremiah 31: 1-6: Ivor  
Song: "The liturgy of the hours"  
Reading: Jeremiah 32: 1-15  
Reflection: 'Hope'  
Song: "There is a hope that stands the test of time"  
Poem: 'For the Fallen': Eric Mackie  
Prayers for others and ourselves  
"The Lord's My Shepherd" (and I will trust in you alone)  
Share the Grace

**11.15 Service of Remembrance**  
**Conducted by Geoff Monk – Reader**  
**Scripture Reading: Linda Kinnell**

Welcome and Invitation to Worship  
Hymn 124: Praise to the Lord the Almighty  
Prayers, confession; The Lord's prayer &  
Reflection for Remembrance, led by Rev Stephen Hazlett  
Hymn 159: Lord for the Years  
Psalm 98: read together  
Hymn 531: My Jesus, My Saviour  
Readings: 2 Thessalonians 2: 1-5; 13-17  
Luke 20: 27-38  
Reflection: I believe in . . . resurrection and life everlasting  
Hymn 466: Before the throne of God above (Offering)  
Prayers of Intercession; short meditation; Collect  
Hymn 154: How great thou art  
The Grace; sung Amen

**NOTICES**

**Sunday Prayers** for our services and community concerns are held in the Vestry each Sunday 30 minutes before the Service. Next week at 9.00 a.m.

**Interim Moderator** Rev. David Bartholomew may be contacted on 01644 430380 & email [Dbartholomew@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:Dbartholomew@churchofscotland.org.uk)

**Christmas Gifts** - On Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December, before both Services, your Christmas gifts for local children in need may be left in front of the Communion Table. Please have your gift wrapped in Christmas paper with a label indicating as regards to age and gender. Thank you

**The World Church Team** 102nd coffee morning raised £204.96p. This gives us a total of £25,371.62p. We had 56 people attend.

**Samara's Aid Appeal** - 'Rebuilding the ruins'. Samara will be visiting Kirkcudbright Parish Church on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November 6.30pm – 8.00pm to talk about her work and experiences in Syria serving 'the worst humanitarian crisis of our generation,

**The Friendship Club** – Wednesday 13 November 2019 – 2 – 3.30 p.m. - Ivor Waddell presenting Willie Marshall, the Gypsy King

Our next monthly collection is on Tuesday, 12th November, 9 - 9.30am, at Grey friars House, Our supplies have recently been significantly depleted we would welcome contributions of all foodstuffs and toiletries (except tea and toothpaste, of which we have plenty!) Looking ahead, at the December collection we make up special Christmas boxes for referred families and individuals. As well as basic foodstuffs, these include some seasonal food treats and small gifts for adults and children. Any donations of non-perishable items can be made at this collection, but perishable items should be delivered [on 10th December](#), as these boxes are sent out the week before Christmas, so we need to be careful with use-by dates. Thank you again for all your support - The Stewart Food Bank Team.

**Fellowship Dinner** at the Kenbridge Hotel near New Galloway on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 7.15 for 7.30 pm when Geoff Monk from the Weather Centre at Laurieston (and also Presbytery Reader) will speak on Climate Change. He will seek to explain the science simply and why a climate emergency has been declared. And on what can be done globally to minimise the changes, and what we can do ourselves. There will be a time for questions/discussion. Cost of the meal £14. An offering will also be taken up for Abbas Rest Orphans, to support orphans and their communities in southern Malawi. To book please phone Rev David Bartholomew.

**Walking Group.** The next walk will take place on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November, setting off from the church gates at approximately 12.15pm. Please note the new date. We'll do the Torr's Point loop which is approximately 4 miles. Level – moderate. Conditions underfoot very muddy in a couple of places so walking boots are advised. Should the weather and/or forecast be poor on that day we will reschedule! All welcome!

**Charity quiz** - Andrew Orr is holding a charity quiz with raffle in the Church Hall Sunday 17th Nov in aid of Doddie Weirs MND foundation at 2pm . £8 per head. Tea & Coffee will be available. Teams of maximum 6, come have fun and support a great cause. Please contact Andrew to buy or reserve tickets to pay on day.

**Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal 2019** - Many thanks to everyone who contributed so generously to this year's Shoebox Appeal. We sent off 74 filled shoeboxes and several bags of goods that will be used by Blythswood to 'top up' boxes, as well as knitted goods and cash donations. Thank you for your kindness. Margaret Cavers

**Messy Request!** If you have any unwanted jam jars please would you consider donating them to Messy Church for us to make candle lanterns at the end of November? Please hand them in to Sue or the Church Office. Many thanks!

**Lost property** - We have a walking stick, a large black cool bag and some spectacles which have been left in the Church Hall. Please collect if they are yours from the basket in the kitchen.

**Church Flower Distributor** for November is Helen McQuater. Please contact her if you have any suggestions for Church flower deliveries.

**The Church Office** is open on Wednesdays & Fridays from 9.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m. Tel: 01557 330489. Email [church@kirkcudbrightparishchurch.org.uk](mailto:church@kirkcudbrightparishchurch.org.uk)