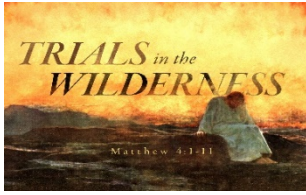


KIRKCUDBRIGHT PARISH CHURCH
Order of Service
SUNDAY 18 June 2017



9.30 a.m. Service

Conducted by the Staff from Barcaple Christian Outdoor Centre
"Jesus in the Desert" Matthew 4: 1-11

Gathering songs: "Our God is greater" & "Come thou fount of every blessing"

Welcome and opening prayer

Opening Worship: "Blessed be your name" & "Our God is greater"

Children's Talk

Song: "Be thou my vision"

Reading

Teaching: Rhys Loftus

Song: "Cornerstone" (offering uplifted)

Prayers of intercession

Closing song: "In Christ alone"

11 a.m. Service

Conducted by Rev. John Collard

Reader: Fiona Michie

Call to Worship

CH4 97 "O God you search me and you know me"

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Pass it on

CH4 724 "Christ's is the world"

Readings

Psalms 116 (p615) Read together

Matthew 9:35 – 10:23 (p974)

CH4 291 "When out of poverty is born"

Church sent

CH4 255 "Father hear the prayer we offer"

Offering

Dedication and prayers of Intercession

CH4 428 "For my sake and the gospel's go"

Benediction

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. Please join us for these opportunities to pray.

Prayer requests for people or situations of need may be (1) deposited this morning in the Prayer Box in the Vestibule, using prayer slips provided on the pews, or (2) shared in confidence at any time with Charlie & Elizabeth Bennett, our Pastoral Care Convenors.

Next Sunday (25th June) the 11am Service will host the **Vox Iuventutis Children's Choir** from Debrecen in Hungary. This is part of the ongoing twinning arrangement between our Presbytery – Dumfries and Kirkcudbright – and the Presbytery of Debrecen. We look forward to welcoming the choir whose ages range from 11 to 16.



1st Kirkcudbright Boys Brigade Beetle Drive & Prize giving. Thursday 22 June at 6.00 p.m. in Church Hall. Refreshments and raffle. Donations of raffle prizes would be appreciated. Come along, it is great fun.



Kirkcudbright Country Fair – 8 and 9th July. The Church is running a Refreshment Tent at the Country Fair. Volunteers are needed to help both days and donations of soup; scones, fruit loaves and tray bakes would be most appreciated. Please be in touch with Pat Parker or Ann Morgan.

Open Forum for Kirk Session & Congregational Board on 27 July - 7.30 p.m. – 9 p.m. at the Manse – an informal opportunity to talk about the situation facing our Church.



Merse House Transport. Margaret Hughes after many years of transporting Merse House residents to Church and after doing more than her fair share has now decided to hand this pastoral care duty over to other members of the congregation. Many thanks go to Margaret for the care she has given to the residents. We are looking for volunteers to join our 6 week rota team to uplift and return Merse House residents for the 11 a. m. Service each week, please contact the Church Office if you can help.



The Big Top Holiday Bible Club - 14 – 18 August for 5-11 years in Church Hall. Contact Rhys for pre-registration forms and more information. Volunteers needed. Please pray for both the team and the children.

Wednesday Club. We are still looking for volunteers to help run the Wednesday Club. The Club is enjoyed by so many and needs your help to allow this time of fellowship to continue. Please phone Marian and have a chat and see if we can get together a team of volunteers.



Flower Distributor for June 2017 is Mary McHugh to whom suggestions regarding Church flower deliveries this month can be made.

11 a.m. Sunday Service on Sunday 25 June will be conducted by Rev. John Collard and not Rev Marian Dixon as previously noted in the June Newsletter.

The **Monday Morning Group** meet on Mondays at 10 a.m. Studying Hebrews. For more details, contact Kathleen Ramage. The **Tuesday Fellowship** meet on Tuesday evenings at 7.30 p.m. For more details contact Gail Boland. The **Tuesday Morning Group** meets at 10am at Daar Lodge. Currently using a Living the Question DVD and associated material. Please contact Ron McHugh for more details. The **Tuesday Afternoon Group** meet in the afternoons at 2.00 p.m. & are studying The Beatitudes, for more details, contact Pat Parker. The **Wednesday Evening Fellowship** are suspending meetings for the time being, but will continue to meet informally. You will be made welcome at all group meetings.

Manse Office will be open next week **on Monday 10.30 a.m. – 2.30 p.m. & Wednesday 9.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.** Tel: 01557 330489 please use the following email address for all Kirkcudbright Parish Church business: church@kirkcudbrightparishchurch.org.uk

Our Youth Worker is in the Manse Office on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9.30 a.m. – 1.00 p.m. or contact kpcyouthworker@gmail.com