

Kirkcudbright Parish Church
Sunday 29th April 2018
11 a.m. Service
Conducted by Rev. John Collard
Reader: Fiona Michie

Call to worship

348 Praise the one (tune Blaenwern)

Prayer and Lord's prayer

Remain in me

564 Jesus loves me

Readings:

Psalm 22 (p 554)

John 15: 1-8 (p 1083)

133 Source and sovereign, rock and cloud

How to be a remainder!

562 Through the love of God our saviour (Offering)

Prayers for ourselves and others

509 Jesus calls us

Benediction. Amen, Amen, Alleluia, Amen

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 9.30 a.m.

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

Halo Trust. John Collard, Andy Wade and Gordon Mursell are taking part in the Halo Trust's 'Walk for Syria' on Saturday 23rd June. This is a 30km sponsored walk to raise funds for the work of the Halo Trust, which is based at Thornhill near Dumfries. We would love you to sponsor us and you can do so by going to www.justgiving.com/fundraising/john-collardi or by signing up on the Sponsorship sheet at the back of the church. Thanks for your support.

Who Made your Clothes? On the 5th anniversary of the Rana Plaza factory collapse in 2013, which killed 1,138 people and injured many more, The Fairtrade Foundation together with Fashion Revolution are encouraging millions of people to ask brands **#whomademyclothes** and demand greater transparency in the fashion supply chain. Find out more at www.fairtrade.org.uk Fashion Revolution week, or www.fashionrevolution.org.

Christian Aid Week, 13 – 19th May. House to house collectors are still urgently required. For those of you who have volunteered, your packs will be available for collection on Sundays May 6th (Communion) and May 13th, at the back of the church. You can also collect from Snowdrop House, 2 Tongland Road, from today. We would appreciate help with the Big Count on Monday 21st May from 9.30am onwards in the Church hall. Lunch will be provided. **Mary Newton** is having one of her famous afternoon teas (cost £5) on Friday 18th May at her home. Finally, Alex is walking the Half Marathon, please come and join him or sponsor him generously! Offers of help to Linda Kinnell.

The Abernethy Trust are having a week of prayer and fasting from May 7th to 13th. As well as seeking God's blessing and direction for ourselves, we are going to pray for our local communities and other world matters. The team will set aside time during the day and we will have a 24 hour prayer chain on one night. We will celebrate the week together on Sunday 13th May with communion and a meal. Please let us know what is in your thoughts and pray with us as we seek God for His blessing. We will commit to pray for your church and community. We would love to welcome you to the celebration on Sunday afternoon, which will begin at 3pm. On your arrival come to the main entrance.

Sunday evening Prayer & Praise meeting in the upper room of the Parish Hall 7- 8 p.m. Please come and join us.

Church Flower Distributor for April is Angela McAdam.. Please contact her if you have any suggestions for Church flower deliveries. The Flower Distributor for May will be Helen McQuater.

Our Youth Worker Rhys: Office hours Tuesday & Friday 9.30 – 1 p.m. If you wish to contact him, please e-mail: kpcyouthworker@gmail.com

Manse Office will be open next week on Wednesday 0830-1230. Notices for the order of service for next Sunday should be sent to the church office by 10am on Wednesday (2nd May). Thank you!
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