



LOGIE & ST. JOHN'S (CROSS) PARISH CHURCH
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Are we there yet?' is a question often asked in anticipation. Looking forward to going somewhere sometimes means the journey seems to take for ever. Parents are especially familiar with the phrase!

'There's no turning back now' is another phrase often said with regard to journeys. Once we have passed the halfway stage, we are closer to our destination and so it makes sense to continue. This week we heard positive news from the Scottish Government that lockdown restrictions are beginning to lessen.

We are not fully out of lockdown YET but we have reached a stage where, because of our collected efforts, we are getting nearer to that day and so there should be no turning back. We need to continue to keep to the advice being given. And this week we are now half-way through Lent. It's not Easter YET but there is no turning back as we head towards that time when we can celebrate Jesus' resurrection which gives us all hope

WORSHIP

Following the announcement made by the Scottish Government earlier this week, we are hopeful that we will be able to return to our church building for a service on Easter Sunday. There will, as before, be Covid related restrictions which we will be required to adhere to. Further details will be shared with you in the near future.

Meanwhile, our online worship continues with services appearing on www.logies.org at 10am each Sunday morning. Each week there is a section especially directed to our children and young people and of-course there is still a Zoom Coffee meet each week at 11.45am.

VACANCY UPDATE

The Presbytery Vacancy Committee met this week to discuss our request to call a Minister and the Kirk Session are pleased to say that they have agreed to an unrestricted call based on the successful applicant devoting some time to Presbytery projects alongside their congregational duties. The Kirk Session are due to meet later this month and with the support of Rev Catriona Morrison, our Interim Moderator, will begin to plan the nomination process. Further information will be shared with congregation members as soon as is practicable.

CONGRATULATIONS



18,262 days = 50 years. That's how long Gordon and Florence Mitchell have been married. Something worth a mention. We send them our very best wishes as they celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary with their family, via Zoom of course.

FOR OUR YOUNG MEMBERS (AND YOUNG AT HEART)

Sunday 14th March is Mother's Day. Cards, chocolates, flowers, all given to show our mum's how much we love them. But hopefully that love lasts longer than one day! God wants us to listen to our parents (mums and dads) and not to go against them. In the book of Ephesians 6:1- 3 He tells us to do as our parents wish and 'everything will be well with you and you will have a long life on earth.'

There are lots of mothers in the Bible – not just Mary! Try this matching quiz (with clues) to find out about some more.



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MOTHERS IN THE BIBLE

Mother and Child Match

Read the scriptures below.
Put the correct letter next to the mother.

1. ____ Eve	A. Solomon (2 Sam 12:24) B. Mahlon & Chilion (Ruth 1:2) C. Samuel (1 Sam 1:20) D. John the Baptist (Luke 1:57) E. Isaac (Gen 17:19) F. Timothy (2 Tim 1) G. Obed (Ruth 4: 16-17) H. Abel (Gen 4: 1-2) I. Yeshua (Mat 1:16) J. Gershom (Ex 2: 21-22) K. Jacob (Gen 25:28) L. James and John
2. ____ Sarah	
3. ____ Rebekah	
4. ____ Zipporah	
5. ____ Ruth	
6. ____ Bathsheba	
7. ____ Naomi	
8. ____ Hannah	
9. ____ Elizabeth	
10. ____ Mary	
11. ____ Eunice	
12. ____ Salome	



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