



## **LOGIE & ST. JOHN'S (CROSS) PARISH CHURCH** **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER: 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021**



We are having a new garden wall built at the rear of our house. As the builder took down the old wall it was obvious that a deeper foundation was going to have to be dug before a new wall could be built. Mulling that over, my mind wandered to the parable of the wise and foolish builders and then I was humming the children's song 'The wise man built his house upon the rock'. Next we had a little digger arrive to dig that necessary foundation and suddenly I was trying to remember the words of the song "Dig a little deeper in God's love". Both songs, although aimed at the young and triggered by two ordinary events, made me stop and think, once again, of the importance of heeding the word of the Lord and how we should try to lead our lives as He would want. What every day events make you stop and think?

### **SUNDAY SERVICE**

We continue to meet weekly at 11am in church. For those unable to join us the service is still available online at [www.logies.org](http://www.logies.org).

There is now no need to 'book ahead' if you wish to worship in church. Access is now available via Shaftesbury Terrace for those unable to use the steps at the main entrance on Blackness Avenue. In the coming weeks we look forward to seeing more of you. Please just come along for 11am remembering your face covering!

### **CONNECT WITH A CUPPA**



Weather permitting, 'Connect with a Cuppa' is back again this week from 2pm – 3pm on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> May. Tables and chairs will be set up at the Shaftesbury Terrace entrance. Bring your own mug if possible. Tea/coffee and wrapped biscuits provided. It won't go ahead if it's raining.

### **CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 2021**

This year Christian Aid week will run from 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> May. You will be able to give a donation via an envelope collection in Church as in previous years. Envelopes are available in the pews. Please take one, give what you can and leave for collection in the box provided in the vestibule. If you took an envelope away last week, don't forget to bring it back.

### **PASTORAL NOTICES**

If you, or anyone you know, is in need of pastoral care then please contact our Session Clerk, Mike Duffy, by emailing [sessionclerk@logies.org](mailto:sessionclerk@logies.org) or by leaving a message on the church answerphone T: 01382 668514

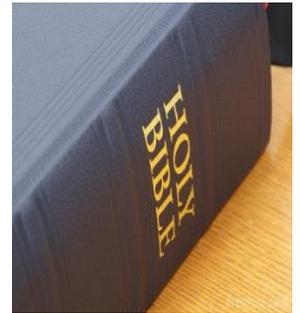
## CONNECT WITH THE BIBLE

There is no 'Connect with the Bible' meeting this week but on Tuesday 18th May, we will start a new series:

### **First Corinthians - How to be the Church.**

Could this give us a 'Road Map' for LSJC?

If you would like the Zoom details to join or more information, then please email [administrator@logies.org](mailto:administrator@logies.org)



## FOR OUR YOUNG MEMBERS (AND YOUNG AT HEART)

*Matthew 7:24-27 Build Your House on the Rock*

*"Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock. And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock. And everyone who hears these words of mine and does not do them will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand. And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell, and great was the fall of it."*

Jesus offers a promise in this parable. He tells of the wise man who builds his house upon the rock and the foolish person who builds his house on the sand. The point is simple, hearing and obeying the words of Jesus will keep us safe.

Colour this picture and try to remember the verse printed along the path.

