

## **LOGIE & ST. JOHN'S (CROSS) PARISH CHURCH** **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER: 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022**



**WEEKLY SUNDAY SERVICE at 11am**  
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The 20<sup>th</sup> October 2022 was 'World Values Day'. Values are what matter most to us. They are the reason we do the things we do. In a world that can feel divided, values help unite us. This week let's put our values into action and especially consider that the Bible tells us to be kind to all people. After saying "Love the Lord your God" is the most important of the commandments, Jesus continued, *the second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.'* *There is no commandment greater than these.*" (NIV, Mark 12:31). "Love" has many different meanings, but the Greek word, *agape*, used in the New Testament, is commonly known as "Christian love." It means respect, affection, benevolence, good-will and concern for the welfare of the one loved. Let us show that this week to whoever we meet.

### **SUNDAY SERVICES: 11 am each week**

Our service this week is led by Gavin Berry, long-time friend of LSJC and Parish Assistant at Lochee Church.

Grant and Gill return from holiday on 24<sup>th</sup> October. The service next Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> October, will be a Sacrament of Holy Communion.

Tea and coffee will be available after the service in the Hall. Please take time to go through and enjoy a chat with fellow worshippers.

### **THANK YOU FROM JOHN & FRANCES DENT**



Many thanks to everyone who came to, or donated to, our Open Garden last weekend. Over £900 was raised. 60% of this will go to Dr Graham's Homes and will care for and educate a child for about 7 months. The rest will go to charities supported by Scotland's Gardens Scheme (Maggies, Gardeners Benevolent and Queen's Nursing Institute).



### **NICOLA MONTGOMERY'S SETTING APART**

Nicola was accepted as a Reader in the Church of Scotland in 2021 but unfortunately the formal recognition was delayed until now. Her Setting Apart Service will take place in Logie & St. John's Cross on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7pm. Nicola is extending an invitation to the service to all. If you would like to celebrate with her please confirm by emailing [nic.montg@live.co.uk](mailto:nic.montg@live.co.uk).

### **SINDERINS COMMUNITY HUB**

The Hub returns this week, Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October, 1pm – 3pm. Do encourage friends and neighbours to go along. It's for all members of our community and that includes you!

### **SPACES FOR LISTENING - LIVING WITH CHANGE**

Over the autumn we will be facilitating a new Space for Listening on the theme, 'Living with Change'. Change is something we all must navigate and work through and living with change can impact our physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual well-being. In the face of change we can feel isolated, anxious, and wonder where God is. This group will be a place where you can share your story, in the knowledge that you will be heard. It will be in the Vestry at 7.30pm on the following Mondays:

**October 31st**

**November 14th**

**November 28th**

If you are experiencing a time of change why not consider coming along and being part of the group, you can attend 1 session or all sessions as they stand alone. To register please email Grant at [gmaclaughlan@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:gmaclaughlan@churchofscotland.org.uk) or sign up at church or call Grant on 07507 710871

**CEILIDH**

We're having a ceilidh on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November. Tickets are now on sale. £10/adult. U16 free.

This is a fellowship event for members of our congregation and the wider community but is limited to 80.



**COFFEE MORNING AT MENZIESHILL PARISH CHURCH**

Supporting  
**WE ARE MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT**

- Cake and candy
- Books
- Bric - a - brac
- Tombola
- Raffle
- Kids tattoos
- Face Painting
- And more

Friends together charity coffee morning,  
Menzieshill Parish Church  
Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October 10am-1pm.

Donations for stalls can be brought to the church on Friday night (28<sup>th</sup>) from 7.30pm or Saturday morning from 9am. £2.50 entry.

All proceeds in aid of Maggie's Centre Dundee and MacMillan Cancer Support.

**FOR THE YOUNG (& YOUNG AT HEART)**

**Parable of the Good Samaritan**

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind"; and, "Love your neighbor as yourself." Luke 10:27

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.



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2. 26-21-11-2 \_\_\_\_\_
3. 22-17-26-26-21-22-24 \_\_\_\_\_
4. 12-21-19-7-2-21 \_\_\_\_\_
5. 24-2-22-7-15-15-21-5 \_\_\_\_\_
6. 15-22-7-21-24-2 \_\_\_\_\_
7. 14-21-7-25-18-26-17-22 \_\_\_\_\_
8. 1-21-22-7-20-18-17 \_\_\_\_\_

LEVITE	PRIEST	STRIPPED	ROBBERS
SAMARITAN	JERICHO	BEAT	NEIGHBOR

**FAITH & PIZZA**  
If you are aged 10 -17y then this is for you.  
The second Connect Youth group "Explore Faith and Pizza" meeting is on **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October, from 5 – 6.30pm** in Menzieshill Church.

**PASTORAL CARE**  
In Grant's absence this weekend, if you are in need of pastoral care please contact Rev. Roderick Grahame on 07903 673547.  
  
Grant is back from 24<sup>th</sup> October. If you, or anyone you know, needs pastoral care from that date then please contact Grant by mobile: 07507710871 or by email: [GMacLaughlan@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:GMacLaughlan@churchofscotland.org.uk)  
Sometimes, just talking to someone else can be a comfort. Grant is more than happy to listen and chat if that would help.