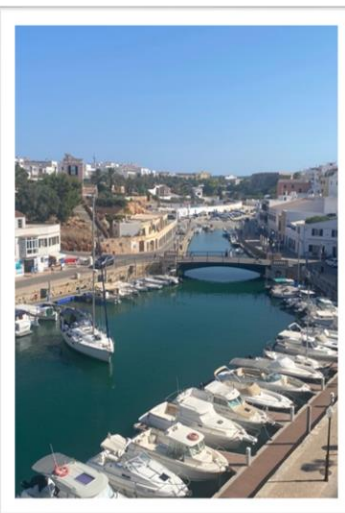


LOGIE & ST. JOHN'S (CROSS) PARISH CHURCH
NEWSLETTER: 4th August 2024

WEEKLY SUNDAY SERVICE at 11am
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Over the last month or so some of us will have been fortunate to have had a break from the usual weekly routine and enjoyed some holiday time at home or further afield. Summer holidays give us an opportunity to explore new places and meet with others, but they are also a time to relax, to recharge and to prepare for the remainder of the year ahead. As I sat in the sun this year, thoughts of last year's holiday came to mind. I reflected on what had happened since then and acknowledged that whilst we can look back, as we take time to recharge and prepare for what's to come, we don't really know what lies ahead. What we can do, however, is pray that we have the strength to face what plans God has for us (and keep looking at the holiday snaps).



SUNDAY 4th AUGUST 2024

This week our worship at 11am will be led by Amy-Louise Scott. Amy is a candidate for the ministry and we welcome her to Logie & St. John's (Cross)

The readings are taken from Exodus 16: 2-4, 9-15 and John 6: 24-35.

Refreshments are available in the Hall after the service. Everyone is encouraged to stay and continue in fellowship.

Grant returns from holiday on Monday 5th August and will lead worship next week.

STATED ANNUAL MEETING: SUNDAY 11th AUGUST

The Logie & St. John's (Cross) Church Accounts for 2023 will be presented immediately after the morning service next week.

This meeting is open to everyone.

ATTESTATION OF ROLL

To vote for the forthcoming Western Group Basis of Union you must be on the Church roll. We know that we recently confirmed this, but some may have joined us since then or have decided that they now want to be recognised as worshippers at Logie & St. John's (Cross). A copy of the roll will be available on Sunday 4th August to allow you to check your inclusion or to ask to be added.

UP, IN, OUT GROUPS

For the last couple of years Elders and some other congregation members have been members of three groups considering how to broaden our worship and fellowship opportunities.

Up Group: Focusing on deepening our faith and connection with God through worship, prayer and discipleship.

Members: John Dent, Mike Duffy, Alison Cormack, Evelyn Matthew, Gary Dysart

In Group: Focusing on caring for one another and promoting fellowship.

Members: Fiona Low; Tom Taylor, Lesley Mays, Jan Ireland

Out Group: Focusing on engaging with our community and sharing our faith.

Members: Bill Valentine, Catherine Maclean, Ramanee Bengough, Glyn Bengough, Joan Chenoweth, Pam Nesbitt

As we look to the remainder of the year others are invited to join these groups. It involves meeting about four times a year. If you are interested, then please speak to a group member or Grant.

PASTORAL CARE

Until Grant returns on 5th August Pastoral Care cover will be given by Rev Bob Mallinson. T: 07595 249089.

On any Sunday morning if you are aware of someone who'd benefit from a visit or chat, please speak to one of the Pastoral Care team – Fiona Low, Elizabeth Foster, Jan Ireland or Lesley Mays – or any other Elder.

SUNDAY 18th AUGUST

We are invited to join the congregation at Dundee West for morning worship on Sunday 18th August.

CONNECT WITH A CUPPA

The next Wednesday 'Connect' will be on **14th August**. Everyone welcome. 2pm – 4pm

FOR THE YOUNG (& YOUNG AT HEART)

Run the Race

Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Hebrews 12:1b (NIV)

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



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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- 22-2-13 _____
- 5-18-20 _____
- 9-20-9-3 _____
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FAITH	FIXED	WITNESSES	CROSS	JESUS
EYES	THRONE	JOY	RACE	RUN