

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sundays

9:45am Morning Worship in the Church at Dairsie. First Sunday of every month is Café Church in the hall. Followed by tea/coffee every 1st and 3rd Sunday.

11am Sunday Activities for the children in the hall at St John's.

11:15am Morning Worship in St John's followed by tea/coffee in the hall.

Tuesdays

7-8.30pm House Group resumes on 23rd August at the Manse, 23 Hogarth Drive, Cupar. All welcome. Contact: Dave Everett, Tel: 07768 427 480

Wednesdays

9:30-10am Half-hour Midweek Service in the church hall at St John's followed by tea/coffee.

10.15am Bible Study in the Session Room at St John's. Contact: Jan Steyn

Thursdays

9:30-11:30am During term time, the Parent & Toddler Group meets in the hall at St John's.

10 - 11.30am "Morning Coffee at Dairsie" in the Church Hall on the second Thursday of every month. All welcome for chat, coffee and home baking.

2-4pm 'Busy Hands' in the hall at St John's (except for the first Thursday in the month when the Guild at St John's meets).

7.30pm Badminton and Banter in the hall at St John's for only £1! Contact Magnus More: Tel: 656379

Fridays

8.30am-12noon Gardening Group in the grounds at St John's. All welcome. Contact: John Macpherson, Tel. 652878.

7-9pm Ballroom Dancing in the hall at St John's. Contact: 01334 655761

Contact us

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ST JOHN'S & DAIRSIE UNITED PARISH CHURCH

United in Faith. United in Love.

25th September 2016 at 11.15am

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome and Call to Worship

Hymn MP1008 *The Lord is my shepherd*

Prayer

Hymn 336 *Christ is our light*

Reading: Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 (read by Norman Fraser)

Hymn 180 *Give thanks with a grateful heart*

Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-4 (read by Hazel Allan)

Message: Where do I fit in?

(Children come in)

Hymn 631 (vs1,2,3) *A little child the Saviour came*

Baptism

Annabelle Elizabeth Olivia Fraser

Jessica Jane Ferguson

Hymn 631 (vs 4 & 5) *Oh give thine angels charge, good Lord*

Intimations

Offering and Dedication

Hymn 530 *One more step along the world I go*

Benediction

Ubi caritas et amor, Ubi caritas Deus ibi est...

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CHURCH NEWS

Welcome!

We offer a very warm welcome to everyone who gathers for worship this morning an especially to the families and friends at St John's for the Baptism of Annabelle and Jessica.

Please stay for tea and coffee in the hall after the service in St John's. If this is your first time at St John's and Dairsie, or you are visiting the area, please sign our Welcome Book. These can be found in the vestibule at Dairsie and on the table in the side chapel at St John's.

Bible Reading

The Bible reading for September is Hebrews.

Welcome Team

The new Welcome Team rota for services at St John's from October to March is now available. Emailed copies will be sent and hard copies are in elders' pigeonholes or on the table in the organ corner. **Please add your name to the spaces on the list at the front door if you can help at any of the Christmas Services.**

Blythwood Shoebox Appeal

On Sundays 2nd and 16th October there will be a sales table in the hall at St John's after the service for you to buy covered boxes, the knitted items to go into them and extra small gifts which can be included. Alternatively, a donation of £20 will enable us to fill a box for you - please see Joyce or Etta. The filled boxes will be collected in the church and must be ready for onward dispatch by end Oct /early Nov.

Send us a Postcard!

Please send us a postcard when you go on holiday telling us where you are and what you plan to do so we can think of you while you're away and ask you all about it when you return. Send to either St John's Church, Bonnygate, Cupar, KY15 4BY or Dairsie Church, Main St, Dairsie, KY15 4SS. Look out for the display of cards from all over the world!

Local Church Review

St John's & Dairsie, together with the cluster of Cupar Old and Ceres, Springfield and Kemback, were invited to be the first to do the "new" Local Church Review.

This gives us an opportunity to reflect and listen and plan where and how we want to be church in the next 5 years.

You are invited to attend any **ONE** of the following meetings to share your thoughts and to listen to others as we embark on this journey.

You will also receive a questionnaire to help you reflect and think about this. (Available next week)

28th September **Elder's Meeting with other members of the Congregation, 7-9pm in St John's Hall**

4th October **Elder's Meeting with other members of the Congregation, 7-9pm in St John's Church**

12th October Final work on the draft report by a smaller group of people, 7-9pm in St John's Hall

Please note that you need only attend ONE of the meetings.

Sunday 2nd October

Harvest Thanksgiving Services at both services.

The arrangements for the handing in of gifts for Harvest are as follows:-

In St John's, they can be handed in on Friday 30th Sept or Saturday 1st Oct between 10am and 12noon and between 2pm and 3pm.

In Dairsie, we welcome gifts of flowers to be taken to the housebound, something for the Foodbank in Cupar, or donations for a sales table after the Service in aid of Jenga and Polihali.

Saturday 8th October

Coffee Morning in the hall at St John's run by the Faith and Support Team in aid of Jenga in Uganda and Polihali in Lesotho.

Hall Booking

Please contact Mrs. Moira Brown to make hall bookings at St John's. Tel: 01334 653154 or on email at geomoi@btopenworld.com

Items for Church News

Please contact Roma More, email romamore@hotmail.co.uk or tel. 656379, or Mary Campbell Brown, email campbellbrowns@btinternet.com by Thursday evening if you have items for inclusion in the Church News.