

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

2-4pm Tea Dance in the hall at St John's.

7-9pm Weekly Men's Group at St John's. Contact Billy Grant.

Thursdays

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

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 Tuition in the hall at St John's. Contact: 655761

Contact us

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ST JOHN'S & DAIRSIE UNITED PARISH CHURCH

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ORDER OF SERVICE

20th November 2016 at 11.30am

Guild Dedication Service

Welcome

Call to Worship

Hymn 182 *Now thank we all our God*

Prayer

Hymn 159 *Lord for the years*

Guild Dedication

Reading: Philemon 4:1-9

Message: Go in Joy!

Hymn 462 *The King of love my shepherd is*

Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Intimations

Children's Song *Give me joy in my heart*

Children's Talk

Hymn 694 *Brother, sister let me serve you*

Benediction

Ubi caritas et amor

Ubi caritas Deus ibi est

Where there is love, selfless love

where there is love, there is God our Lord

CHURCH NEWS

Welcome!

We offer a very warm welcome to everyone who gathers for worship this morning. Please stay for tea and coffee after both services this morning. 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: In November, we suggest the books of Jona and Habakuk.

Movies Month: November is movies-month. Join us at the Manse tonight and on Sunday 27th November at 6.30pm. The 4 planned movies will give us a good opportunity to think and grow together – and just have some fun. To find out which movie is playing, please phone Pauline Craig, 01334 652049

Guild Rededication: The annual Guild re-dedication forms part of the service in St Johns this morning, 20th November. We look forward to the Guild members from Dairsie coming to make it, once again, a joint service.

Next Sunday 27th November: The services in both Churches will be led by the Choir.

Blythswood Shoebox Appeal: Please bring your filled boxes to the church by **today**, 20th November.

Edna Gray Memorial Lecture: 'Life as a sculptor.' by David Annand, the well-known local sculptor. 7.30pm on Friday 25th November, in the church at St John's. David's works include Jim Clark at Kilmany, Jimmy Shand in Auchtermuchty, Hamish McHamish in St Andrews, the Ring in Perth High St and most recently, Mary, Queen of Scots at Linlithgow Palace.

Cheese and Wine to follow organised by Luvians of Cupar. Tickets, £10, available after the services today and throughout November at the church door and in the hall. Edna, artist and keen member of our church, passed away in February 2016. We hope this will be a unique event, memorable and highly enjoyable in Edna's memory.

Situations Vacant: We require volunteers to do the overall count of the collections and the banking of the same. If we could get 2 volunteers it would only mean having to do it one month a year. If anyone is interested

and would like to see what is involved please come through to the Session Room on a Sunday after the service where the count takes place - coffee and biscuits provided!

Decoration of St John's Church for Christmas: This will take place on Saturday 26th November from 2pm. All welcome to help - many hands make light work!

Christmas Cards: There will be a Christmas Card delivery as usual this year. Cards may be handed in on Sunday 11th December and Monday 12th from 10am to 3pm. They can be picked up for delivery on the Tuesday from 11am to 12noon or the Wednesday from 10-11am. The price will again be 20p per card. **There is a list of the districts on the table. Please indicate which districts you can cover for delivery.**

Christmas Coffee Morning: There is a bag in the side chapel at St John's for donations for the tombola for the Christmas coffee morning on Saturday 10th December.

Cupar Choral Society: Christmas Concert on December 10th in St John's Church at 7.30pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door for £10/£8. The choir will be performing excerpts from Handel's wonderful Messiah with the renowned John Wallace as guest trumpet soloist and we look forward to welcoming anyone who is able to join us.'

Refreshment Group: We're looking for volunteers for refreshment duty for Christmas Day, please add your name to list in kitchen if you can help. Also, if anyone would like to join the Refreshment Team please let me know, and if anyone wishes their Rota to be emailed out to them, please contact me via email to be added to the email list. Thanks, Marianne Berghuis, flypiggyfly@hotmail.com
Would all organisations using the kitchen please launder the dirty tea towels after use. Many thanks

Message for the Gardening Group –The gardeners request that when the church flowers are being done and distributed any debris from the flowers be put in compost bin number 4 at the back of the hall. Many thanks.

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.