

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sundays

9:45am Morning Worship in the Church at Dairsie. 1st Sunday every month is Café Church in the hall. Tea/coffee afterwards 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 at Doreen's, 24 Robertson Rd., 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.

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.

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).

Fridays

8.30am-12noon Gardening Group in the grounds at St John's. All welcome.

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ST JOHN'S & DAIRSIE UNITED PARISH CHURCH

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ORDER OF SERVICE

28th May 2017 at 11.15am

Welcome

Silence

Introit

HYMN 81 I to the hills will lift mine eyes

Call to Prayer

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

OLD TESTAMENT: Genesis 35: 1 - 7

NEW TESTAMENT: Matthew 13: 53 - 58

HYMN 171 Take up the song and sing Tune: Woodlands 286

Sermon

HYMN 742 Rejoice in God's saints

Offering

Intimations

HYMN 632 v1&2 Our children Lord in faith and prayer

Baptism of Aimee Kelsey Petrie

HYMN 796 The Lord Bless You

HYMN 632 v3&4 Dear Lord your infant feet were found

Prayer of Dedication & Intercession

HYMN 363 We have a gospel to proclaim

Benediction

Ubi caritas et amor...

CHURCH NEWS

Welcome!

We offer a warm welcome to everyone who gathers for worship this morning which, at St John's, will include the Sacrament of Baptism. A special welcome is therefore extended to Aimee, and to her family and friends.

Please join us for tea and coffee after the service at 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

For your own Bible study in the month of May, we suggest the book of Romans.

Christian Aid Week

Those who still wish to contribute to the 2017 campaign can return their envelopes with the offering. There is a quiz this year and sheets are on the table with a box for the suggested £1. Please return them to Muriel Dymock by today at the latest. There will be 3 valuable(!) prizes for the first 3 correct entries.

Children's Activities

When Sunday School finishes for the summer, we still like to offer activities for children in the hall on a Sunday morning at St John's. Please add your name to the list in the organ corner if you can help one Sunday. More information from Mari Black.

Cupar Churches Children's Holiday Club

The Holiday Club team are looking for more volunteers to join us. There are a variety of different roles, but we are especially looking for people to be group leaders. Each leader is responsible for a small group of children, with lots of help from the junior leaders, and support from the rest of the team. All

resources are provided – all we need from you is your time and your enthusiasm. The Club runs from 31st July – 4th August, in the mornings, at the Old Parish Centre. If you can help, or if you would like more information, please email Rhona at cuparholidayclub@gmail.com

Marie Curie Fundraising Group

65 years ago, Marie Curie opened their very first hospice on the first floor of Hill of Tarvit Mansionhouse. Although the hospice has since closed, our Marie Curie Nurses continue to work across Fife providing care and support to people living with a terminal illness. Providing this service relies on our fundraising and so we hope to launch a Cupar Marie Curie Fundraising Group. This group of volunteers will join our network of fundraising groups across the UK in arranging fundraising events and collections for Marie Curie in the town.

To help get the group started, we'll be holding an open evening for anyone who would like to find out more on Tuesday 30th May at 7pm **at Hill of Tarvit Mansion**. All welcome.

Thy Kingdom Come

'Thy Kingdom Come' is a global wave of prayer, initiated by Archbishop Justin Welby, running between Ascension and Pentecost - 25th May until 4th June. See link

<https://www.thykingdomcome.global/> for details.

Cupar Baptist Church is hosting a 'Thy Kingdom Come' Prayer room - a 36 hour continuous prayer time beginning 8am Fri 2nd and ending 8pm Sat 3rd June. It will begin and end with an open hour of prayer to which all are very welcome. Also, lunchtime drop-in open prayer hours (12 noon to 1pm). The other hours can be booked on-line for individuals, families, etc. An on-line sign up chart is up and running - <https://www.24-7prayer.com/signup/eea079> More information from Jennifer Macgregor, Tel: 07929 987681