

~ INTIMATIONS ~

*Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2019*

*Fourth Sunday in Lent*

*Minister: Rev. Ian Taylor, B.D., Th.M.*

*Assistant Minister: Dr Sonia Blakesley, B.D.(Min.)*

*Musical Director: Alan A. Craig, B.Mus., P.G.C.E.*

*Members of the congregation who are able to stand are invited to do so as the Bible is brought in and taken out of the Church.*

Intimations

Introit

Call to Worship

Hymn 224

'The spring has come,'

Call to Prayer

Prayers of Approach and Confession

Children's Address

Hymn 163

'Grace is when God gives us'

JOSHUA, Chapter 5, verses 9-12

Hymn 114

'O threefold God of tender unity,'

2 CORINTHIANS, Chapter 5, verses 16-21

Anthem

ST LUKE, Chapter 15, verses 1-3, 11b-32

Hymn 555

'Amazing Grace! how sweet the sound'

Sermon

The Offering and Sung Doxology (Hymn 807)

Prayers of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn 166

'Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,'

Benediction

Choral Amen

- Sharing with the Rev. Ian Taylor in worship today is Dr Sonia Blakesley our Assistant Minister.
- We are pleased to welcome any visitors who may have joined us for the Service this morning, and hope they will find a warm welcome in our midst.
- Sheila Gibson will read the first two Lessons this morning.
- TEA AND COFFEE will be served in the Cameron Hall at the end of the Service.
- CHURCH FUND RAISING GROUP - TAYLOR FASHIONS' NIGHT will take place on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April in the Springfield Hall from 7.30 pm. Ticket Donations will be £5.00 per person, and will include refreshments in the Cameron Hall. Tickets will be available in the Hall of Fellowship for the last time TODAY Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March.
- CHURCH FUND RAISING GROUP - QUIZ SHEET - 'All Things Living' - will be available in the Hall of Fellowship for the last time TODAY Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March for the usual suggested donation of £1.00 per copy.
- PASTORAL COVER - Anyone requiring the urgent help of a Minister from TOMORROW Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April to Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April inclusive should contact Dr Sonia Blakesley our Assistant Minister (☎ 07925 068065 or ✉ SBlakesley@churchofscotland.org.uk.)
- THE GUILD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and SOCIAL EVENING takes place on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 7.30 pm. Please note this will be the final evening Meeting for the Session. Tickets (£27.50) for the Guild Outing to Dundee on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May will be available at this Meeting.
- Please note there WILL NOT BE a VESTRY HOUR on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April.
- A short WEEKLY SERVICE OF WORSHIP is held on Wednesday mornings in the Cambridge Chapel from 11.10 am - 11.30 am followed by tea and coffee served in the Hall of Fellowship.
- THE BIBLE STUDY GROUP Meetings takes place on Wednesdays at 7.30 pm in the Cambridge Chapel. A Lenten Study will take us up to Easter. All are welcome to attend.
- THE RAMBLERS - The next walk will take place on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April - Dams to Darnley (4 Miles). The meeting point is Kenmure Church Car Park at 9.20 am. For more information please call Margaret Burniston ☎ 0141 563 1144.
- Dr Sonia Blakesley, our Assistant Minister will lead the Service of Worship NEXT Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April.
- 'LIFE & WORK' and the SPRINGFIELD CAMBRIDGE RECORD - The April Issues will be available for collection in the Hall of Fellowship on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April.
- PLAYLIST FOR LIFE' HELP POINT - Information Leaflets on how to create and use a personal Playlist are available in the Hall of Fellowship, or if you would like more assistance please come along to the Church for 'a Cuppa Time' on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April between 10.00 am and 12.00 noon. Information Leaflets from Alzheimer Scotland are also available.
- DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - 268 ANCHOR BOYS' COFFEE MORNING will take place on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April from 10.00 am - 12 noon. Tickets, priced £2 for adults and £1 for children, are available from any Officer, or at the door on the day. Please come along and support the boys. Any donations of home baking would be very gratefully received.

- **SPRINGFIELD FESTIVAL CHORUS - ANOTHER DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - SUMMER CONCERT - FRIDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JULY** - Our **Summer Concert** will be held in **Glasgow City Halls** on **5<sup>th</sup> July**, and will be a full concert performance of **Gilbert & Sullivan's 'Pirates of Penzance'**. **Further details will follow shortly.**  
Our **2019 Christmas Concert** will take place on **Thursday 19 December** in the **Glasgow Royal Concert Hall**.
- **SUNDAY DUTIES - VOLUNTEERS ARE URGENTLY REQUIRED:** (a) **GENERAL DUTIES** (welcoming worshippers, distributing Orders of Service, collecting offerings, counting offerings), and (b) **CAR PARK DUTIES**. Each duty type involves 5/6 Sundays per annum. Please speak with or contact the **Session Clerk, Jim Scott** - ☎ **0141 563 2059; 07847 251752** or ✉ [jim.g.scott@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jim.g.scott@hotmail.co.uk)
- **RECYCLING** - Please note that the **Long Wooden Storage Unit** for donations (e.g. Ink Cartridges, CDs, DVDs, Spectacles, etc.) is located beneath the **left hand 'pigeonholes'** within the **Cloakroom area** off the **Hall of Fellowship**.
- **HOLIDAY VISITING CARDS** - **Holiday Visiting Cards** taking greetings with you from our Congregation are available from the **Table** in the **Hall of Fellowship**.
- **LODGING HOUSE MISSION MEAL VOUCHERS** - The Mission gives all meals free - hoping to attract more people - and I will therefore be pleased to receive any donations which will help to offset the cost of the meals. (**Christine Mackintosh**)

**REMINDER - DUTY ROTA**

<b>7<sup>th</sup> APRIL</b> (CAR PARK - Diarmid MacArthur/Alex. McCallum)	<b>TEAM LEADER</b>	<b>JOYCE MACMILLAN</b>
<b>14<sup>th</sup> APRIL</b> (CAR PARK - David Williams/Catherine McDonald)	<b>TEAM LEADER</b>	<b>HELEN HARVEY</b>