

INTIMATIONS

Today 14/1/18		Next Sunday 21/1/18	
Morning Worship	10.30 am	Morning Worship	10.30am
Sunday Club	10.30am	Sunday Club	10.30am
Coffee Time – H Ashcroft Team		Coffee Time – M Gibb Team	

**A VISITORS BOOK IS SITUATED AT THE REAR OF THE CHURCH
WE WOULD BE HAPPY IF YOU COULD SIGN THIS IF YOU ARE VISITING FOR THE FIRST TIME**

Duty Office Bearers **Today** Evan Glass, Murray Scott, Janet Brown, Margaret Blair.
Welcomers **Today** Jenny McCallum, Marilyn Gibb.
Duty Office Bearers **Next Week** Mairi Thomson, George Kidd, Rhondda Geekie, Brian Ashcroft.
Welcomers **Next Week** Helen Ashcroft

Flower Donations **Today** Mr & Mrs W Reid **Next Sunday** Mr & Mrs F McCallum
Flower Deliveries **Today** Moira French **Next Sunday** Julie Reid

Midweek Service Tuesday 10.00-10.35am - followed by tea and fellowship.

The Guild Tuesday 23 January – Return to Hollywood – Kathleen MacPherson.

Men’s Club Monday 15 January – Games Night. Everyone welcome.

Congregational Board The next meeting of the Board will be Tuesday 16 January at 7.30pm.

Bible Study Bible Study will meet as a home group on Thursday 18 January at 7.30pm.

B.B. Sections meet at the usual times from 6:15pm onwards on Friday 19 January.

Baptism We look forward to the Baptism of Daniel Wright next Sunday, 21 January, conducted by Rev Alex Green.

Christianity Explored Christianity Explored (www.christianityexplored.org) is a way of sharing the best news ever heard, and gives people space and time to think about the big questions of life. Over 8 sessions in Mark’s gospel, find out more about the life of the person at the heart of the Christian faith – Jesus Christ. This is free and open to **anyone** who would like to learn more about the best news ever heard.
 If you are interested in attending or finding out more about Christianity Explored please speak to Philip as soon as possible. We are expecting to run a Christianity Explored at St Columba’s on 8 Wednesday evenings, beginning 24 January 2018. However, we may run an additional Christianity Explored course at a different time of the week.
 Thank you to those who have already expressed interest in Christianity Explored or booked a place.

**We Operate A Child Protection Policy Within Our Organisations.
Guidelines are Available.**

St Columba's Parish Church
Sunday 14 January 2018
To know Him and make Him known

We warmly welcome you to our worship this Sunday morning and pray that God will bless you as you wait upon him in worship. Our Minister, Rev Philip Wright will lead us in Worship.

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, or if you are a visitor, we would invite you to sign the Visitor's Book on the welcome table, make yourself known to the Minister at the door and to join us for tea and coffee in the Church Hall following the Service.

We have a Sunday Club in the Large Hall for School aged children. Children usually leave for Sunday Club after the offering. Visitors' children will be made very welcome. A crèche is also available in the Lower Hall for younger children.

Welcome & Notices

Call to worship

Hymn: Name of all majesty (MP 481)

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Children's Address

Children's Song: For God so loved the world

For God so loved the world
He gave His only Son
And whoever believes in Him
Shall not die but have eternal life

L is for the love that He has for me
I am the reason He died on the tree
F is for forgiveness and now I am free
E is to enjoy being in His company

Offering

Prayer

Reading: Luke 3: 1-37

Hymn: Make way, make way (MP 457)

Prayer

Hymn: Speak, Lord, in the stillness (MP 608)

Sermon: That you may know – John prepares the way

Hymn: To God be the glory (MP 708)

Benediction:

3-fold amen