

# 17 March 2019

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#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome to our service - it's good to have you here. If you are a visitor and would like more information about our church please take one of the 'Welcome' cards at the church doors.

There is a crèche for babies and young children in the hall.

#### **GATHERING ACTIVITY**

What are your favourite romantic films? Why do you love them?

Talk to those around you about what films/music/plays about love you love and why?

#### WE COME TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Please stand when the Bible enters the church. The choir will sing Forty Days and Forty Nights (TCHT 12 W1 & 2)

**Welcome and Family News** 

**Call to Worship** 

Hymn 224: The Spring has come

**Opening Prayer** 

#### WE EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD

**Reading:** Song of Songs: 1:2; 2:10*b* - 13; 4:1-7; 8:5-7

(OT page 662)

Choir Anthem: A Prayer of St Richard

**Reading:** 1 Corinthians:13:1-7 (NT page 217)

Reflection

**Skit**: The unspeakable you know what

Hymn 700 : As man and woman we were made

Sermon

#### WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Hymn 695: Your love, O God has called us here

#### Offering

Hymn 807: Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession ending with the Lord's Prayer An insert with the Lord's Prayer can be found in your hymnal

**Time with Young Church** 

#### WE GO FORTH TO SERVE

**Hymn 770**: I love you Lord, and I lift my voice (sung 3 times)

#### **Benediction**



All welcome for tea and coffee in the hall after the service.

# OUR FAMILY NEWS THIS WEEK

#### **Monday 18 March**

2pm - Badminton in the hall

7.30pm to 9.30pm - Scottish Country Dancing in the church hall.

#### **Tuesday 19 March**

9.30am - Morning Prayers in the Session Room led by Rhona McGeoghegan

9.30am - Tots and Toddlers in the hall

7.30pm - Guild meet in the hall Annual Business Meeting

#### Wednesday 20 March

12.30pm - Café open serving soup, sandwiches, baked potatoes and home-bakes.

12 noon to 12.30pm - Reflection for Lent in the Church.

Each week we will reflect on one of a series of paintings by an Ethiopian artist,
Nebiyu Assefa, that tell the story of Jesus' Passion using material from
ROOTS. Afterwards you are welcome to have lunch in our café (20, 27 March)
or a cup of tea and biscuit (3,10 April when the café is closed).

7pm - Outreach Group meet in Room 1

### 7.15pm - Nurture Group meet in Room 2

#### **Thursday 21 March**

9.30am - Tots and Toddlers

2pm - Badminton in the hall

7pm - Lent Study in the Session Room. We will use the television series Broken as a basis for discussion of contemporary issues.

# Friday 22 March

2.15pm - Craft Group meet in Room 1

#### **Sunday 24 March**

9.15 am : Contemporary Service. We meet from 9am for coffee

10.30 am: Worship

Lifts to church: Steve and Chris Johnston ☎ 477739 Creche: Irene Bennett and Senga Barrie

# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### **Tuesday 26 March**

7.15pm - Kirk Session meeting in the hall

# Wednesday 10 April

Lunch Out: Do you enjoy having a meal with friends? If you live alone and would like to join with others for a meal and a blether then come along and join us. A 'Lunch Out' at a local hotel will take place on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April while the church café is closed for the Spring holiday. It is hoped that transport can be arranged for those unable to get there 'under their own steam'. Details of how to sign up, cost and transport requirements to follow. Watch this space.

# **EVENTS ELSEWHERE**

#### **Sunday 17 March**

7pm - You are invited to the New Kirk's film club in St Aidan's Centre. Our film for Lent is 'Chocolat' (12) based on the novel by Joanne Harris. In a small French village a newcomer opens a chocolate shop during Lent. Life begins to change for the repressed residents. All welcome, no charge. Chocolates will be available!

# Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 March

7.00pm - Barnhill Primary School have been busy rehearsing for their show 'Let the Games Begin' at the Gardyne Theatre. Tickets are still on sale from the school office (tel: 01382 436993).

Any donations for their tombola stall would be greatly appreciated and these

can be handed into the school office, Falkland Crescent by Monday if possible.

#### Wednesday 27 March

7pm - The Steeple Church. Dundee presbytery are holding an open meeting entitled 'Road to Tomorrow' to discuss the future of the Church of Scotland in the city. It will include a Bible Study taken from "The World Mission Report on the Church in Africa" together with discussions on the presbytery's next 5 year plan. All congregational members are warmly invited.

# **CHURCH NEWS**

**VOLUNTEERS** are still needed to assist with the Barnhill Primary Reflection Space which runs between the 18th and 22nd March (just over 2 hour slots). If you can help please add your name to the sign up sheet which is on the Communion table.

If anyone has any magazines with photographs which would be suitable for the 'Amazing World Reflective Space' at Barnhill Primary School can they please hand them into the Church Office on Tuesday this week.

**GUILD NEWS:** Guild outing 14th May, bus now full, £22 to Kathleen Ramsey or Kathleen Fairbairn as soon as possible.

Lunch with Kingswells' Guild on Saturday, 23rd March, 12.15 p.m. at Park Hotel. X7 bus from Dobbies at 10.35 a.m. This is a public service bus, so free with bus pass. Please contact Norma McDonald for more information. (01382 793834)

Thanks to everyone who donated to the recent Togs for Tots appeal. We had a tremendous response and every item was gratefully received. Togs for Tots to Teens rely on donations to keep going and the need seems to be getting greater. We will be having another appeal later on in the year so keep an eye out for details later.

# Lent to Easter 2019 DAILY DEVOTIONAL DIARY There are a few copies are at the church doors . If you are unable to get a copy and would like one please contact Alison in the office.