



*Following Christ  
Spreading the Word  
Serving the Community*

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**Minister: Revd. Alan D. Reid M.A. B.D.**  
**Intimations: Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> May 2017**

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Fire Exits: Main Entrance and each side of the Pulpit.

Toilets: Front entrance hall and rear hallway where there is a toilet for the disabled.

Visitors: Welcome! Please sign our Visitor's Book on the Welcome Table, near the meeting room door, where you will also find leaflets and information about the church.

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Today: Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May - Assembly Sunday

9.15am: Choir Practice in the Church

10.15am: Junior Church & Jampact in the Church Centre joining us for the close of worship.

10.30am: Morning Worship - Hebrews 12:18-29 - 'A Better City.'

Tea, coffee and Traidcraft stall today.

11.45am: Trustees Meeting in the Church.

1.00-6.00pm: 'Heart and Soul' in Princes Street Gardens, Edinburgh.

7.30pm: Crossfire in the Church Centre for teenagers - Hide and Seek.

The Church Office is open from 10am – Noon, Monday to Friday. The Church is also open for quiet reflection during these times, except Tuesdays during term-times.

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

7 for 7.30pm: Family Week volunteers meeting in the Church.

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

10.00am: Pram Service in the Church for pre-school children and their carers.

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May

10.45am: Midweek Service in the Church Centre

1.30pm: Craft Group in the Church Meeting Room

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May - Ascension Sunday

9.00am: No Jampact, but if you'd like to visit Auchterarder Parish Church for breakfast and to join with their youth groups, meet at Kinross Parish Church at 9am. Return at 12.15 approx.

9.15am: Choir Practice in the Church

10.15am: Junior Church in the Church Centre joining us for the close of worship.

10.30am: Morning Worship - Hebrews 13 - 'A Better Way.'

Tea, coffee and Traidcraft stall today.

7.30pm: Crossfire in the Church Centre for teenagers - Craft Night.

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**General Assembly of the Church of Scotland:** The Proceedings of the General Assembly will be streamed live on the internet from Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> May. Details at <http://www.churchofscotland.org.uk> from where all reports and other papers can also be downloaded.

**INTIMATIONS (Important!):** Please note that the Editor will be on holiday for a week, from Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> May. In Graeme's absence, intimations for Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> May should be emailed to Gordon McFarlane. **E: [gordonjohnmcfarlane@googlemail.com](mailto:gordonjohnmcfarlane@googlemail.com)**

**'THY KINGDOM COME':** A global prayer movement which the Archbishop of Canterbury is inviting people around the world to join - in a wave of prayer. This will start in May for 10 days between the Christian festivals of Ascension (22<sup>nd</sup> May) and Pentecost (4<sup>th</sup> June). It involves taking a piece of leather - tie 5 knots to represent 5 people for whom you are committed to pray. Leather can be tied around wrist, placed in pocket, used as bookmark, etc. Use knots to remind you to pray for each person that they may come to know Jesus Christ as their Lord.  
(Summarised from [www.thykingdomcome.global](http://www.thykingdomcome.global))

**Fire Drill Training:** A mandatory Fire Risk Assessment required by the church's insurers has been completed and an Action Plan prepared. Most of the actions required relate to the introduction of new procedures together with the management of records plus the upgrading of the Church fire alarm. One of the actions is the introduction of new fire drill procedures that will necessitate fire drill training for the Welcome Team. This training, which is essential for insurance compliance, will be led by Jim Smith and will take no more than one hour.

In addition, new procedures for Working at Heights, Use of Ladders and Lone Working are being introduced. Again, Jim Smith is taking the lead on these matters and he will be contacting those members affected by the new procedures.

**The June issue** of the Kinross Parish Church magazine is ready for collection by Elders today, Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> May AFTER the joint Kirk Session & Congregational Board meeting.

**And Finally...**

**Church Office Volunteers:** The Church Office is looking for volunteers to help out in the busy hub over the summer. If you are confident typing and emailing, then we would love to hear from you. Likewise, if you don't like computers but like to welcome people and do small tasks, you would fit in too! If you can help out for a couple of hours (10am to 12 noon) on occasional weekdays, please call Margaret Hamblin, Office Coordinator on 01577 862570 or email [office@kinrossparishchurch.org](mailto:office@kinrossparishchurch.org). Thank you.

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Please remember that when you submit an intimation for publication, it should only be for a period of **TWO WEEKS**. Any longer is at the discretion of the Editor!

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**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THE INTIMATIONS DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY, 6PM**

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The deadlines for next week's Intimations are; Hand written/by telephone, to office: Noon on Wednesday or by e-mail – 6pm on Wednesday.

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