



*Following Christ  
Spreading the Word  
Serving the Community*

**Minister: Revd. Alan D. Reid M.A. B.D.**

**Intimations: Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022**

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**A very warm welcome to Kinross Parish Church**

Here is the weekly calendar and notices. For any queries, please email the Church Office or leave a voice-message. Gatherings on Zoom – please contact the Church Office for information and link details

**Website** [www.kinrossparishchurch.org](http://www.kinrossparishchurch.org) | **YouTube** [Kinross Parish Worship](https://www.youtube.com/KinrossParishWorship)

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**Today: Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July**

No choir till after the summer

10.30am: Morning Worship led by Margaret Michie & Brenda Fraser. There will be children's break-out activities during the service every Sunday over the summer. No tea and coffee after the service today

11.45am: Informal Communion

6.00pm: Time for Prayer. On Zoom

6.30pm: Annual Michael Bruce Service at Portmoak Church – preacher the Very Revd. Angus Morrison

**Monday to Friday:** An audio recording of the Sunday service can be accessed on 01577 528270 on line 1

**Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> July**

8.00am: Time for Prayer – Silent Meditation in the Church

7.30pm: Monday evening House-group

**Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> July**

10.00am: Stepping Stones – for under-5s and their carers, in the Church

*Tuesday afternoon House-group now on summer break*

**Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July**

11.15am: Midweek Service in the Church Centre. This is only available to service users of the Day Centre

1.30pm: Craft Group in the Church. All welcome. Hols; 13, 20, 27 July and 3 August – resuming 10 August

*Men's House-group now on summer break*

*Women's House-group now on summer break*

**Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> July**

*Thursday House-group now on summer break*

*Table Talk is now on summer break until Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> August*

**Next Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> July**

*The Choir is now on summer break*

10.30am: Morning Worship led by Margaret Michie and Brenda Fraser. Children's break-out activities during the service every Sunday over the summer. Tea & coffee and Traidcraft stall after the service.

6.00pm: Time for Prayer – on Zoom

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**Minister's Holidays**

Alan Reid is on holiday for a fortnight until 16<sup>th</sup> July. If you need pastoral support in his absence, please contact the Revd. Margaret Michie (01592 840602) or the Revd. Robert Calvert (07532 029343).

**Parking on Station Road:** Our neighbours across the road in Lomond Mews have experienced several near misses when trying to draw out in to Station Road during Sunday services because of cars parked too close to the Station Road/Lomond Mews junction. Please make sure that you park safely. Remember, the Highway Code says: 'Do not stop or park within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction.' There is also the 'Park & Stride' option using the Primary School's carpark if Station Road is busy.

**Summer Prayer Diary:** The Summer Prayer Diary is available now and covers July and August. If you would like a paper copy (normal or large print), please contact the Church Office.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

**Stepping Stones** is for toddlers, babies, and their parents or carers. Join us on **Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> July** in the Church from 10am till 11am. There will be a chance to chat with other parents and we look forward to seeing anyone who would like to come along. For more information, please speak to Kathleen, Isobel or the Church Office.

**Celtish in Concert: Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> July.** See Presbytery News for further information

**Kiltwalk is back!** Christian Aid is encouraging church members to join this year's Kiltwalks and nominate Christian Aid as your charity. Kiltwalks will be held in Dundee on **Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> August** and Edinburgh on **Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> September**. The Hunter Foundation will again be topping up all donations by an additional 50%. Visit the [Kiltwalk website](#) to sign up.

## VOLUNTEERING

**Could you help to serve teas after Sunday service?** Thank you to the third new volunteer who has come forward to help serve teas after Sunday services. However, the team is still much smaller than before Covid. Anyone else able to help? Speak to Gordon McF or contact the Church Office.

### Family Week 2022 – Call for Volunteers

This year Family Week will be taking place from **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> August till Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August** and the theme will be “Wastewatchers”. If you would like to be part of the team this year, please contact Ruth R or email the Church Office.

### Volunteers for children and young people

If you would like to help in any way with the children and young people in our church, please talk to Ruth R or email the Church Office.

We are currently looking for volunteers to...

- \* Act in a drama during the all-age part of the service on Sunday mornings
- \* Help with children's or teens' activities during the sermon on Sunday mornings
- \* Help with Crossfire on Sunday evenings from 7pm till 8.30pm, preparing food, leading games/activities or leading a “God spot”.

## PRESBYTERY NEWS

**Presbytery of Perth thanks Rev Alan Reid.** The Presbytery meeting this month acknowledged and thanked Alan Reid for his work in convening an ad hoc committee which has provided guidance to churches on how to safely reopen during Covid. Alan commented that Covid was still among us and called for continuing sensitivity and watchfulness. (from Draft Minutes, Presbytery of Perth)

**Concern at Cost of Living:** The Presbytery of Perth has agreed a report from its 'Church and Community' Committee expressing 'concern about the rising cost of living, and its potential impact on people within our communities; we encourage any efforts made by local churches to address these issues and their impact'.

**Celtish in Concert:** Celtish play 'inspirational Celtic Folk music' and are performing at the Bield at Blackruthven (PH1 1PY) on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm**. Details at [www.celtish.org](http://www.celtish.org). Premier Christianity says of Celtish: 'deserves to be heard by the worldwide worshipping church'.

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