



# Headlines

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2018

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*'To know Christ and make Him known'*

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**Welcome to Worship!** We are delighted you are with us and pray that you will be blessed as we share in fellowship together. If you are a visitor or this is your first time worshipping with us please complete a **welcome card** and hand it in at our welcome desk before you leave.

## Sunday Services

### Morning Worship – The Church 5 - "A Hospital"

**9.30am** – Carol Kynaston  
Matthew 9: 1 – 13 (NIV p973)

**11.00am** – Rev J Colin Caskie  
Psalm 8 (NIV p546); Matthew 9: 1 – 13 (NIV p973)

**Evening Worship at 6.30pm** - Rev Grant Maclaughlan  
"I am the Gate" John 10: 1 – 10 (NIV p1076)

### Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2018 1.00pm

Lunchtime Service – New Hall – Rev J Colin Caskie (Psalm 129)  
Preceded by optional light lunch at 12.30pm (£3.00)

### Next Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018

**Morning Worship – The Church 6 – "An Army Camp"**  
1 Timothy 6: 11 – 21 (NIV p 1194)

**9.30am** – Elizabeth Buyers

**11.00am** – Rev Colin Caskie

### Evening Worship at 6.30pm

"I am the Shepherd" - David Dixon (John 10:11 – 23 NIV p 1076)

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**Funeral** – as intimated last week, we are sad to announce the death of one of our members Mr Bruce Wilson of Craigieknowes Care Home. The funeral will take place on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October, at 3 pm at Perth Crematorium.

**Harvest Thanksgiving Offering** – If you would like to contribute to “Empowering Teenage Mothers in Zambia”, please put your offering in an envelope marked “Zambia” and place in the offering plate today.

**Pew Bibles** – If you would like to have one of the Good News Bibles, please take one from the Welcome Desk or other doors of the Church.

**Coffee Morning** – Perth and Kinross Guilds Together are holding a fund-raising Coffee Morning on **Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October** at the **Madoch Centre, St Madoes, 10 am – 12 noon**. There will also be an opportunity to see the superb facilities in this modern church centre. Everyone most welcome. Tickets £3 available at the Welcome Desk.

**Safeguarding Training** – there is an opportunity to join the training at Craige Church on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> October** at 7 pm. Please contact Liz Hood - Tel 627771 or [liz.hood@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:liz.hood@blueyonder.co.uk) for more information.

**Blythswood Shoe Box Appeal** – Wrapped shoe boxes are available and can be collected from: Church Office 10am - 12noon, Open Door 2pm - 4pm, and the Church vestibule on Sunday and Thursday lunch times. They can be returned from the 21<sup>st</sup> October to the places as mentioned above or to Perth Baptist Church on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November when this year’s ‘custom checking’ takes place. Bulk deliveries to the North Church will be accepted on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November.

**Church Officer Arrangements** – It has been decided to implement on a trial basis, having volunteers undertake Church Officer duties on a Sunday, for both the morning and evening services. Information meetings to explain the changes will be held immediately after each of the morning services on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October. If you feel this is an area where you **may** be able to serve on a rota basis, you are invited to attend to find out more.

**Norman Scott Retirement** – As previously intimated Norrie is retiring from the position of Supervising Church Officer at the end of this month after 10 years’ service. If you would like to contribute to a gift for Norrie, please either hand in to the Office, or place in an envelope in the offering plate over the next 2 Sundays.

**Alan Livingstone Induction** – The Kirk Session and members of Dundee Congregational Church have extended an invitation to all at Perth North who may wish to be present as Alan's induction to that charge. It will be at 6.30pm on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October. The church is at 6 – 8 Constitution Road, Dundee DD1 1LY. They have asked for an indication of numbers and so if you plan to attend, please let the Office, or Brian Swan know by next Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

**Celtic Worship with Steph Macleod** – Trinity Church Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October, tickets £6. More details on Welcome Desk.

**BB Successes** – Our Sean Hull has for the third year in a row won the Battalion badminton at Bells, and our Daniel Jamieson, the Junior Badminton. Well done boys!

**Boys Brigade – Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** is our Annual Coffee Morning and cake/home baking in the Main Hall from 10am – 12.30pm. We would ask all our bakers and tablet makers to be busy over the next few weeks, and our usual helpers to have plenty rest for our Big Fundraising Day! All are welcome and we look forward to seeing you.

**National Day of Prayer Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** – The Church of Scotland has for a second year designated a Saturday in November as a National Day of Prayer. In place of the Prayer Breakfast that day, our church will be open from 10am to 12 noon providing an opportunity for us to gather and pray individually for local and wider church needs. This will be a "drop in", and there will be a short closing act of worship at 11.45am for those present at that time.

**What a Wonder-Full World:** This entertaining and thought-provoking evening of music, film, drama and conversation about the wonders of life and the big questions will take place on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 7.00 pm in Perth Theatre. Tickets available from Perth Theatre (£12 and £8.50 + £1.50 booking fee). This Presbytery event will give us the opportunity to spend the evening with people from other churches and join together in learning how to 'grasp the nettle'.

**CrossReach Calendars** - for 2019 may be ordered by adding your name to the order form on the Welcome Desk (price £5).

**Minister on Holiday** – Our minister is on holiday, returning Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Pastoral cover is being provided by Colin Caskie, contact details on front page.

**Next Edition of Headlines** – deadline for copy (to the Office by hand or by email), **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October at 9am.**

## Information



The sanctuary is equipped with an induction loop system. Set your hearing aid to 'T'



Toilets are situated in the front vestibule and also through the door to the left of the pulpit.



Tea, coffee and juice are served in the New Hall behind the church following the morning services



Further information on most subjects is available at our welcome desk in the vestibule.

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## Prayer Opportunities

**Circle of Prayer** – if you have a specific need for prayer please contact the Office and your request will be prayed for in confidence.

**Thursday Prayer Time** - Our weekly meeting is at 11.45 a.m. in the Youth Room. We would be delighted if you would join us (a small friendly group where there is no obligation to pray out aloud). Contact Isla on 248457 for a chat or information.

**Prayer Breakfast** – 8.30am in the New Hall – On Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December and thereafter the first Saturday of every month.

**Prayer Diary** – issued as an insert to North News - please use this as a focus for your prayers and e-mail your prayer requests for inclusion to [ncprayerdiary@gmail.com](mailto:ncprayerdiary@gmail.com)

## Bible Study Groups

**The Tuesday House Group** – The Tuesday House Group meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 7.30. Contact Alison Caskie 445543.

**Wednesday Bible Study** – Will next meet on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October and fortnightly. Contact: Isla, 248457 or Ruth, 634232.

**The Tullylumb Bible Study** – Our next meeting will be on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October when we will be continuing our series on John's gospel – John 1: 29 - 51 – 1 Tullylumb Terrace, Perth, Tel: 636547. All welcome.

**8-2-9** - We are a small group who meet fortnightly on a Thursday evening from 8-9pm. For further details, please contact Jane Rowan on 850300.

The **Methven House Group** – We meet monthly for food, fellowship and Bible study. Please contact Rona Archibald (840995) for details.