



Ferryhill Parish Church

The Church of Scotland

Sunday 14 May 2017

11 a.m.

Christian Aid week



You are very welcome to Ferryhill Parish Church. Please sit wherever you like. If you are visiting then please sign the visitors' book in the foyer. Children are always welcome and the foyer is available during the service should you wish to use it.

Please note that we are experimenting with live streaming of worship. If you do not wish to be seen on the broadcast stream, the seating below the gallery and in the gallery is beyond the view of the cameras.

Today's worship is led by:

Peter Johnston (Minister) and Martin Greig
Diane Cumming (Reader)
Kevin Haggart (Organist)
Robert Nicol (Beadle)

The flowers today have been donated by Kathleen Findlay.



Gathering Song As the deer CH 550

Call to Worship

Leader: Our rock and our fortress,
we come to find sanctuary
in the shelter of your presence

All: **in you we seek refuge.**

Leader: Faithful God,
incline your ear to our worship
and let your face shine upon us

All: **in you we seek refuge.**

Leader: Our times are in your hands,
lead us and guide us
by your steadfast love,

All: **in you we find refuge.**

Leader: Let us worship God.

Praise Christ is made the sure foundation CH 200

Welcome and Church Notices

Opening Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us the wrong we have done,
as we forgive those who have wronged us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from
evil.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are
yours,

Prayer for Others

Praise

The church's one foundation

CH 739

Sending

Sung Amen

Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.

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Christian Aid Envelopes

Christian Aid envelopes will be available in the church from **14th – 20th May**. Please do pick up an envelope and bring it back to us in the next two weeks to us with your donation.

Christian Aid Concert

The Acclamations Choir will be holding a concert to raise funds for Christian Aid on **Wednesday 17th May at 7.30** pm in Crown Terrace Methodist Church. Tickets cost £5, include refreshments, and will be available at the door. Please come along and support this worthwhile cause. Come along and support this worthwhile cause.

Church Rota 2017/18

For those who are responsible for preparing the various rotas which are part of the main Church Rota booklet, could you please pass an electronic version of the rota for your area for the new 2017/2018 rota to the Church Administrator by **Sunday 18 June?** Thank you!



1. **Cosy House:** Join us **this evening at 6:30 p.m.** for fun fellowship in the foyer and large hall.
2. **Evening Worship with Holy Communion:** We welcome you along to our service for health, healing and wellbeing in the Memorial Chapel next **Sunday 21 May at 6:00 p.m.**
3. **St Marks Players:** Come and see our production of “The church play that wint wrang!” at St Marks Church on **18, 19, 20 May**. Please contact Diane Cumming for further information.
4. **City-Wide Prayer Gathering:** Come along to the Citadel on **Friday 19 May from 7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.**
5. **Table Top Sale: Saturday 27th May, 10am to 12noon.** There are still a few tables available to book, at £10 each. Why not have a clear out, recycle and make money in the process? Contact Fiona on 01224 590806 or email Fiona.firth@btinternet.com for more information. Donations for the church bric a brac stall, raffle and baking stall will be most welcome.
6. **Calling all bakers:** Your Fundraising Team needs you! The lady who provides 98% of the baking for our home bakes stall at the table top sales is unable to help this month. We desperately need donations of cakes, large or small, tray bakes, fruit loaves, toffee etc; jams, marmalades and chutneys on the 27th May. Please label your goods and state if they contain nuts, then leave them in the Atrium on Friday 26th May or before 9.30am on Saturday 27th May.
7. **Pushing Out The Boat:** The latest issue (14) of N-E Scotland’s Magazine of new writing and visual arts (96 pages of prose, poetry and artwork) was launched at the end of April, and is now available for sale on the Book Stall at Coffee Shop. It makes an inexpensive but very attractive gift at £7 a copy, and as it’s edited locally, buying a copy is a great way of supporting a local publication of high quality.
8. **Instant Neighbour:** Due to increasing demand for assistance please continue to support Instant Neighbour by leaving your donations of non-perishable items in the trolley which you will find in the Atrium during the week and in the Foyer on Sundays.
9. **Summer Club:** This years Summer Club for Primary School-aged children will be taking place every morning from **Monday 7 to Sunday 13 August**. More details will follow in our Summer issue of Parish News.



Christian Aid News

We do make a difference!

Malawi Appeal launched July 2016 in Scotland, raised £267,000. Drought, erratic rainfall and floods led to failed harvests and soaring food prices. Our partners provided cash transfers to help families pay for water, food and other essentials.



Contacts

Please contact the Minister, Rev Peter Johnston, for information about Church Membership, Baptism, or being married in Church, or complete one of the cards available in the Hymn Book and hand it in as you leave.

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at Ferryhill**