

# Markinch Parish Church Sunday Bulletin

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Our Mission To Worship God, Share His love and Serve His World



### Grace To You And Peace

During the organ prelude please quietly prepare yourself for sharing in the service by offering a prayer and reading the lessons set for today.

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We enter to worship

Prelude - music for prayer and meditation

Welcome & Intimations

HYMN 132 Immortal Invisible God Only Wise

Prayers & Lord's Prayer

I Kings 19.1-14 p 361

Acts 16.25-34 p1112

HYMN 59(i) Oh Come And Let Us To The Lord

Luke 9.57- 62 p1041

HYMN 550 As The Deer Pants

Prayers for Help & Healing

HYMN 189 Be Still For The Presence

The Sermon

Offering

HYMN 517 Fight the Good Fight

The Blessing & Choral Amen

Postlude - music for prayer and reflection

We depart to serve



# Models of our church are now on sale priced at £19.99

All profits will be used for the refurbishment of the Church buildings. Please see Tracy Thomson after the service or contact her on 01592 775752

#### LIFE AND WORK - JULY EDITION

Holiday Dilemmas Making informed choices when booking a break overseas.

**A Sense of Purpose** Profile of Professor Sir Kenneth Calman, President of the Boys' Brigade.

#### **General Assembly 2010**

Nine pages of reports, news and pictures, including:-

**Don't Forget Haiti** – Jackie Macadam hears from Tearfund staff who shared first -hand experience of the Haitian earthquake.

**A Healing Hand** – Thomas Baldwin meets the young woman whose moving speech about suffering from anorexia was one of the moments of the Assembly.

"Oh How I Love You Mary" Colin MacDonald reflects on the unselfish faith legacy of a Scots coal miner.

**Democracy: What is it good for?** In the aftermath of the general election, Robin Hill reflects on the perils of placing that little cross on a ballot paper.

**A Spiritual Awakening** Geoff Miller explains why he believes the answers to climate change like in attitudes to God.

East Neuk Treasures John R Hume visits Crail Parish Church in Fife

**Growing Church** The vibrant and active congregation at Cupar Old

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## Update Welcome. We hope you will feel at home and among friends.

Would visitors please sign our visitors book.

Please join us for coffee and a chat in the hall after the service. If you would like information about the Church or any of the organisations please see a member of the welcome team.

The reader today is Joan Grant.

Ministers Vestry Hour 12 noon - 1.00 pm. Please contact the Minister for an appointment - phone 01592-758264 or E-mail alex@arforsyth.com In the event of hospitalisation, serious illness, family anxiety, bereavement or personal difficulty the Minister is readily available to visit. You have to let him know if he can be of help.

Coffee Morning from 10.00am to 11.30am on Thursdays in the church hall. Join us for tea or coffee and a chat. Sales table and lucky tickets.

Garden Party 2010 This year's Garden Party will be held at Bob & Joan Grant's garden at 29 Braid Drive, Glenrothes on Sunday 27th June from 3.00pm to 5.00pm, weather permitting. (if the weather is bad it will be held in the Church Hall). Tickets priced £5 each will be available from Bob & Joan after the service today.

Markinch Burial Register 1799-1854 We recently made this burial register available as a download from the church website. The 222-page burial register contains details of those interred in Markinch Churchyard between the years of 1799 and 1854. The list was compiled by members of Fife Family History Society (FFHS) and re-formatted into this current version by Ian Gourlay. If anyone would find this to be of interest but does not have access to the internet it is possible to get a printed copy of the relevant pages. See Ken Wilkie for more information.

Rag bag collection - Thank you to everyone who donated to this scheme and we were able to raise £238.00 by clearing out our wardrobes.

The flowers in church today are dedicated to the Glory of God and in memory of Rev. Norman MacLeod who would have celebrated his Golden Jubilee as a Church of Scotland Minister on 24th June.