

# Markinch Parish Church

## Sunday Bulletin

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*Our Mission*

*To Worship God, Share His love and Serve His World*

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***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 201          Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness**

Prayers of Approach and Confession.

**Hymn 125          Lord of all being**

Reading: Psalm 40 verses 1 to 8          p566

**Hymn 251          I the Lord of sea and sky**

Reading: St Luke Chapter 15 verses 1 to 7          p1048

**Hymn 547          What a friend we have in Jesus**

Prayers of Thanks and Intercession.

**Hymn 28          Thy mercy Lord is in the heavens**

"No Thanks"

Offering

**Hymn 200          Christ is made the sure foundation**

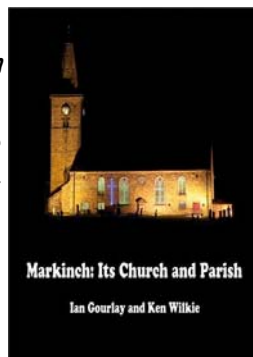
Benediction

**Postlude - music for prayer and reflection**

**We depart to serve**

## Markinch: Its Church and Parish

A new book by Ian Gourlay and Ken Wilkie. A companion to the volume *The Church in Markinch* which was published in 2001. The paperback is priced at £12.50 (£10 for church members) and the hardback priced at £18.00 (£15 for church members).



All profits from the sale of the book go to our church funds. Copies of the paperback are on sale in the hall today or contact Ken Wilkie on 01592 760042 or email [book@markinchchurch.org.uk](mailto:book@markinchchurch.org.uk) to reserve copies of the hardback. These have been ordered and will be available in around 3 weeks time.

## Life and Work 2011 - Are YOU interested?



Life and Work is the magazine of the Church of Scotland. In its 128-year history it has established itself as the pre-eminent voice of the Church of Scotland. Though firmly rooted in the affairs of the Kirk, it also aims to cover a broad range of subjects of interest to church-goers, across the spectrum from international affairs and British political and social issues to science, ethics and the arts.

If you are interested in subscribing to Life and Work 2011 please contact Tracy Thomson before 14th November. The cost for 12 issues of the magazine will be £17.40.

## 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 Grant Taylor and our organist is Mary Harley.

**Please welcome Rev Alistair McLeod who will lead us in worship today.**

**Ministers Vestry Hour** 12 noon - 1.00 pm. Please contact the Minister for an appointment - phone 01592-758264 or E-mail [alex@arforsyth.com](mailto: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 10.00 to 11.30am on Thursdays in the church hall. Join us for tea or coffee and a chat. Sales table & lucky tickets.

**The Guild** meets tomorrow evening, Monday 25th October, at 7.00p.m. in the Church Hall. The speaker is the Rev. Rob Sharp from Street Pastors

**Church Christmas Cards** are available in the hall after the service every Sunday and at morning coffee on Thursdays. Price £5 per pack of 10.

**Church Magazine** - The next *News from the Pews* is urgently needing new articles from the congregation. There are a few weeks until articles have to be gathered together - have a think, what are you able to contribute to OUR magazine or what would you like to be included in OUR magazine.

**Fife Constabulary Community Meetings** Fife Constabulary is committed to allowing you to directly influence local policing. You can have your say on local priorities by coming to the community engagement meeting in your area. Community officers will co-ordinate action on those priorities and report progress back at the next meeting. Date of the next meeting in Markinch Church Hall is Tuesday 2nd November at 7.30pm

**Fundraising Ceilidh.** Glenrothes Rotary are organising a fundraising Ceilidh in aid of their nominated charities - Teenage Cancer Trust and Crossroads (Glenrothes Branch) The ceilidh will be held on Friday 12th November at Gilvenbank Hotel, Glenrothes. Tickets priced at £25 include a 3 course meal and ceilidh. Tickets can be purchased from Tracy Thomson - 01592 775752. The band will be The Gary Sutherland Ceilidh Band.

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