

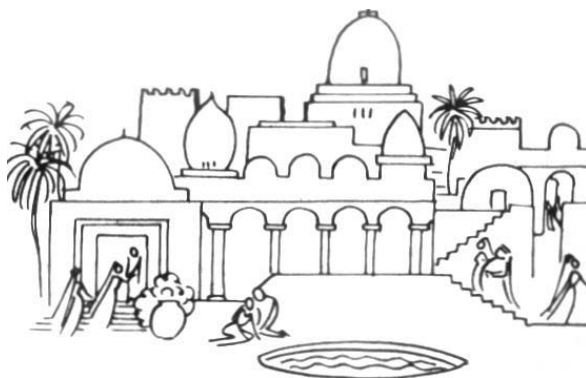


Markinch Parish Church Sunday Bulletin

Minister: Revd Alex Forsyth TD BA MTh

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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The Gathering

We enter to worship

Prelude - music for prayer and meditation

Welcome & Intimations

HYMN 132 Immortal Invisible God Only Wise

Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 p 788

Revelation 21.1-7 p 1249

HYMN 103 Fill Your Hearts With Joy & Gladness Tune:Regent Square

Matthew 23.37-24.8 p 992

HYMN Today We Are Called To Be Tune:Kingsfold

Prayers for Help & Healing

HYMN 502 Take My Life Lord Let It Be

Sermon

The Offering

HYMN 702 Lord In Love & Perfect Wisdom

The Blessing & Choral Amen

Postlude - music for prayer and reflection

We depart to serve

Coffee & Conversation in the Hall

Today we are all called to be
Disciples of the Lord,
To help to set the captives free,
Make plough-share out of sword,
To feed the hungry, quench their thirst,
Make love and peace our fast,
To serve the poor and homeless first,
Our ease and comfort last.

God made the world and at its birth
Ordained our human race
To live as stewards of the earth,
Responding to God's grace.
But we are vain and sadly proud,
We sow not peace but strife,
Our discord spreads a deadly cloud
That threatens all of life.

Pray justice may come rolling down
As in a mighty stream,
With righteousness in field and town
To cleanse us and redeem.
For God is longing to restore
An earth where conflicts cease,
A world that was created for
A harmony of peace.

May we in service to our God
Act out the living word,
And walk the road the saints have trod
Till all have seen and heard.
As stewards of the earth may we
Give thanks in one accord
To God who calls us all to be
Disciples of the Lord.

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.

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 Mornings are held on Thursdays from 10.00am-11.30am in the church hall. Come and join us for tea or coffee and a chat. You are always welcome.

Church Flowers Would anyone in the congregation who would like flowers delivered from the Sunday service to the elderly, sick, bereaved, or someone going through a difficult time please contact the person dealing with the flowers for that month. The people to contact for distribution in August are Margaret Urquhart 01592 612341 and Alison Taylor 01592 759870

Elders please note that the church newsletters are ready for collection from the session house.

Communion Sunday

The Minister and the Kirk Session

invite you to share in

the celebration of Holy Communion

on Sunday 19th August 2012 at 11.00am

Help For Heroes Charity Bowling Day

Sunday 12th August 2012 at Markinch Bowling Club.

Adult / Junior Triples Competition for bowlers

Raffle - Cake Sale - Guess The Bears Birthday

Territorial Army Medics with ambulance

All day event - Starts at 10am

Sponsored by MGM Timber, Glenrothes

Raffle donations gratefully accepted.

Contact Judd Clark at juddc4@sky.com for details.

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