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# Markinch Parish Church Sunday Bulletin

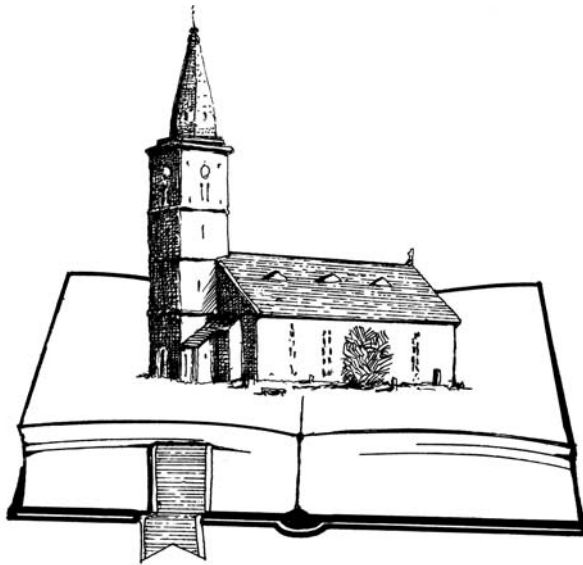
11th May 2014

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*Our Mission*

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

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## **Order of Service**

Welcome

Call to worship

**Hymn 462 - The King of Love my shepherd is**

Prayers of Approach and Confession

With the Children

**Hymn - Such love**

Readings: Psalm 23 p555

Acts Chapter 2 verses 42ff p1094

**Hymn 553 - Just as I am without one plea**

Reading: John Chapter 10 verses 1 to 10 p1076

**Hymn 542 - Lord speak to me, that I may speak.**

***“The Good Shepherd”***

**Hymn 468 - Son of God, eternal Saviour**

Offering and Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

**Hymn 513 - Courage Brother, do not stumble**

Benediction

## Such Love

Such love, pure as the whitest snow,  
such love weeps for the shame I know;  
such love, paying the debt I owe;  
O Jesus, such love.

Such love, stilling my restlessness;  
such love, filling my emptiness;  
such love, showing me holiness;  
O Jesus, such love.

Such love springs from eternity;  
such love, streaming through history;  
such love, fountain of life to me;  
O Jesus, such love.

Graham Kendrick  
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**Christian Aid Week** There will be a Coffee Morning in aid of Christian Aid on Thursday 15th May 2014. Please come along and support this cause. Books continue to be on sale and we recycle ink cartridges and toners.



## Update

**Welcome.** We hope you will feel at home and among friends. Visitors please sign our visitors book in the church vestibule. After the service join us for coffee and a chat in the hall. 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 Nancy Munro.

**Vestry Hour - Sundays 12 noon - 1.00 pm by appointment. Please contact our Locum Minister, Rev Alistair McLeod, on 01592 744558 or 07816 272628. Alistair's email address is [alistairmcLeod1936@gmail.com](mailto:alistairmcLeod1936@gmail.com)**

**Union of Markinch and Thornton** The Service of Union will take place at Thornton Parish Church on Thursday 5th June at 7.00pm. The Induction service for a new minister (when found), will be at Markinch, as Markinch can cater for a greater number of people and the induction service is likely to be busier.

**Sunday Service Times** As we will become a joint charge on 5th June, the time of our Sunday services will change from 11am to 11:30am from 8th June 2014, with services at Thornton being at 10am.

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

**Thursday Coffee/Teas** Members can now pre-pay their Thursday coffee/tea and raffle costs for the year. This will enable us to treat as income on which we can reclaim tax from HMRC. A token will be provided to show that payment has already been made. Members can make payment directly to Nancy Munro and will receive a token to show that they have pre-paid. It is intended to stick to the calendar year, so payments for 2014 will cover to 31st Dec 2014.

**Elders please note** that copies of the church magazine News From The Pews are available for uplift from the Session House

**Life and Work** magazine is now available for uplift

**Church Flowers** If you would like a gift of flowers distributed to anyone in the congregation please contact Teresa Henderson on 01592 754892.

**The Markinch Local Committee of Cancer Research UK** are holding a Coffee Morning on Saturday 17th May 2014 at Balbirnie Court Markinch from 10am till 12 noon. Sales Table - Tombola - Raffle. Tickets £2 from Teresa Henderson.

**The Youth Club** are planning on adding some bedding plants to the flower tubs in the church hall garden. They would appreciate donations of plants and these can be left in the church hall until 19th June as this will be the last week the youngsters will be using the hall before the summer holidays.

**Christian Aid Envelopes** Donations can be returned to the Church anytime during the next few weeks, please check the Christian Aid website, the Church magazine or our Facebook page for information about the work of Christian Aid.

**The Flowers in Church** today are dedicated to the Glory of God and are in loving memory of Jean Gould. They are gifted to the church by her "boys" - her sons Harry and Bryan. There are also flowers in loving memory of James Warden. These are gifted to the church by Isobel, Paula and Jill.

## Communion Sunday

**You are invited to share in the celebration of Holy Communion on Sunday 25th May 2014 at 11.00 am.**