

Summer 2015



The **Parishioner**

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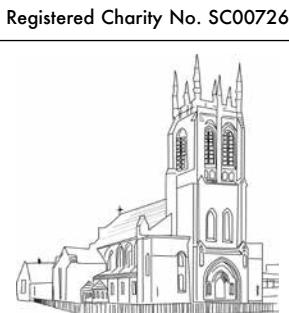
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Pastoral Letter

Summer 2015

Dear Friends,

Over the past year many people have been hesitant to talk too much about Scotland. This hesitancy arose out of a fear they may be revealing a political inclination. Others could talk about little else. How you voted in the referendum is your business – I hope you did vote!

Perhaps now with a little distance and the calming of spirits we can again speak naturally about Scotland and all that it means to us. The summer, I hope, will soon be upon us. There will be opportunities to sit, walk or play in the sunshine. Everything seems to look a little better in the sun. You may take time to travel in Scotland and enjoy some of the wonderful scenery on our doorstep or just a little further.

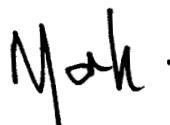
On a recent visit to Oban we took some time to visit the Isle of Seil. In order to get to the Isle of Seil you can cross the Atlantic Bridge. It is also known as the Clachan Bridge. It is a simple, single-arched, humped back bridge spanning the Clachan Sound, 13 kilometres (8.1 miles) southwest of Oban. The bridge links the west coast

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of the Scottish mainland with the Island of Seil. Originally designed by Thomas Telford, and built between 1792 and 1793 by engineer Robert Milne, the bridge became known as “The Bridge over the Atlantic”. It was designed with a high arch, of roughly 22 metres (72 ft) span and about 12 metres (39 ft) above the bed of the channel, to allow the passage of vessels at high tide. The story is told that it was at this bridge, when the Kilt was banned in Scotland that people would change into trousers before stepping on the mainland of Scotland. However it must only be a story. The act banning kilts came into effect as part of the Dress act of 1746. This was repealed in 1782. The bridge was not built until 1792/93. However, the story may still have an element of truth since there is a little Bothie nearby that would be perfect for changing.

When you visit such sites you are more aware of the turbulent past in Scotland and the tension of being a nation with customs and principles. During the summer people will often visit Church sites. They will stand outside and photograph or go in and pray, looking at the windows the furnishings and anything else of beauty. They may get caught up in the story of the people, the place and the faith the building represents. It is my hope this year as the summer comes and goes we will find opportunity to sit in our own church, visit other churches or places of significance to our faith, from Iona to the Martyrs Monument in St Andrews. This is our heritage this is our story – this is our faith.

Kindest regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark'.

Shipmates

Shipmates are nearing the end of the session and start back in September, watch for the date in September Parishioner. There are 28 boys in the section, ranging in age from 5 – 8 years. The present leader, Lindsey Campbell has intimated she is retiring from her position in 2016. This is one of our more successful organisations. If you think you might be interested in leading the boys, or need more information, please contact Garry Burns, Youth Convener, 0141 779 3306.

Parish Register

Weddings

'God is love and those who dwell in love dwell in God and God in them'
We celebrated the marriage of:

May 23 Angela Ewing and Graeme Welsh

Funerals

'Jesus said I am the resurrection and the life . . .'

'Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted'

'Jesus said The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God.'

May 01 Tom Leishman, 28 Briar Road, Kirkintilloch
02 William Clark, Westerton Care Home, Bearsden
06 Mrs Catherine McDonald, 18 Beaufort Drive,
Kirkintilloch
08 Miss Annie Letford, Whitefield Lodge Nursing Home,
Lennoxtown

Special Anniversaries –

Silver Wedding

Margaret and Jim McKean celebrated 25 years of marriage on 04 May.

Pearl Wedding

Margaret and Gordon Morrison celebrated 30 years of marriage on 04 May.

Golden Wedding

Norma and Douglas McMillan celebrated 50 years of marriage on 08 May

To all of the above couples, congratulations and best wishes are sent from the congregation of St Mary's.

Change of Address

Mrs Carol Beattie now residing at 53 Farm Wynd, Kirkintilloch

Certificate of Transfer

Certificate of Transfer has been issued to Mrs Jean Honeker and we wish her well in her new Church.



Church Flowers

We wish to thank the following members who will donate the flowers for the chancel of our Church during June, July and August.

June	07	Mrs L. Burns, Mrs M. Henderson, Mrs H. McKay, Mrs M. Taylor Mrs D. McPherson
	14	Mrs C. Holbein, Miss M. Weir, Mr Mrs E. Kerr, Mr Mrs D. Burns
	21	Mrs N. Doran, Mrs M. Gaston, Miss K. Gaston, Mrs M. Stirling
	28	Mrs W. Reid, Mrs D. McPherson
July	05	Mrs E. Gillespie, Mrs F. Leishman, Mrs E. McNamee
	12	Mrs A. Brownlie, Mrs M. Glennie
	19	Mrs M McLachlan, Mrs E Cowie
	26	Mr Mrs I Chesney, Miss A Tassie
August	02	Mrs R. Campbell, Mrs D. McMillan, Mrs M. Girault, Mr Mrs J Marran
	09	Mrs J. Reid, Mrs N. Fleming Nancy and Anita, Mrs R. Fitzpatrick
	16	Mr S Ashmall, Mrs J Hutton, Mrs J Stirling
	23	Mrs J Clarke, Mrs R Bennie, Mrs C Whitehead
	30	Mrs M Clarkson, Mrs M Wilson, Mrs V Hogg
September	06	Mrs J Stewart, Mrs D McMillan, Mrs R Stevenson
(Communion)		

The following members, whom we wish to thank for their assistance, will be responsible for distribution.

May	31	Mrs A. McPhee
June	07	Mrs M. McCaffer
June	14/21	Mrs M. Hardie, P. L. & C. Malcolm
	28]	Mrs M. Gaston
July	05]	Mrs E. Donnelly
	12/19	Mrs B. Walker, Mrs J. Reid
	26]	Mrs A. Pearson
August	02]	Mrs J. McCann
	09/16	Mrs J. Sinclair, Mrs M. Wilson
	23/30	Mrs D. More, Mrs I. Kennedy
September	06/13	Mr G. Burns, Miss E Cousin

Letters of acknowledgement have been received from the following who received Chancel Flowers during the last month.

Mrs J McKean, Mrs S Meiklejohn, Mrs J Black, Mrs B Hill, Mrs N Houston, S. & B. McMillan, G. & M. Morrison, Elizabeth Cousin on behalf of her Mum, Fiona, Andrew and Fraser Leishman, J. & S. Gow, Mrs A. Clelland, Mrs S. Jarvie, Mrs B. McArthur, Mr J. Pearson, Mr Mrs J. Whyte, Mr Mrs C. McCaffer, Miss D Brown, Mrs M Stirling, Mrs I Anderson, Mrs M Given, Mr Mrs J Farmer.

Janice Reid thanks all who gave donations to the Chancel Flowers during the months of April and May. Also to Mrs Margaret McRae who donated £50 towards flowers in memory of her son.

Thank You

Fiona, Andrew and Fraser would like to thank our many friends in St Mary's for all of the support given to us following Tom's death. Your cards, flowers, love and prayers have meant so much to us all at this sad time.

Communion - An Early Invitation

We will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion on the morning of Sunday 6th September. We will use non-alcoholic wine, prepared bread and individual glasses. This is a celebration of the Lord's Supper and is open to all who wish to respond to Christ's invitation.

The Parishioner Online

Missed or lost your copy of the Parishioner ... why not go to www.stmaryskirkintilloch.org.uk and see this month's copy. Stephen McKean, Webmaster, has built up previous issues online so you can look back on past copies. Also if you wish any news or information to be put on the website over the summer months please e-mail webmaster@stmarykirkintilloch.org.uk and we will put these on the News page of the website.

DONATION TO CHURCH ROOF FUND

I/We wish to donate the sum of £..... to the Special Projects Fund in respect of the New Roof for the Church.

Can Gift Aid be reclaimed on this donation Yes/No (delete as appropriate)

If yes, please supply name and address of donor. Please confirm that you have already completed a Gift Aid Declaration for St. Mary's. If not please contact Hugh Biggans or John Thomson to obtain this form.
Cheques should be made payable to St Mary's Parish Church Special Projects A/c

Name: _____

Address: _____



Praise in the Park

Praise in the Park takes place once again in the Peel Park on Sunday 14 June commencing at 7.30 p.m. This is open to all who wish to attend. To avoid being bitten by the dreaded 'midge', providing the weather has improved by that time, it would be a good idea to take some repellent along with you.



To all leaders of organisations

Once again we will be carrying out a clear out during the summer break. Please identify or put away items you wish to save, especially in the basement, as this area again appears to becoming a dumping ground for unused "stuff"

Thank you for your co-operation.

David Tinto

Nepal Earthquake Appeal

Following the earthquake in Nepal retiral collections in the Church on 03 and 10 May raised the sum of £339.90. Sincere thanks to everyone who contributed. A further £45 was raised from the sale of home baking, which was done by Lauren Caven and her daughter Louisa. Many thanks to them for their effort and thoughtfulness. Both these sums of money have now been sent to Christian Aid.

The Parishioner

As there is no Parishioner during the months of July and August, copy for the September issue should be handed to Sandra Burns, left in the Publications pigeon hole in the Hall vestibule, or sent by e-mail to sandraburns@ntlworld.com no later than **Sunday 23 August.**

N.B. This is one week early so that organisations can have their new session starting dates inserted. The Publications Committee wishes everyone a good summer, with plenty of sunshine. Thank you to all who have contributed over the past few months and we hope to 'see' more of you in September.

VISITORS ARE WELCOME

St Mary's is a sit anywhere Church and visitors are always welcome. If you feel there should be more to life than retail therapy and Friday night clubbing, try coming along to the 11 o'clock service on Sunday morning. You may hear something to change how you value your life and your relationships with those around you. You don't have to join up to join in.

The Church office is located on the right as you enter the Church Halls. The secretary, Mrs Lynn Hay, is available in the office Monday to Friday 9.15am – 12.15am and may be the first point of contact for general enquiries. Lynn will be able to refer you to the person best suited to respond. Church office telephone 0141 775 1166 or e-mail: office.stmarys@btconnect.com

ECO COMMITTEE

Swifts Project 2014/15

In recent years there has been an alarming reduction in the number of swifts that visit us from Africa each summer to the extent that they are now an endangered species. Our project was aimed at encouraging more of these fascinating birds to nest in the Kirkintilloch area and to involve the community in our efforts. With the Rangers from Mugdock Country Park as partners and with the support of Swift Conservation Scotland we made a start in the spring of 2014.

Having approached Kirkintilloch High School, we were delighted when a group of third year students led by Claire Kirker, Principal Teacher Design and Technology, volunteered to help and produced four beautifully made nesting boxes from a design supplied by SCS. Unfortunately, we were unable to find sites for the boxes in time for the 2014 nesting season. In November eight more were produced during a community event when members of the public took part in a construction session organised by Mugdock Rangers in St Mary's Church car park. In April 2015 nine boxes were erected on the walls of the Church Hall in plenty of time for this year's arrivals. Our sincere thanks go to East Dunbartonshire Council and the Fabric Committee for their assistance in putting them in place.

The swifts arrive from Africa each year around mid-May and in June 2014 the Mugdock Rangers led a community "swift spotting" walk through Kirkintilloch and along the Forth and Clyde Canal during which a number were seen flying high above the town. Another walk took place a month later when the sharp-eyed among us were again able to watch the swifts' aerobatic displays. Sadly, they left us in August to return to Africa.

In order to spread the word about our project the nesting boxes were used in educational talks to nursery children, some featured in floral displays at the Centenary Flower Festival, they were on view at the ECO Church Service and they were the subject of an article in the Kirkintilloch Herald. The project was financed by a grant from CSV Action Earth for which we are

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grateful and we are greatly indebted to our friends the Mugdock Rangers who applied for the grant on our behalf and who have been an enormous help throughout.

Now that this year's breeding season is under way we hope and pray that some swifts will use our nesting boxes thus helping to reverse the serious decline in their numbers.

June McCann
Member, ECO Committee



Christian Aid Week 2015

This year 16 people from St Mary's collected £1,264.53 in the House to House collection. This sum includes several donations. Sincere thanks to everyone who collected, donated and helped out in whatever way.

The Soup Lunch held on 17 May raised £335.23. This total includes several donations and money raised by home baking, once again by Lauren Caven and her daughter Louisa.

Copies of Christian Aid News are available in the vestibule. Read how Christian Aid is helping the poorest people on earth.

Listeners Circle



The first meeting after the summer months is Friday 18 September 2015. The choice of music then is that of Edith Dunn. Everyone is welcome at 2.00 p.m. in the Session House.

Prayer of Hope

Father

Thank you that nothing is impossible with you. When circumstances seem to conspire, when situations are entrenched, when relationships feel fragile, help us to remember that you are the God who breaks through barriers, who opens eyes and transforms lives of even the most unlikely people. Help us to remember Paul - who he was and what he became – to be encouraged and full of hope and thanks.

In Jesus name, Amen

Session Report

In regard to the proposed work on the Church roof, I previously reported on the progress of our grant application with the Heritage Lottery Fund. Unfortunately, during the assessment phase of our Stage I application, it became apparent that we were not going to be successful at this time. It is going to be necessary to undertake additional structural surveys to demonstrate that our project will meet the required criteria of the grant fund. We therefore took the decision to withdraw our application, to give us the opportunity to provide the necessary reports, before resubmitting our application later in the year.

At the time of going to print, we will be preparing to vote on the Draft basis of Parish Grouping for the four Church of Scotland congregations in Kirkintilloch. If the congregations all vote in favour then the proposal will be taken to Glasgow Presbytery later in June, for the grouping to be ratified.

During the month of May, we had the opportunity to vote for the charities we would like to support during the next three years. Thanks to everyone who participated in this exercise – the outcome of the selection process is noted below:

2015/16 – Marie Curie and CHAS Rachel House, Balloch
2016/17 – Parkinsons UK and WaterAid
2017/18 – Seagull Trust (Kirkintilloch) and Guide Dogs

At the end of May, we also had the opportunity for the Nursery School to participate in our Sunday Worship. It was great to see so many children, parents, carers and staff from the nursery and to recognise the fantastic work they have been doing at St Mary's for the past 50 years. Our thanks go out to everyone involved.

Our next Session Meeting is on Wednesday 10th June. This is the last meeting before the summer recess and once again it is proposed to make this an open evening. The meeting will take place in the Church Halls at 7:30pm and members of the congregation and our organisations are all encouraged to attend.

Gordon Morrison
Session Clerk

The Bells of St Mary's



June	07	Mary Stirling and Jen Biggans
	14	Linda Brown and Jean Ralph
	21	Angela Montgomerie and Karen McCallum
	28	Lisa and Daniel Malloy-Gibson
July	05	Dorothy Stewart and Paul Malcolm
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September	06	Linda Brown and Olivia Fotheringham

Weight

Singing the register at a wedding, the groom had difficulty in making his ball-point pen work. "Put your weight on it," said the minister. So the groom complied: 'John Smith (eleven stone, four pounds)'

Signs found outside churches

It is unlikely there'll be a reduction in the wages of sin.

If you don't like the way you were born, try being born again.

Looking at the way some people live, they ought to obtain eternal fire insurance soon.

This is a ch__ch What is missing? (U R)

Forbidden fruit creates many jams.

In the dark? Follow the Son.

Running low on faith? Stop in for a fill-up.

If you can't sleep, don't count sheep. Talk to the Shepherd.

Young Church

Summer outing takes place on the afternoon of Sunday 7th June, with a trip on the canal by the Seagull Trust. Their recognition service is on Sunday 21st June, with one more Sunday, 28th June, before Sunday Club commences on Sunday 5th July. Young Church will restart 6th September.

As part of the Eco Church initiative, we continue to get updates on Ihoho the mountain Gorilla we adopted and rely on the Young peoples' weekly collection to fund this project.

We will be holding our Craft fair on 7th November in aid of the roof fund, encouraging donations for the tombola and ask for assistance for the tea Room on the day. More details in September Parishioner. We take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy and sunny summer.

Louise Barrie

What is on the other side of death?

A doctor was visiting a very ill man, who was also his next door neighbour. As he finally got up to go, the man said: "Doctor, I am afraid to die. Tell me what lies on the other side." Very quietly, the doctor said, "I don't know." "You don't know? You, a Christian man, do not know what is on the other side?"

The doctor was holding the handle of the door; on the other side came a sound of scratching and whining, and as he opened the door, his young spaniel sprang into the room and leaped on him with an eager show of gladness. Turning to the patient, the doctor said, "Did you notice my dog? He's never been in this room before. He didn't know what was inside. He knew nothing except that his master was here, and when the door opened, he sprang in without fear. I know little of what is on the other side of death, but I do know one thing... I know my Master is there and that is enough."

TREASURER'S REPORT

Will the Congregation please note that our offering receipts, on a monthly basis, such as listed below, are not sufficient to cover our typical monthly expenditure to operate as St Mary's Parish Church.

April Offering

DATE	FREEWILL OFFERING	GIFT AID	OPEN PLATE	STANDING ORDERS
05.04.15	372.50	633.00	176.30	
12.04.15	383.50	1052.50	90.80	
19.04.15	640.80	428.00	130.00	
26.04.15	454.66	377.00	92.25	
Standing orders				3447.00
TOTAL	1851.46	2490.50	489.35	3447.00
Total for the Month		8278.31		

RECEIPTS AND DONATIONS DURING APRIL & MAY

Received with thanks and gratitude for your consideration of our Church

Kirkintilloch Male Voice Choir	258.00
Over 50's Badminton Club	100.00
Rotary Club of Kirkintilloch and District	120.00
Retiring Offering on 3rd & 10th May for Nepal Disaster	339.30
Proceeds of Cakes made and sold by Lauren Caven for Nepal Disaster	45.00
Christian Aid Soup Lunch	285.23
Trefoil Guild	120.00
Parishioner	10.00

Special Projects Fund: Roof Fund

From The Estate of The Late Tom Leishman	5000.00
Stuart & Donna Male	50.00
St Marys Guild	800.00
Tuesday Ladies Badminton	400.00
Following Recent Funeral	600.00
From the retiring offering at The Memorial Service for Isa Livingstone	223.45
Donations following The Funeral of Isa Livingstone via Funeral Director	100.00
Anonymous	1000.00
Anonymous	1000.00
1st Kirkintilloch Rainbow Guide Unit	50.00
St Mary's Flower Circle	1000.00
Anonymous	20.00
Anonymous	40.00
Anonymous	300.00
Anonymous	250.00
Anonymous	20.00
Anonymous	1000.00

The Rectory . . .

St James the Least

My dear Nephew Darren

Much against my better judgement, after a recent series of small thefts, we have installed security cameras here at St. James the Least. At least the suggestion for trip wires that opened the gate to Mrs Poppleroy's garden next door, thereby setting loose her deranged Pekingese, were narrowly defeated – though I had to use my casting vote.

So now we have a complete record of everything that goes on when no one is about. It makes such interesting viewing that I have cancelled my television licence and spend every evening watching the antics of my parishioners. I wonder if there is some niche television channel which would be interested; it could help the tower restoration fund no end.

Miss Margison seems to imagine she is now part of some theatrical performance every time she cleans the church; her body language as she wields a feather duster is of operatic proportions, as is her final bow to the cameras as she leaves.

I have at last found the several hiding places where Mr Prentice secretes his bottle of whisky every week when he comes to

wind the tower clock.

Colonel Wainwright, who served for some time in the security services, is now worried that pictures of him cleaning the brass will be circulated in Russia. He fails to appreciate that his disguise as a French onion seller, with striped jersey, beret and waxed moustache does tend to make his presence rather more interesting than he imagines – to us, if not to the KGB.

The flower arrangers seem to imagine that we are recording sound as well as pictures and so whenever they are in church together, all gossip is written down and passed round by hand as they work in total silence. So far, they have remembered to take their pieces of paper home with them. One slip and I shall probably learn more about my parishioners in five minutes than I have done in the last five years. The cameras have also solved the mystery of who has been pilfering the items – and even the nest where they have hidden it. If only I could teach the magpies to extract money from pockets and place it on the collection plate.

Your loving uncle, Eustace

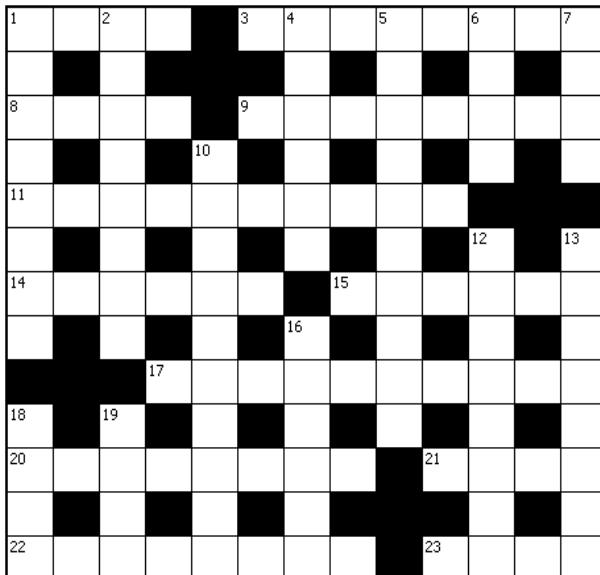
Across

- 1 See 23 Across
- 3 Where the thief on the cross was told he would be, with Jesus (Luke 23:43) (8)
- 8 Invalid (4)
- 9 Blasphemed (Ezekiel 36:20) (8)
- 11 Adhering to the letter of the law rather than its spirit (Philippians 3:6) (10)
- 14 Shut (Ecclesiastes 12:4) (6)
- 15 'This is how it will be with anyone who — up things for himself but is not rich towards God' (Luke 12:21) (6)
- 17 Mary on Isis (anag.) (10)
- 20 Agreement (Hebrews 9:15) (8)
- 21 Native of, say, Bangkok (4)
- 22 Deaf fort (anag.) (5-3)
- 23 and 1 Across 'The Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of — to work it and take — of it' (Genesis 2:15) (4,4)

Down

- 1 Struggle between opposing forces (Habakkuk 1:3) (8)
- 2 James defined this as 'looking after orphans and widows in their distress and keeping oneself from being polluted by the world' (James 1:27) (8)
- 4 'The one I kiss is the man; — him' (Matthew 26:48) (6)
- 5 'Be joyful in hope, patient in — , faithful in prayer' (Romans 12:12) (10)
- 6 St Columba's burial place (4)
- 7 Swirling current of water (4)
- 10 Loyalty (Isaiah 19:18) (10)
- 12 'God was pleased through the foolishness of what was — , to save

Crossword



ANSWERS AT FOOT OF PAGE

those who believe' (1 Corinthians 1:21) (8)

- 13 Camp where the angel of the Lord slew 185,000 men one night (2 Kings 19:35) (8)
- 16 'There is still — — Jonathan; he is crippled in both feet' (2 Samuel 9:3) (1,3,2)
- 18 David Livingstone was one (4)



ST MARY'S PARISH CHURCH ORGANISATIONS

DAY	ORGANISATION	LOCATION	TIME	CONTACT
Sunday	Sunday Worship	Church	11.00 a.m. – 12 noon	Rev Mark Johnstone
	Sunday School	Church Halls	ditto	Elaine Stevens / Louise
	Seekers	ditto	ditto	Barry
	Crèche	ditto	ditto	Elaine Stevens / Louise
	Fairtrade	Main Hall	12 noon – 12.30 p.m.	Fiona Leishman/Leslie
	Badminton			Baird
	Beginners	ditto	4.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.	Trevor Patterson
	Junior	ditto	5.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.	Susan Wilson
	Senior	ditto	7.30 p.m. – 10.30p.m.	Trevor Patterson
	Youth Fellowship	Mid Hall	7.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Lorna McCallum
Monday	Ladies Bowling	Main Hall	1.30 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.	Cathie Devine
	Shipmates	ditto	5.45 p.m. – 6.45 p.m.	Lindsey Campbell
	Junior & Company			
	Section Boys' Brigade	ditto	6.45p.m. – 8.30 p.m.	Iain Hill Archie Smith
	Men's Club	Main Hall	7.30 p.m. – 10.00p.m.	
Tuesday	Running/Walking Group	Hall Vestibule	7.00 p.m.	Bob Brown/Jean Ralph
	Ladies Badminton	ditto	1.30 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.	Doreen More
	Junior Badminton	ditto	6.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m.	Trevor Patterson
	Senior Badminton	ditto	8.00 p.m. – 10.30p.m.	Susan Wilson
	Prayer Time	Meeting Place	7.00 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.	Rev Katy Owen
Wednesday	Country Dancing	Mid Hall	7.45 p.m. – 10.00 pm.	Moira MacNeill
	Wednesday Welcome	Session House	10.00a.m. – 11.20am.	Mary Stirling
	Wednesday Worship		11.30 a.m. – 12 noon	Rev Mark Johnstone
	Over 50s Badminton	Main Hall	1.30 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.	Anne Allan
	Brownies	ditto	6.30 p.m. – 7.45 p.m.	Elizabeth Cousin
	Rainbows	ditto	6.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.	Agnes Marran
	Vestry Hour	Vestry	7.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m.	Rev Mark Johnstone <i>Telephone Church Office</i> Bob Brown/Jean Ralph
Thursday	Running/Walking Group	Hall Vestibule	7.00 p.m.	
	Flower Circle (alternate weeks)	Mid Hall	7.30 p.m. – 9.00 p.m.	Elizabeth Walker
Friday	Listeners' Circle (monthly)	ditto	2.00 p.m. – 4.00 p.m.	
	Guild	Mid Hall	7.30 p.m. – 9.00 p.m.	Moira MacNeill

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