

Newport-on-Tay Church of Scotland



Order of Service 7th July 2024



Introit
Welcome & Call to Worship

Hymn 160 : Praise, my soul, the King of heaven

Prayer & The Lord's Prayer [Trespases]

Hymn 641 : Seek ye first the kingdom of God

Children's Address

Hymn 516 : We are marching in the light of God

— Young People leave for Funday Sunday —

Anthem

Readings : Genesis 17 v 9 - 14 [page 17]

Romans 6 v 3 - 11 [page 1133]

Read by William Berry

Hymn : My faith looks up to Thee

Sermon

Hymn 738 : Glorious things of thee are spoken

Prayers of Dedication and Intercession

The Apostles' Creed

Hymn 512 : To God be the glory, great things he has done!

Benediction
Threefold Amen

Intimations

1) Worship Leader

Our service this week is led by our minister, Rev Dr Amos Chewachong, and our organist is Garry Fraser.

2) Next Sunday

Next Sunday, 14th July, our morning service will be led by Rev Alec Shuttleworth, Fife Presbytery Clerk, and our evening Communion Service at 6:30pm will be led by Rev David Scott.

3) Prayer Room

Our Church Prayer Room (opposite the entrance to the kitchen) is a lovely quiet space available for reflection and prayer. It is available whenever the Church is open and you are encouraged to make use of it. Why not drop in before the Church Service for a quiet moment? The door may be closed to keep out the noise of kitchen traffic but just come in. Some may wish to pray out loud but there is no pressure to do so.

4) Daily Reflections

Our minister is recording a daily reflection which is being uploaded to the church website. You can listen to the reflections here

<http://www.notchurch.co.uk/index.php/reflections/>

5) Wednesday Afternoon Club

The Wednesday Afternoon Club runs on Wednesdays from 1.30pm to 3pm in the Agnes Duncan Room. As always there will be refreshments, tasty bits, good company and lots of chat! This is a lovely afternoon of socialising and meeting people. There will be no charge, however if anyone wishes to make a donation then there will be a collection plate. All are welcome. If you would like to help, please get in touch with Margaret Wright: Tel (01382) 543007.

6) Vigil for Peace

The vigil continues on Thursdays at 7pm for about 10 minutes on the Church Green, Blyth Street, Newport-on-Tay.

We are continuing Zooming the Vigils. If you would like to join on Zoom please ask Neil Merrylees or Claire Owen for the link.

7) Summer Concerts - Wednesdays@One

The Guild of Newport-on-Tay Church of Scotland presents Summer Concerts 2024 Wednesdays @ 1pm for 30-40 minutes - save the following dates!

24th July - Puddledub Duo - Stephen Morrison & Robin Bell (Guitar and Piano),

31st July - Alison Malcolm (Organ),

7th August - Eleanor Owen (Soprano)

14th August - Sarah Elgin (Flute).

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8) Community Chest

We are continuing our collection for the Community Chest supporting 3 causes - the Rio's foodstuff collection, Tay Bridgehead Foodbank and St Salvador's Food Cupboard in Dundee. During July we will be supporting St Salvador's. Please support this when you can by buying an extra item or two at your weekly shop. There is a box at the back of the Church every Sunday for donations. More information is available in the Journal including a list of suggested items.

9) Foodbank Help

Recently two volunteers from the Tay Bridgehead Foodbank have had to give up their roles and they are trying to recruit 2 replacements. The roles do not require a huge amount of time. In one case it is for 2 - 3 hours once a fortnight and it would be with another member of the team. The other role requires less time again for once a fortnight and again with another team member. If you think this is something you could help with please speak to Claire Owen for more information.

10) Christian Aid

The total raised during Christian Aid Week was £807.50. Many thanks to everyone who has donated.

11) Post Office

From now onwards over the summer months, the Pop-Up Post Office will **only** be running on Wednesdays from 9:30 - 11:30am in the Kirk House Complex.

Daily Readings

Monday 8th July : Colossians 2 : 11 - 12

Tuesday 9th July : Acts 8 : 26 - 39

Wednesday 10th July : Isaiah 43 : 1 - 7

Thursday 11th July : Exodus 14 : 8 - 20

Friday 12th July : Exodus 14 : 21 - 29

Saturday 13th July : Deuteronomy 7 : 6 - 12

Quote of the week

Living in anticipation is not passive;
it is active, alert, and attentive—
a vibrant hope guiding us as we continuously learn
and explore what it means to be alive to God now.

Rev Dr Amos Chewachong