

PRAYERS FOR SOUPER SUNDAY & the Church's HIV Programme

HIV continues to be both a cause and consequence not just of ill-health and death, but also of poverty and lack of development around the world. With five people infected with HIV and three dying of AIDS every minute of every day, the need is obvious. People living with HIV throughout the world do not look for our sympathy but our solidarity and practical support. The Church of Scotland's HIV Programme aims to provide that support around the world through its partnership's with church related and other faith-based organisations and so to bring hope.

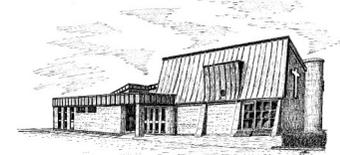
The Church of Scotland's HIV Programme is currently supporting 27 projects in 15 countries of the world. Its aims are to...

- Break the silence on HIV and AIDS
- Stand together with partner churches
- Offer practical support
- Speak up for the voiceless
- Involve every member of the church

Pray for:

- Mwandu Mission Hospital, Zambia and its nutritional programme
- Mphatso who runs LISAP, the Livingstonia Synod Aids Project, in Malawi and the community care offered to people and families in the surrounding villages
- Women in Malawi who are HIV positive that they may not be stigmatised
- Children who are born HIV positive that they may be able to live a productive life
- Scientists as they seek to develop a vaccine to combat HIV and a cure for AIDS
- Women Development and Service Society in the Church of Pakistan in its programme of awareness and rehabilitation amongst female sex workers
- The Galilee Society in Israel as it runs educational conferences and works with the Arab Israeli community to raise awareness of HIV
- Waverley Care, a Scottish charity based in Edinburgh, dealing with HIV and Hepatitis C sufferers throughout Scotland
- The Church of South India as it challenges stigma, provides care and support and economically empowers those affected by HIV
- Rev Nase Chunga, Chaplain, Ekwendeni Hospital, Malawi – as he brings comfort to families where people are suffering from HIV and dying from AIDS
- The manufacturers of anti-retroviral drugs that these may be made readily available at reasonable prices that people can afford
- The Amity Foundation in China as it supports Chinese villagers to get their lives back on track through developing economic opportunities
- Ourselves, that we may not be judgemental about people who are HIV positive or are suffering from AIDS

The Church of Scotland
Dalgety Parish Church
Sunday 5th March 2017



TODAY

Café Church - 7.00 pm

Monday 6th March

Prayer Meeting - 7.30pm

Tuesday 7th March

Café Connect 10am - 11.30am

Wednesday 8th March

Peace & Justice Talk - 7.30 pm

Badminton 7.30pm

Thursday 9th March

Bible Study - 1.45 pm at 11 St Colme Drive

Boys' Brigade from 6pm

House Group 7.30pm at 22 The Bridges – all welcome

Sunday 12th March

Morning Worship - 10.30 am

Evening Service - 7.00 pm (please note change of time)

Coffee and Tea served before and after the Service
Quiet Room Open Monday - Friday 9.00 am - 6.00 pm



Junior Church

Adventurers aged 3 - p1, Junior Church p2 - p5, Discoverers p6 - S4. These meet during the church times, gathering in church and leaving after the second hymn.



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Today's Service

Intimations

Welcome and introduction

Call to Worship

Hymn 623: Here in this place

Prayer

Talk 1

Song: The Magic Penny

Reading:

Luke 4: 16-30

Talk 2 (to incorporate reading: 1 Corinthians 13: 1 – 13)

Hymn 348: Praise the one who breaks the darkness

Talk 3

Hymn 259: Beauty for brokenness

Offering

Prayers for others

Hymn 470: Jesus shall reign

Benediction

There will be a retiring offering in aid of the Church of Scotland's HIV Programme – donations may be gift-aided, envelopes are available either at the soup counter or at the offering plate on the way out.



Use yogurt pots, plastic cups instead of plant pots or use as paint pots for children

Notices

SOUPER SUNDAY – TODAY after morning worship, celebrate the work of the Church of Scotland's HIV programme. Stay behind after worship and enjoy a choice of soups with rolls. Coffee also available. Hear something of the work the Church is doing to support those who are HIV positive. Donations towards the work of the C of S's HIV programme will be welcome.

Peace and Justice Talk, Wed 8th March in Room 1 & 2 at 7:30pm - The Dunfermline Soroptimist Project in Uganda. This project, started out to provide solar power in two schools, expanded to provide solar light, text books, water collection tanks and filter units, solar cookers and energy efficient cookers for 9 schools. Come and hear an update how this project has benefitted health and education standards not just for the schools but for all the local communities.

Fundraiser, Relay for Life Ceilidh at the Sailing Club -

Friday 10th March 7.30 pm - 11.00 pm. We will be looking for donations of Scottish food/items to make hampers for raffling. Donations can be handed into the office during the week. Tickets £8 which includes a light supper and are available in the Hall of Fellowship this Sunday and from the Church Office during the week.

Bible Study - Monday 13th March, 7.30 pm (Mark 4: 34)

Congregational Development Meeting - Tuesday 14th March at 7.30 pm

Holy Communion - Sunday 19th March

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FGM - Please join us on Friday 24th March at 7.30 and dance to your favourite singers/music. Waltz, Scottish dancing, jive whatever is your era. Fun for all with raffle, Quiz, Food and BYOB. Music from the 1960's - 70's - 80's through to 2017. Tickets available from the office and Guild members. Fun evening for all the family. Please help us to raise funds and please continue to pray for these projects.

Men's Breakfasts 2017 - The noise of fellowship continues on

March 18th at 9.30am When we welcome **Paul Mitchell** as our speaker. You may not recognise Paul's picture but those of you who follow Scottish sport will certainly recognise his voice. Paul is BBC Scotland's principal television football commentator and is part of the commentary team for BBC Scotland's 'Sportscene' and 'Sportsound'. In addition to his work as a broadcaster, Paul is an Elder at Wardie Parish Church in Edinburgh and is also a regular contributor to 'Thought for the Day on Radio Scotland's 'Good Morning Scotland' programme. Sign up Sheet in the Hal of Fellowship or for more information contact the Church Office or **email mensbreakfast@dalgety-church.co.uk**