

The Church of Scotland  
**Dalgety Parish Church**  
**Sunday 15th September 2019**



**Today**

Morning Worship - 10.30 am

**Monday 16th September**

Prayer Group - 7.30 pm (Vestry)

Bible Study - 7.30 pm (Quiet Room)

**Tuesday 17th September**

Café Connect - 10.00 am - 11.30 am

Easy Bible Study - 1.00 pm to 2.00 pm (Vestry)

Congregational Development Meeting - 7.00 pm (Room 3)

Thinking Aloud - 7.30 pm @ 6 Forth Reach

**Wednesday 18th September**

Badminton - 7.30 pm

**Thursday 19th September**

Singing for the Brain - 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm (Front End of Building)

Boys' Brigade - 6.00 pm to 9.00 pm

Support Services Meeting - 7.30 pm (Room 3)

Bible Study - 7.30 pm at 7 St Colme Drive

**Friday 20th September**

Youth Zone 4.00pm - 5.30 pm

**Sunday 22nd September**

Morning Worship - 10.30 am

Café Church - 7.00 pm



**Junior Church**

Adventurers aged 3 - 7, Junior Church p2 - p5, Discoverers p6 - S4.  
These meet during the church times, gathering in church and leaving after the 2nd hymn.



**Large Print Service  
Sheet available**



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Dalgety Parish Church of Scotland

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## Today's Service

**Hymn:** At the dawn of your creation

Prayer

Youth

**Hymn:** Harvest Samba

Our Harvest Appeal: The Sunflower Garden - Crispin Longden

**Hymn 721:** We lay our broken world

**Readings:**

John 4: 31 – 38

2 Corinthians 9: 6 - 15

Sermon

**Hymn:** God we see what you have given

Offering

Prayers

**Hymn 231:** For the fruits of all creation

Benediction

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**Coffee and Tea served before and after the Service**

**The Church Service is being live streamed. If you are camera shy please sit in the back left of the main hall. Any questions please speak to a Duty Elder. Today's services and services for the past 6 months can be found on YouTube - search for Dalgety Parish Church. The recording is also available via the Church Web Site and our Facebook Page.**

**Book of the month** is "A Good Old Age" by Derek Prime. Old age often gets a bad press. Associated with grumpiness and aches and pains it's not something we look forward to or relish! The author, himself in his 80s, shows us that there is another way to view old age. He guides us through 26 Christian priorities that we should hold onto in later life. He helps us to navigate the unique challenges and joys that old age can bring! This book can be borrowed from the Church library.

**Thinking Aloud** - Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September 7.30pm

Democracy

- Is democracy broken?
- Do dictators get more done?
- Should we always intervene abroad to help replace dictatorships with more democratic governments?
- Don't we ultimately want an absolute monarchy with Jesus in charge?

Come along to 6 Forth Reach and shout at me/persuade me with powerful, well-crafted arguments/throw in a half-considered comment or just enjoy drinks and nibbles and sit quietly on the side-lines. All are welcome. Lesley Shaw 82162

### **Chalmers Lectures 2019**

In this series of six lectures, Rev Dr Sam Wells discusses the theology and methods of HeartEdge as a vision for renewal in the Church.

Speaker: Rev Dr Sam Wells, Vicar of St Martin-in-the-Fields, London

Location: Greyfriars Kirk, Edinburgh

Dates: 17, 18, 19 September. 1, 2, 3 October Time: 6pm-8pm

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**Youth Leaders Presbytery Dedication** - Sunday 22nd September at Dalgety Parish Church, 3.00 pm - 4.00 pm.

## Prayer Sheet

Prayers this week come from Dunfermline's Prayer Diary.

**Sunday** - Dunfermline North Church - Rev Ian Thom

Pray for a sacrificial and humble heart.

"God loves each of us as if there were only one of us." - Augustine

**Monday** - Aberdour St Fillan's Church - Rev Peter Gerbrandy-Baird

Pray to know God's love.

"Greater love has no one than this : to lay down one's life for one's friends"  
John 15:13

**Tuesday** - Cairneyhill Parish Church - Rev Norman Grant

Praise God for His divine love.

"Let all that you do be done in love." 1 Corinthians 16:14

**Wednesday** - Carnock & Oakley Church - Rev Charles Lines

Ask God for ways you can love others.

"If you love me, you will obey what I command." John 14:15

**Thursday** - Dunfermline East Church - Rev Andrew Morrice

Pray to recommit your faith in God.

"He has shown you, O man, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God."  
Micah 6:8

**Friday** - St Leonard's Church - Rev Monika Redman

Thank God for Jesus and for His sacrifice on the cross.

"By the cross we know the gravity of sin and the greatness of God's love toward us." - John Chrysostom

**Saturday** - Dalgety Parish Church - Rev Christine Sime

Pray for faith despite changing feelings.

"Hate stirs up trouble, but love forgives all offences." Proverbs 10:12

## Notices

**Digging Deeper Bible Study:** *Monday 18th September at 7.30pm* in The Quiet Room. This month's study is Philipians.

The charity **Christians Against Poverty**, which helps to release thousands of families from grinding poverty through debt counselling, are holding an outreach event with music by singer songwriter David Kelly, refreshments and including the Christian message. It is at the Woodside Hotel Aberdour *at 7 for 7.30pm on Wednesday 23rd October*. This event is aimed primarily for CAP clients, but the local CAP centres would like to offer anyone who could benefit from attending the opportunity to come along. It is free but tickets available in advance only. For further details please see Douglas Rew (821929) failing whom, contact Doug Drysdale 07956 508157.

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**Please note** there is no House group on Thursday 19th September.

### **Café Church – Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019 at 7pm**

We are delighted our mission partner Kate McDonald will be with us during the next Café Church service when we will be reflecting on power and religion in the context of Israel and Palestine as well as how Jesus dealt with this then and how we do today. How do we respond to this and other questions? Do come along and join us for worship, conversation, nibbles and drinks. There is something for everyone and we hope you will question, learn and enjoy discussion during the evening.