



Free North Church Inverness

12 November 2017

Welcome! The preacher at our communion service this morning and at the evening service is **Calum Macmillan**, minister of Rosskeen Free Church. The service at Madras Street at 5.00pm will be taken by **Donnie MacLeod** and at the Isobel Fraser Home at 3.00pm by **Sandy Finlay**.

We are always glad to have visitors at our services. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall after the morning and evening services. Do wait if you can.

We are a congregation of the Free Church of Scotland. Together with all Christians, we worship One God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – and recognise that only through faith in Jesus Christ, crucified and risen, can we receive forgiveness of sin and peace with God. Jesus Christ is therefore central in all our worship, as He is to our whole lives.

But to all who believed him and accepted him, he gave the right to become children of God. *John 1:12*

We use the New International Version of the Bible (red book) and we sing the metrical psalms (blue book). The Scripture readings and the psalms are also projected on to the walls on either side of the pulpit. We stand to sing and sit to pray. If you wish to give an offering to the Lord's work, there are boxes at the front and side doors as you leave. The service lasts about an hour.

There is a time of prayer before the services at 10.30am and 6.00pm.

We leave by the side door and the hall door after the Sunday services to minimise the heat loss from the front doors during the winter months.

Today

Sunday School and Bible Class for children aged 4-14; children leave after the second singing. The young people should meet in the hall at 10.55am.

Crèche: children and helpers leave after the second singing to meet upstairs.

Congregational fellowship There will be a time of fellowship and praise with Calum after the evening service in the hall.

The congregational **Newsletter** for November is available at the doors.

Morning Service – 11.00am			Evening Service – 6.30pm		
Psalms	Verses	Page	Psalms	Verses	Page
103 (sp)	1-11	135	100(i) (t)		362
103 (sp)	12-22	135/136	67 (t)		300
102 (sp)	12-15	133	107 (t)	1-8	382/383
118 (t)	15ff	398	16 (sp)	8-11	17
72 (t)	17-19	314			

Reading: Romans 8-18-39 (page 1135) – “*The God who gave it all*”

Reading: 1 Corinthians 9 (1150) – “*All things to all men*”

This week

Light lunch on Tuesday at 12.30pm in the hall (entry by Church Street), followed by a short devotional address. All welcome with friends. If you would like a lift, please phone Anne on 239412.

Kirk Session will meet on Tuesday at 7.00pm.

Tumbletots meets as usual.

Home groups meet on Wednesday at 7.30pm so there will be no mid-week meeting. Colin's group will meet in the church. The notes for the study are now available.

Road to Recovery: a meeting for those with addiction problems will be held in the Free North Hall on Thursday at 7.30pm. If you have any queries, please phone 07918 775368 or 715809. Please note the change in venue from now on.

Kidzone on Thursday from 6.00pm to 7.00pm for primary age children in the hall (entrance from Church Street).

3:16 Teens meets every Friday in the manse from 6.30pm to 8.00pm. All teenagers welcome.

Other news

Blythswood have got 4 job vacancies available just now. They are also looking for volunteers to help in different ways too. For more information, go to <https://www.blythswood.org/current-vacancies>

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Sunday Welcoming Teams

12 November: **Willie**, Sandy, Finlay, Alan, (F); Effie, Robbie, Murina (S)

19 November: Effie, Murina, Robbie, Alan (F); Willie, **Sandy**, Finlay (S)

Crèche

12 November: Lorna, Marian

19 November: Sarah Maureen, Alison

Heating: 12 November: Robbie; 19 November: Malcolm

Notes

Contact details

If you are new to the congregation and you would like a visit from a member of our pastoral team, please contact our minister, Colin Macleod (Tel: 01463 231981).

You can visit our website at www.freenorthchurch.org and our denomination at: www.freechurch.org. Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/FreeNorthFreeChurchofScotland

Notice Sheet: Any items for next week's notice sheet should be sent to editor@freenorthchurch.org or given to A Muirden by noon on Friday.