

Free North Church Inverness Sunday 2nd February 2020



WELCOME!

The services today are taken by Rev Alec Stewart.

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 use the New International Version of the Bible and we sing the metrical psalms, Sing Scripture and Hymns (with musical accompaniment). These are 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.

Morning Service (11am)

Praise

In Christ Alone
Sing Psalms 75:1-8
Sing Psalms 76:7-12
Here is Love Vast as the Ocean
Sing Psalms 118:15-24
Psalm 72:17-19

Reading

Mark 14

Sermon Title

"The Agony of the Cup"

Evening Service (5.30pm)

Praise

Be Still
Sing Psalms 1:1-6
I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say
Sing Psalms 73:21-28

Reading

Matthew 7

Sermon Title

"The Narrow Gate"

Today

We are pleased to have **Rev Alec Stewart**, minister in Maryburgh, taking our services today. He is married to Florika and they have three children.

During the morning service, we will celebrate the Lord's Supper and we'd encourage all members to sit in the centre section of the church for the service.

Prayer time before the Sunday services at 10.30am and 5pm in the session room.

Front doors – the front doors of the church will remain closed after the services today. Please use the side door or the door through the hall when you leave.

Crèche meets during the morning service, children and helpers leave after the second singing. Crèche will meet in the hall.

Sunday School meets today in the hall, with the young people leaving after the scripture reading.

YF meets tonight at 6.45pm in the church.

The Global Missionary Prayer Notes for February and March and are available today.

This week

Tumbletots meet on Wednesday, 10am to 11.30am in the hall. Entry from Church Street.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7.30pm in the hall is prayer around tables. Stewart Vant will lead this.

Road to Recovery meets in the fellowship area on Thursday at 7.30pm.

The services next Sunday will be taken by **Rev Colin Macleod**, minister in Leith.



Other News

Women Across The Highlands is a one day conference held bi-annually in Inverness. It was established in 2010 by a group of Christian women from several different churches, seeking to provide an opportunity for women of all ages to come together to share in our faith. It offers a full day of biblical teaching on issues that matter to all of us, times of prayer and worship, and the chance to enjoy fellowship with women from all over the Highlands. This year's conference "Following in His Footsteps" is planned for Saturday 9th May at Smithton Church. Fliers are available at the lane door.

The Call from the congregation to the Rev Angus Macrae was registered with the Presbytery on Monday evening and noted 90% of the membership signed in support of the call and this will be dealt with on the 24th February. Stewart Vant & Sandy Finlay have been appointed by the Session to present a case on behalf of the congregation. Please pray for Stewart & Sandy as they prepare for this meeting.

Preaching Supply for February:-

2nd Alec Stewart (Maryburgh), 9th Colin Macleod (Leith), 16th Thomas Davis (St Columbas), 23rd George Barnie (elder Smithton)

The Vacancy Committee are:- Brian Cameron, Stewart Vant, John Macaulay, Archie Fraser, Rob Maciver, Kathleen Skinner, Effie Finlay & Anne Muirden.



Rotas This Week

DOOR: **Sandy Finlay**, Murina Anderson, Murdo Mackenzie, Frances Campbell, Ed Cameron-Mackintosh, Vicky Cameron-Mackintosh

CRÉCHE: Eilidh Macleod, Kirsten Macleod and Effie Finlay

WEDNESDAY: Alan Petitt and Murdo Mackenzie

Rotas Next Week

DOOR: Sandy Finlay, Murina Anderson, **Murdo Mackenzie**, Frances Campbell, Ed Cameron-Mackintosh, Vicky Cameron-Mackintosh

CRÉCHE: Kirsteen Gillespie, Alison Macleod and Annetta Crooks

WEDNESDAY: Stewart Vant and Mike Casey

Notes

HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME?

If you have recently started worshipping with us at the Free North or would just like to know a little bit more about Christianity, would like a pastoral visit or to attend one of our Home Groups, please speak to one of the Welcome Team after any of our services, or let us know your details below and leave it in the collection plate.

Name: _____

Phone or E-mail: _____

What is your request: _____

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