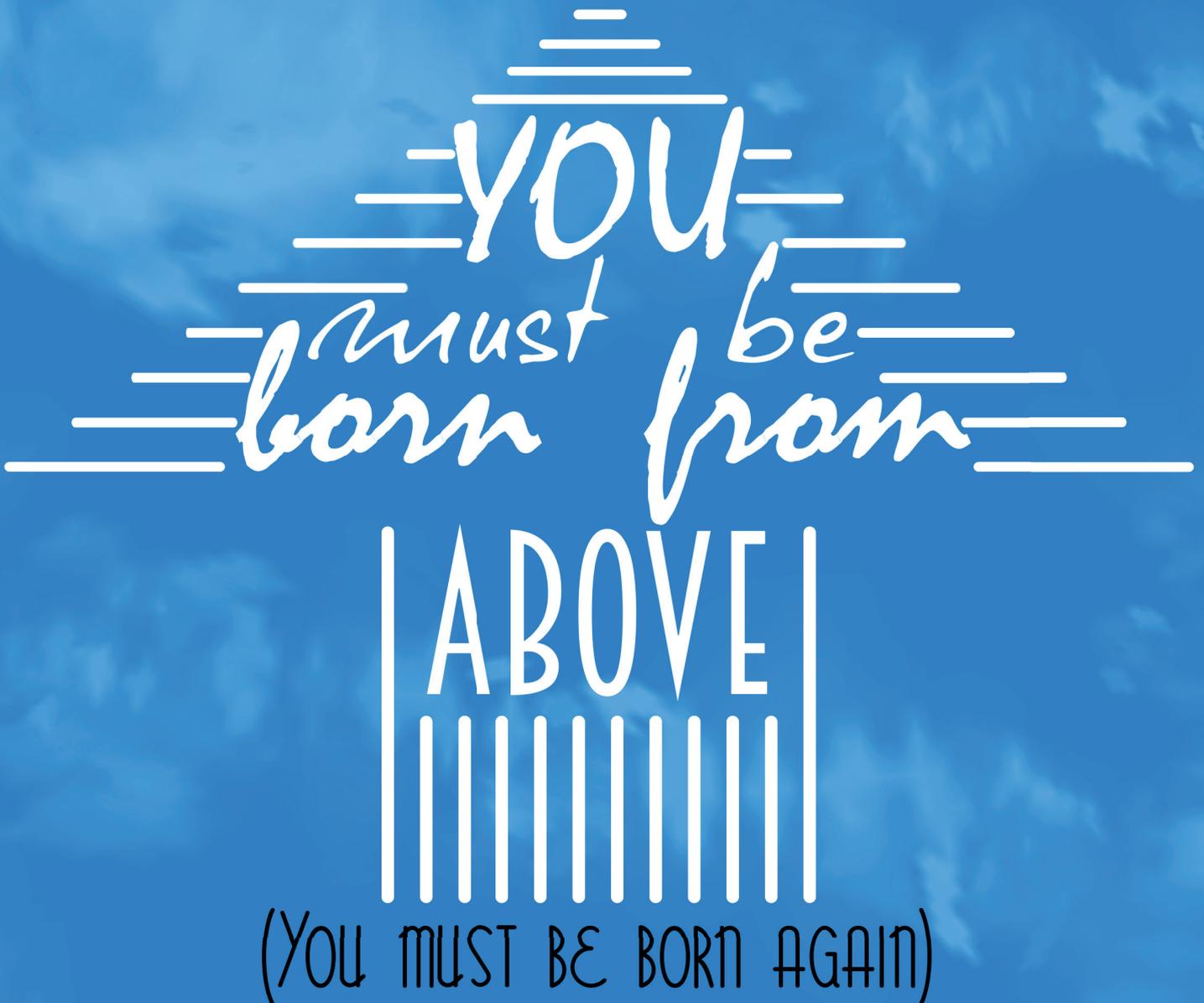


Free North Church Inverness

Sunday 5th August 2018



WELCOME!

The services today are taken by John Murdo Macdonald.

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 (red book) 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. Printed versions of the hymns are available at the sound area for those who can't see the screens properly. 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

Psalm 103:1-5
Sing Psalms 63:1-8
Before the Throne of God Above
Blessed Assurance

Reading

John 3:1-21 (p. 1065/1066)

Title

You must be born again

- The work of Jesus on the Cross is Necessary
- The work of Jesus on the Cross is Perfect
- The work of Jesus on the Cross is Finished

Evening Service (6.30pm)

Praise

Psalm 46:1-7
Take my Life and Let it Be
Holy Spirit Living Breath of God
Psalm 126

Reading

Acts 3:1-10 (p. 1094/1095)

Title

More Precious than Silver or Gold

- A Human Tragedy
- A Healing Touch
- A Heavenly Transformation

Today

We are pleased to have John Murdo Macdonald from our own congregation taking our services today.

There is a **time of open prayer** before the Sunday services at 10.30am in the hall and at 6pm upstairs in the old creche room. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Crèche meets during the morning service, children and helpers leave after the second singing to meet in the Session Room.

Holiday Sunday School for children aged 4-11 will meet today. **The Children should leave after the 3rd singing.**

This week

Guys Gearing for Growth will meet on Tuesday 7th August at 7.30pm at 31 Culduthel Mains Circle, Inverness, IV2 6RH. Speak to Rob or Martin for more information.

Prayer meeting will be at 7.30pm in the hall and will be taken by John Murdo Macdonald.

Road to Recovery – meets in the fellowship area on Thursday at 7.30pm (entry from Church Lane door).

Women's Monthly Bible Study – The next women's monthly Bible study will be on Saturday 11th August, meeting at 1015am/1030am to 1130am in the new fellowship area. The group are looking at the third study in the study guide 'Waiting for God' by Juanita Ryan. The group is open to any woman in the congregation. If you require any further information, please contact Alison Macleod on 790223.

The services next Sunday will be taken by Ian Hamilton, who is in the Smithton congregation.

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Other News

WfM Away Day on 15th September in Inverness. There are sheets with full details available for the women at both doors today.

Marmalade – I have been selling marmalade this year to raise funds for the Fortrose congregation's building fund. Their new church is now nearing completion and I'm sure it will be an encouragement to receive a gift from our congregation. So please buy some marmalade at £1.50 per 1lb jar or consider giving me a donation to add to the fund if you don't eat marmalade!! I have raised over £500 to date and would like to make it up to £600 – or more! Jane Macleod.

Grow Conference – Grow aims to offer volunteer children's and youth workers, aged 16 and over, from many contexts and backgrounds, the opportunity to:

- Learn new skills
- Share fresh ideas
- Be encouraged and inspired
- Think through big issues in children's and youth ministry
- Pick up the latest resources

We want children and young people to hear the Good News of Jesus Christ and grow a dynamic relationship with him – investing in training means that we can all do this more effectively. Flyers at both doors with more information.

Free Church Youth Camps – Please remember the last camp of this year.

B.A.S.E. Camp 11th to 18th August Age: 19-23

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Rotas This Week – August 5th

Rotas Next Week – August 12th

DOOR: Seumas Macleod, Frances Campbell, Archie Fraser, Stewart Vant (**F**); Brian Cameron, Martin MacLean, Janet Montgomery (**S**)

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CRECHE: Murina Anderson, Barbara MacPhail and Eileen/Iain MacInnes

CRECHE: Iona MacRitchie, Kirsteen Gillespie and Kirsten Macleod

WEDNESDAY: Stewart Vant and Brian Cameron

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Notes

Contact details

If you are new to the congregation and you would like a visit from a member of our pastoral team, please speak to one of the welcome team.

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 Martin MacLean by noon on Friday.

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