

Free North Church Inverness Sunday 6th January 2019

NEW *Beginnings*



WELCOME!

The services today are taken by Innes MacSween and George Barnie.

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

Amazing Grace
Psalm 25:4-10 (Scottish Psalter)
Psalm 51:1-9 (Sing Psalms)
In Christ Alone

Reading

Mark 2:13-17

Sermon Title

“Why does he eat with sinners?”

Evening Service (5.30pm)

Praise

Psalm 25(i):1-7 (Scottish Psalter)
Psalm 46(a):1-6, 10 (Sing Psalms)
Psalm 40:1-5b (Scottish Psalter)
Great is Thy Faithfulness

Reading

Ruth 1

Sermon Title

“New Beginnings”

Today

We are pleased to have Innes MacSween and George Barnie, both from Smithton, taking our services today.

There is a **time of open prayer** before the Sunday services at 10.30am and 5pm in the hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

During the winter months, **the front doors of the church will not be open after the services**. This is to conserve the heat in the building. Please use the side door to exit.

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

Holiday Sunday School today for children up to P4. Children leave after the scripture reading and go to the hall.

Welcome Team rotas are available for collection from the side table.

This week

Tumbletots is on Wednesday from 10am to 11.30am in the hall, entrance via Church Street.

The **prayer meeting** on Wednesday at 7.30pm in the hall will be prayer around tables. John MacAulay will take this.

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

The services next Sunday will be taken by Gordon Matheson, minister of Sleat and Strath Free Church in Skye.



Other News

Crèche helpers – the crèche is needing more helpers to join the rota. If you are interested or want to know more, please speak to Alison Macleod.

Quarterly Calendar – there is a copy of the quarterly calendar available today (inserted with the notices, but copies at the side door too). The dates and events are as accurate as possible, but there may be some changes nearer the time. Any changes will be given in the weekly notice sheet.

The **2019 Free Church Camps brochure** is available at the side door. There are some new camps this year and camp is for primary 5 upwards.

Notices – all notices should be given to Martin by **6pm on Thursday** (editor@freenorthchurch.org.uk, shug_1980@hotmail.com, 07810202598, 571937 or in person).

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



Rotas Next Week – January 6th

DOOR: Alan Petitt, Murina Anderson, **Ed Cameron-Mackintosh**, Vicky Cameron-Mackintosh (**F**); Sandy Finlay, Murdo Mackenzie, Fances Campbell (**S**)

CRECHE: Iona MacRitchie, Kirsteen Gillespie and Kirsten Macleod

WEDNESDAY: Sandy Finlay and Alan Petitt

HEATING: Martin MacLean

Rotas Next Week – January 13th

DOOR: **Ed Cameron-Mackintosh**, Sandy Finlay, Murdo Mackenzie, Fances Campbell (**F**); Alan Petitt, Murina Anderson, Vicky Cameron-Mackintosh (**S**)

CRECHE: Annetta Crooks, Eilidh Macleod and Lucy Fraser

WEDNESDAY: Stewart Vant and Brian Cameron

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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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