

Free North Church Inverness

Sunday 13th January 2019



WELCOME!

The services today are taken by Gordon Matheson.

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. 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 122 (Sing Psalms)
Sing Scripture 65 (1 John 1:5-2:2)
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
Psalm 133 (Scottish Psalter)

Reading

Philippians 1 (p. 1178/1179)

Sermon Title

“Partnership”

Evening Service (5.30pm)

Praise

Psalm 100 (Sing Psalms)
Sing Scripture 18:7-13 (John 3:3-21)
Psalm 80(a):1-3 & 14-19 (Sing Psalms)
In Christ Alone

Reading

Daniel 7 (p. 893/894)

Sermon Title

“The Fourth Beast Picks a Fight”

Today

We are pleased to have Gordon Matheson, taking our services today. Gordon is the minister of Sleat and Strath in Skye. He is married to Dolina and they have got two children. Prior to moving to Skye, Gordon was assistant minister in Greyfriars Church, Inverness.

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.

Youth Fellowship (p. 5 and up) meets tonight after the evening service, from 7pm to 8pm in the Fellowship Area.

Sunday School resumes today. Children leave after the scripture reading and go to the hall.

The latest Merkinch Newsletter is available today.

The January Record is available for collection today from front and sides doors.

This week

Tuesday Lunch – There will be a lunch on Tuesday 15th January at 12.30pm in the hall. Please come along to enjoy a light lunch and a time of fellowship. All are most welcome along with any friends whom you may want to bring. If you need transport please phone Anne (239412).

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

Home Groups meet on Wednesday evening throughout the city. Please speak to Sandy Finlay if you'd like to know more. ****The home groups are the 16th January, not the 23rd January, as was indicated last weekend.****

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

The services next Sunday will be taken by Lachie MacDonald, minister of Ullapool Free Church.



Other News

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 funeral of Ishbel Fraser, Inshes Crescent, will be at John Fraser & Son on Monday 21st Janaury at 12.30pm.

The Kirk Session will meet on Tuesday 22nd January at 7.30pm. There will be a time of prayer at 7pm.

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 13th

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

CRECHE: Annetta Crooks, Eilidh Macleod and Lucy Fraser

WEDNESDAY: Home Groups

HEATING: Martin MacLean

Rotas Next Week – January 20th

DOOR: Janet Montgomery, Maureen Semple, Angus Campbell (**F**); Stewart Vant, Anne Muirden, **Brian Campbell (S)**

CRECHE: Dorothy MacKenzie, Effie Finlay and Marian MacKintosh

WEDNESDAY: Stewart Vant and Brian Cameron

HEATING: Martin MacLean

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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