

## Announcements

(1) Evening Worship will take place tonight at 7.00pm.

### (2) Christian Aid Week 2019

This week is Christian Aid Week. A dedicated group of collectors will be delivering and collecting filled, we hope, envelopes throughout the village from Monday 13th May. Then next Saturday 18th May a Coffee Morning for Christian Aid will be held in the Parish Church Hall from 10.30-12.00. Please come along and pass on the news to your friends and neighbours.

Thank you for supporting this excellent charity.

(3) The church is open on a Wednesday morning for anyone who would like to spend time in **prayer and quiet reflection**.

(4) **Children's Church Leaders:** There will be a short meeting after Morning Service next Sunday 19th May.

(5) **Auction of Promises:** Thank you to those members who have made promises so far. If anyone is still able to provide a promise to be auctioned, we would be grateful if this could be submitted **before next Sunday 19th May**. Promises can be placed in the box in the vestibule or emailed to:

[mission@groomsportpresbyterian.com](mailto:mission@groomsportpresbyterian.com).

Any money raised will go to the shallow wells project in Northern Malawi. The auction will be on Friday evening 7th June. Thank you.

(6) There will be a **Coffee Morning** in the Walter Nelson Hall on Saturday 25th May, 10.30 -12.00. Proceeds are in aid of The Lighthouse School, in Gaza. Please come along and show your support.

Next Sunday: Children's Church is with Sharon Goldie and Hollie McWhinney



Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019

### Thought for the Week

Celebrating the sacraments draws us into a different and better story. It is thousands of years old, not shiny brand-new. It is repetitive, not innovative. It is unashamedly physical ... and so it takes us back to the incarnation in which God became flesh for us. It roots us in a particular place, with particular people...  
Take the sacraments seriously.

Andrew Wilson in *Spirit and Sacrament*

A WARM WELCOME is extended to members and visitors today. We hope you feel at home in our Worship.

### THE VISITORS' BOOK

is in the front porch for signing.  
THE YELLOW WELCOME CARDS in the pews are for your convenience and may be placed on the Offering Plate.

## COMMUNION SERVICE at 11.30am

Organ Prelude & Preparation for Worship in quietness before God

Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Sentences

**PRAISE Psalm 92** vs 1-4 To render thanks unto the Lord  
(Howard)

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading Psalm 51:1-12 (page 573)

**PRAISE 521** O for a heart to praise my God (St. Ethelreda)  
(Children leave for Children's Church)

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading Mark 14:12-31 (page 1020)  
read by Michael Steele

Prayer of Intercession

**PRAISE 62** Father of heaven, whose love profound (Rivaulx)

SERMON Beyond Denial

**PRAISE 540** I hear Your welcome voice (Welcome Voice)

Affirmation of Faith - The Apostles' Creed (377)

Collection of the Communion tokens

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**PRAISE 571** 'Take up your cross,' the Saviour said  
(Hesperus)

Benediction

## EVENING WORSHIP at 7.00pm

Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Sentences

**Hymn 236** Sing to God new songs of worship (Ode to Joy)

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading *Psalm 23*

Offering and Dedication

**Hymn 147** Lord of the Church, we pray for our renewing  
(Londonderry Air)

Scripture Reading *Revelation 7:9-17*

Prayer of Intercession

SERMON *The Forgotten Church*

**Hymn 475** O breath of life, come sweeping through us  
(St. Clement)

Benediction

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