

FREEWILL OFFERINGS AND OPEN PLATE DONATIONS

EXPECTED AVERAGE WEEKLY AMOUNT	DATE	AMOUNT WE RECEIVED
£769.00	SUNDAY 17th FEBRUARY	£674.50

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Should you require the services of a Minister, please contact any of the following:

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ADMIN. OFFICE

The Admin. Office is open every Thursday from 9am till 11am.

For out of office assistance please contact:

Anne Scott on 01592 780436 or by email ann.escott@hotmail.co.uk

ON DUTY NEXT SUNDAY 3RD MARCH

BENARTY 9.45AM

Welcome: A. Seath, G. Seath.
Reader: E. Smith.
Teas: M. Binnie, J. Adams, E. Danks, A. Moore.

LOCHGELLY 11.15AM

Welcome: J. Patrick, M. Swan
Reader: I. Patrick..
Teas: R. Campbell, H. Campbell, K. Blamey.

WELCOME TO ST SERF'S PARISH CHURCH

(SCOTTISH CHARITY REFERENCE: SC032353)

**OUR SERVICE TODAY
IS CONDUCTED BY
MEMBERS OF THE KIRK SESSION**



**Welcome to Our
Sunday Morning
Worship Service**

ON DUTY TODAY SUNDAY 24TH FEBRUARY JOINT SERVICE LOCHGELLY 10.30AM

Welcome: N. Olszok, E. Brown,
Reader: A member of the Kirk Session.
Teas: L. Pepperday, S. Kidd, N. Olszok.

Thank you for joining us today. We hope you will feel you are among friends. Our morning fellowship will continue with a cup of tea or coffee after the service. All welcome.

DUNFERMLINE PRESBYTERY - have requested that today we pray for all at Dunfermline Abbey Church.

WELCOME AND INTIMATIONS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: 173 SING TO GOD NEW SONGS OF WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

TALK FOR ALL

CHORUS MEDLEY

HYMN: MP 691 THIS IS THE DAY

1. This is the day,
this is the day that the Lord has made,
that the Lord has made.
We will rejoice,
we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made,
we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day,
this is the day that the lord hath made,

2. This is the day,
this is the day when He rose again,
when He rose again.
we will rejoice,
we will rejoice and be glad in it,
and be glad in it.
this is the day when He rose again,
we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day,
this is the day when he rose again.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

BENARTY CRAFT GROUP - resumes on Thursday 28th February at 2pm.till 4pm.
All welcome.

PAMPER NIGHT - a Pamper Night for Messy Church Parents is being held on Thursday 28thFebruary at 6pm. To enable them all to attend we are looking for people who would be willing to look after the children while the event is on. This would be low key; watching a dvd, reading, colouring etc. You would also be welcome just to come along for a chat (and a pamper!) or to help with refreshments. Please text, email or speak to Aileen on 07966660258. "wheredoyoufitin?"

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER - is being held in St. Serf's Benarty on Friday 1st March at 11am. All welcome.

SERVICE AT BENORE - will be held on Sunday 3rd March at 2pm

A LENT BIBLE STUDY - This course will run on Mondays at 2pm in Lochgelly starting on Monday 4th March and at 7pm on Tuesdays in Benarty starting on 5th March where the film "The query of everything" will be shown. This will be open to everyone, including those that will not be attending the Lent Study



SERVICE AT MOSSVIEW - will be held on Tuesday 5th March at 2.30pm.

messychurch@benarty - is on Thursday 14th March at 6pm.

SUMMER HOLIDAY - Joyce Hamilton is planning a trip to see this show on Wednesday 29th May at Pitlochry Theatre. Speak to Joyce if you would like to go. Tel. 01383 830621.

The very
purpose
of our lives
is happiness
and
joyfulness.
That is
very clear.
~Dalai Lama

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3. This is the day,
this is the day when the Spirit came,
when the Spirit came.
We will rejoice, We will rejoice and be glad in it,
and be glad in it.
This is the day when the Spirit came,
we will be glad and rejoice in it.
This is the day,
this is the day when the Spirit came,

HYMN: MP 577 REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS

Rejoice in the Lord always,
and again I say rejoice!
Rejoice in the Lord always,
and again I say rejoice!
Rejoice, rejoice, and again I say rejoice!
Rejoice, rejoice, and again I say rejoice!

INTRODUCING JOY

ITEM:: JOY OF MY DESIRE

READING: NEHEMIAH 8: 10 – 12

REFLECTION: THE STRENGTH OF JOY

HYMN: 103 FILL YOUR HEARTS WITH JOY AND GLADNESS,

READING: GALATIANS 4: 22 - 25

POEM: THE FRUIT OF JOY

READING: PSALM 100: 1 – 5

POEM: THE JOY OF SERVING

HYMN: 694 BROTHER, SISTER, LET ME SERVE YOU,

OFFERING AND DEDICATION

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

HYMN: 804 YOU SHALL GO OUT WITH JOY AND BE LED FORTH WITH PEACE,

BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN

“Discovering more joy does not, save us from the inevitability of hardship and heartbreak. In fact, we may cry more easily, but we will laugh more easily too. Perhaps we are just more alive. Yet as we discover more joy, we can face more suffering in a way that ennobles rather than embitters. We have hardships without becoming hard. We have heartbreaks without being broken.”

Desmond Tutu with the 14th Dalai Lama. (2016)
The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a Changing World



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JOY.
LOVE
PEACE.
BELIEVE

**A JOINT COMMUNION SERVICE
WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY 10TH MARCH
IN ST. SERF'S LOCHGELLY
AT 10.30am**

**There will be a retiring offering for the
Church Samaritan Fund**

THIS SERVICE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY THE