Newport-on-Tay Church of Scotland



Order of Service 18th February 2024



Introit
Welcome & Call to Worship - Psalm 91 v 1 - 4

Praise: When we walk with the Lord

Prayer & The Lord's Prayer [Trespasses]

Praise: Draw me close to You, never let me go

Children's Address

Hymn 359: He came down that we may have love

— Young People leave —

Anthem

Readings: Deuteronomy 8 v 1 - 3 Luke 4 v 1 - 13 Read by Nancy Pong

Praise: My faith looks up to Thee

Sermon

Praise: Yield not to temptation, for yielding is sin

Prayer of Dedication and Intercession

The Apostles' Creed

Praise: Standing on the promises of Christ my King

Benediction Threefold Amen

Intimations

1) Worship Leader

Due to a change in our Calendar of Worship, our service this morning is led by our minister, Rev Dr Amos Chewachong.

2) Church Journal

Material for the March edition of our Church Journal should be emailed to newportcos@btinternet.com or in the hands of Claire Owen by this Sunday, 18th February.

3) Wednesday Afternoon Club

The Wednesday Afternoon Club runs on Wednesdays from 1.30pm to 3pm in the Agnes Duncan Room. As always there will be refreshments, tasty bits, good company and lots of chat! This is a lovely afternoon of socialising and meeting people. There will be no charge, however if anyone wishes to make a donation then there will be a collection plate. All are welcome. If you would like to help, please get in touch with Margaret Wright: Tel (01382) 543007.

4) Messy Church Saturday 24th February 10:30 - 12:30pm

We would like to welcome all our families to come along and get Messy! At Church! We are looking at Love this month and doing lots of fun, messy crafts, songs and a free lunch will be provided! For more information speak to Chris or find us on Facebook! There will be a meeting for all helpers after the service this Sunday, 18th February.

5) Evening Service

We are restarting our Communion Round the Table evening service. The first one will take place next **Sunday**, **25th February**, at 6:30pm in the Church. All are welcome to join us.

6) World Day of Prayer

This year's World Day of Prayer Service, prepared by the WDP committee of Palestine, will be held on Friday 1st March at 2pm in St Fillan's Roman Catholic Church, King Street, Newport. All are welcome.

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7) A Date for Your Diary – Tim Scoular Visit on Monday 11th March at 7:30pm Many of you will remember Tim Scoular, one of our earlier Youth Workers who returned to his native Australia to continue with his studies and career within the Anglican Church. Now a fully ordained Anglican Minister he, along with his wife Lauren and daughter Zoe, are coming to Scotland in early 2025 to pursue a church-planting role with St. Silas Episcopal Church in Glasgow. In preparation for this move Tim will be visiting both London and Glasgow in March this year and has made plans to squeeze in a visit to Newport on the night of Monday 11th March at 7:30pm to share God's calling and future plans for both himself, and his family. This meeting is provisionally planned to take place in manna, but location may change in response to numbers wishing to attend.

8) Daily Reflections

Our minister is recording a daily reflection which is being uploaded to the church website. You can listen to the reflections here http://www.notchurch.co.uk/index.php/reflections/

9) Prayer Room

Our Church Prayer Room (opposite the entrance to the kitchen) is a lovely quiet space available for reflection and prayer. It is available whenever the Church is open and you are encouraged to make use of it. Why not drop in before the Church Service for a quiet moment? The door may be closed to keep out the noise of kitchen traffic but just come in. Some may wish to pray out loud but there is no pressure to do so.

10) Ukraine Vigil

The Vigil continues on Thursdays at 7pm for about 15 minutes on the Church Green, Blyth Street, Newport-on-Tay. If you don't feel able to come in person, we are trialling Zooming the Vigils during February. If you would like to join please ask Neil Merrylees or Claire Owen for the link.

11) Community Chest

This continues to be well supported and many thanks to all who have contributed. The appeal will continue for the time being so please support this when you can. Information is available in the Journal.

12) Post Office

The Pop-Up Post Office is running on both Wednesdays AND Fridays from 9:30 - 11:30am in the Kirk House Complex.

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Daily Readings Week Beginning Monday 19th February 2024

Monday 19th February: Genesis 3:1-7

Tuesday 20th February: Genesis 3:8-19

Wednesday 21st February: Matthew 16:21-27

Thursday 22nd February: Luke 22:31-34

Friday 23rd February: Hebrews 2:10-18

Saturday 24th February: James 4:1-10

Quote of the week

Our blueprint for integrity, humility, and trust is to be grounded in scripture, leading not by the pursuit of power, but with humility and faith.

And living not by bread alone but by the words of God.

Amos B Chewachong

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