

Church Library

Remember to check out the Church Library. The library is located in the Old Hall, and has a varied selection of books on different Christian topics. These are available to borrow free! Happy reading!

World Mission Stamp Appeal

The World Mission Stamp appeal is still on going, so please continue to save all used stamps, leaving a 7mm surround if possible. These will be used to raise money for their current projects.

Pew Cards

Whether this is your first visit, or you have been coming along for a while, we would like to welcome you to our church. If you have any questions or would like to find out more about what goes on or how to become a member of our church, please complete one of our pew cards which can be handed to one of our Welcome Team at the door.

Sunday Club

If you have children in your family who would like to learn about the Christian faith week by week in a lively and interactive way, please encourage them to come along. We have groups for young people from 3 to 16 years.

Babies & Small Children

There is provision for babies and small children to play quietly during the service in the play areas provided. You are also welcome to go with your child through to the Sunday club, where the team will make you very welcome.

Community Notices

Look out for the posters on our Community Notice Board in the Old Hall for all the activities taking place in our halls during the week and elsewhere in our parish in the coming weeks.

Details for Intimations

If you wish information to be printed on the intimation sheet, displayed on screen or on the website, please contact Audrey Spence on 0141 959 2553 or by e-mail to spence.a25@gmail.com All intimations, if possible, to be with Audrey by a Thursday morning.



869 Crow Road,
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**Sunday
9th December 2018**

**MINISTER
REV FIONA GARDNER
MA MLitt BD**

If you would like a visit from the Minister or information about how to join the Church, please talk with anyone on today's Welcome team.

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**The Church Office is open on a
Tuesday and Friday
10am-12 noon.**

Church Tel. No. 0141 530 9745

ORDER OF SERVICE

We extend a warm welcome to everyone joining us for our service this morning. A very special welcome to visitors worshipping with us today.

Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship

Ch4 279 Make way, make way
Prayer

Lighting of Advent candles
Family time - Drawing near to
God

Ch4 493 It's me, its me O Lord
Readings Malachi 3: 1-14
and Luke 3: 1-18

Ch4 482 Come, let us to the Lord
our God

Sermon "Transformed by truth"
Ch4 658 Before I take the body
The Sacrament of Communion

The Offering
Ch4 303 It came upon the
midnight clear
Benediction

Pray at all Times

Pray that in the midst of all the busyness at this time, people will remember the true meaning of Christmas.

Pray that people may realise as they take communion today, the sacrifice that Jesus made on our behalf.

Pray for the many homeless people who live in our streets and those who try to help them.

Today's Service

Today we celebrate the sacrament of communion at our morning service. Our special collection will go to the DEC Yemen appeal. We also celebrate communion at our 6.30pm service.

Castlebank Gardens Service

Today we will have our service at Castlebank Gardens at 2.30pm.

Lighting of the Christmas Tree

Tonight we will have the lighting of the Christmas tree at Anniesland Cross. Please gather at the church for 4.55pm. Refreshments will be available in the Old Hall afterwards.

Bible Study

Our next Bible Study meeting will be Wednesday 12th December at 7.30pm. The prayer group will meet at 6.45pm - 7.15pm before the bible study. A warm welcome to everyone.

Thursday Mid-week Service

Come and join us at 11.00am on Thursday for our service, with tea & coffee from 11.30am - 12pm. All are welcome.

Twixmas Lunch

Our Twixmas Lunch will be on Friday 28th December at 2pm. Tickets are available from Evelyn Greechan.

Help Wanted

We are looking for volunteers to help with our Sunday morning bible readings. If this is something you would be interested in please see Hylda McNair, Fiona or pass your details to Audrey at the AV desk.

Christmas Services

Sunday 16th December 2018

4pm - Christmas Choral Service

Saturday 22nd December 2018

4-6pm - Messy Church & Sunday Club Christmas Party

Monday 24th December 2018

7pm - Family Christingle Service

11.30pm - Watchnight Service (carol singing from 11.15pm)

Tuesday 25th December 2018

11am - Christmas Day Family Worship - bring your toys!

Help Needed

Looking for help with tea/coffee after the Christmas Choral Service on Sunday 16th at 4pm. If you are available please let me know. Thanks Marion Stewart

New Hall Kitchen - Tea Towels

I was in the New Hall kitchen on Sunday and discovered that there are no Tea Towels left in the designated drawer. There is a notice requesting users to take the towels home after use, wash them and return them. Unfortunately, although the washing may have been done, the 'returning' has not. I'm wondering if anyone has a spare tea towel that could be donated to replenish the supply for those who use the New Hall. Also, if anyone has tea towels from the hall that have been washed then NOW is a good time to return them. Many thanks, Claire Griffiths.

Joining the Church

For those thinking of joining the church, there will be opportunities to explore this in the new year. Please contact Fiona to hear more.

Contact Details

Contact details for our probation minister John McCutcheon are 01389 739034 and e-mail address JMcCutcheon@churchofscotland.org.uk

Annie's Place Café

Please keep in mind we have our drop in café on Friday afternoons, 1-3pm. Bring your friends along for coffee and cake!