<u>Cadder Parish Church</u> Intimations and News - 17.11.24

Welcome to everyone here for our Morning Service. The service is led by our minister, Rev John MacGregor and Music led by Jose Javier Ucendo Malo (MMus).

Cadder Kids will meet in the church and then go to the North Hall this morning.

Indoor Bowls – If anyone is interested in playing indoor bowls in the South Hall during the week, please have a chat with Ian Ritchie.

Teas & Coffees will be served after the service today in the North Hall. Going forward, we need volunteers to help with serving the teas and also volunteers for reading the lessons on a Sunday morning.

Gift Service

Our Gift Service is on Sunday 8th December and we are once again supporting East Dunbartonshire Women's Aid and Daisy Chain Early Years project which is part of Cross reach.

If you would like to support either charity please see Mary Livingstone and Rebecca Wallace who have lists of suggested donations. If you prefer to give a monetary donation please put it in an envelope marked "Women's Aid " or "Daisy Chain".

Film Night

Our Christmas film night is on Friday 6th of December at 7 p.m. for 7.30 p.m. in the North Hall. The Christmas film is "A boy called Christmas " and tickets priced £5 are available from members of the Fellowship team. Come along and enjoy some festive fare and fellowship!

Light Up Bishopbriggs is the banner for the Christmas lights switchon event this year. The South Hall will again be the centre for our participation, incorporating our Shop's open day.

As well as the sale of Christmas cards there will be a wide variety of stalls for adults and children. The Coffee Shop will be open, and burgers and hot dogs will be on sale in the car park.

Remember remember the 21st November from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m."

The Coffee Shop and Shop - Christmas Lunches

If you haven't booked your Christmas Lunch yet, please make your reservation at the Coffee Shop as soon as you can.

This year we are offering a Christmas menu during the two weeks before Christmas for £19 per person.

You may also make your reservation by telephoning Jaqueline on

07496 440 403

The Coffee Shop will be open, with a restricted menu, for our regular customers during these two weeks.

Springfield Cambridge Festival Choir - The box office for this year's concert, which takes place on Monday 23rd December at the Royal Concert Hall, is on Wednesdays and Fridays at the South Hall 10.00 till 12.00.

The "Pastoral Post" box is available in the vestibule. If you wish to highlight someone in need of a visit, phone call, flowers or a prayer please put their details on a card and post it into the box.

Intimations - If you would like your organisation or event intimated on the screen, if you could have it with the minister by Tuesday evening, also intimations for sending out to members.

Guild The Tickets for our Coffee Morning on 30th November are now on sale from the Coffee Shop or a member of the Committee priced £4.00 each.

FOODBANK - If you wish to donate to the local foodbank, you can bring your donations of food to the church

Early Fellowship Zoom Meeting –Tue and Thur at 9.30 – 10 a.m. - ZOOMED from the chapel in the South Hall, but those who prefer an inperson meeting will be able to join with the minister there.

212th Boys' Brigade

212th Glasgow Boys' Brigade - Cadder Parish Church

Email: info@212glasgow.co.uk



P1-3 Monday 6-7 p.m. P4-6 Monday 7.15-8.30 p.m. P7-S6 Friday 7-9 p.m.

Christmas Box Appeal – Boxes can be brought back to the church or dropped off at the South halls.

92nd Girls' Brigade Company

Meeting times are as noted below

Explorers P1 to P3 6.15 p.m. till 7.30 p.m.

Juniors P4 to P7 6.30 p.m. till 8.00 p.m.

Brigaders S1 to S6 7.00 p.m. till 8.30 p.m.

Advent Reflections starting on Wednesday the **20**th **November** at the South Hall Chapel 11.30 a.m. – 12 noon – Everyone welcome as we prepare our hearts and minds for the celebration of Jesus' birth. The reflections will be based on the four songs in the Christmas story – Zechariah's song – Magnificat – Song of the Angels – Simeon`s song – Advent is a time for waiting, filled with hope, peace, joy and love – come and join our advent journey – there is no expectation on anyone to take part, you are welcome to come and take time to reflect and prepare for Christmas.

Bi-centenary calendar for 2025 which has photographs of inside and outside the church. He is doing this to mark the bicentenary year of our present sanctuary. If you wish to purchase a calendar from Ian, they are now available, see Ian Watt, priced £3.00

Cadder Messy Play – Tue and Thur – South Hall - 10.30 – 11.30 a.m.

Glasgow Close Knit

Next year, 2025, sees the 850th anniversary of the granting of its Bishop's Burgh Charter to what is now the city of Glasgow.

Accordingly, we now invite your congregation to take part in a presbytery wide project - **Glasgow Close Knit**

This draws inspiration from a verse in the letter to the Colossians which speaks of us being 'knit together in love'

In church groups and community groups, either existing ones or ones newly formed for this project, you are invited to knit blankets or squares for blankets. Please take photos of groups at work where you can - in churches, homes, care homes, schools at a presbytery meeting, in a Glasgow Close or wherever.

Completed blankets will eventually be displayed as pieces of art in one centre in each of the five presbytery zones. Thereafter they will be distributed by the Lodging House Mission to those who are houseless or experiencing difficulty keeping warm or in other kinds of need.

In this anniversary year the presbytery and its congregations and parishes may continue to demonstrate the love of God in Jesus Christ which knits us all together in the most practical of ways continuing a tradition of care for the poor and faithful service of our Lord.

Come along to St George's Tron on Saturday 23rd November between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. to knit or crochet together. Don't worry if you do not know how, there will be folk on hand to teach you



Early Dates for your Diary - fuller intimations nearer the time

Chat and Play – South Hall – 10am – 12 noon – 7.12.24

Latest date for content for DEC - FEB Gazette - 11.11.24

Bishopbriggs Light Switch On and Shop Open Day – South Hall - 21.11.24

Guild Coffee Morning is on Saturday 30th November 10 a.m. – 12 noon in the South Halls.

Blessing of the Crib – George Square – 4.12.24 – from 6.30 p.m.

CrossReach Christmas Carol Service – Glasgow Cathedral – 5.12.24 Tickets on sale now! Kick off Christmas at Glasgow Cathedral for a wonderfully festive night celebrating the amazing work of CrossReach. Keep an eye out for our performer introductions over the coming weeks to see the incredible talent that will be displayed on the night.

Tickets available at: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/crossreach-christmas-carol-concert-2024-tickets-1043965798807



St George's Tron Praise and Prayer Evening 7 p.m. "O come, O come Emmanuel" 6.12.24

Gift Service – 8.10.24 – 10.30 a.m. – Supporting East Dunbartonshire Woman's Aid and Daisy Chain in Govanhill

Service of Remembrance for our loved ones – 8.12.24 - Cadder Church 2p.m.

Cadder Kids Nativity Service - 15.12.24

Carols for Peace – City Chambers – 15.12.24 – 3 p.m.

Cadder Singers Concert – Cadder Church - 22.12.24

Springfield Cambridge Festival Chorus – 23.12.24 – 7.30 p.m.

Christingle Service – South Hall 24.12.24 – 6 p.m

Christmas Eve Service - Cadder Church - 24.12.24 - 11.30 p.m.

Christmas Day Service – 25.12.24 – 10.30 a.m.

