

Knockbain Free Church of Scotland

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INTIMATIONS for 7th October 2018 (All D.V.)

TODAY:

The services today at 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m. will be conducted by Rev Ian Hamilton, formerly of Cambridge Presbyterian Church. The creche will meet as usual. We warmly welcome any visitors to our Church today.

NEXT LORD'S DAY:

The services next Lord's Day will be held at 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m. and will be conducted by Rev Douglas MacKeddie. The creche will meet as usual.

PRAYER MEETING/BIBLE STUDY:

The Prayer Meeting & Bible Study will be held in the Church Hall at 7.30pm on Wednesday 3rd October and will be conducted by Rev Gavino Fioretti, Italy. Everyone is most welcome.

CRECHE ROTA:

7 th October	Deirdre Renwick & Ruth Urquhart
14 th October	Sarah Renwick & Wilma Ross
21 st October	Mhairi Geddes & Greta Renwick

CLEANING ROTA:

(Please initial boxes on usual Rota Form)

Fortnight ending 13 th October	Norman Macleod, Bernie MacLeod, Peter Sinclair & Mary Sinclair
Fortnight ending 27 th October	Alison MacKenzie, Donella MacKenzie, Fiona Macleman & Greta Renwick

GRASS CUTTING ROTA:

A big "THANK YOU" to all who participated in the grass-cutting this year. Your work is greatly appreciated and enhances the Church surroundings.

LITTLE DOLPHINS:

The next meeting of the *Little Dolphins* will be held on Thursday 11th October from 10.30am to 12 noon.

RETIRING COLLECTION - ADAM:

The congregation is given this final opportunity of contributing to Adam's Missionary work, via the retiring collection this week. Donations should be placed in an envelope, marked "Adam".

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP:

The youth Fellowship will meet this evening immediately after the evening service. The speaker will be Mr Ali MacLeod who will speak about his recent time in Africa. All youngsters will be most welcome.

SUNDAY SCHOOL/BIBLE CLASS:

The Sunday School Superintendent reports that the Sunday School and Bible Classes are now closed until after the October holidays, resuming on Sunday 4th November 2018.

BLYTHSWOOD SHOE BOX APPEAL 2018:

Once again the Youth Fellowship plan to contribute to the *Blythswood Shoe Box* appeal and would be grateful of any donations. **Items Required are:** Shoe boxes, Hats/gloves/scarves, Toothpaste/toothbrush, Soap, Small toys, Sweets (no chocolate), Toiletries, Stationery, Underwear/socks/tights, Kitchen utensils, Household candles, Small tools, Sewing equipment. **As the date for the boxes being packed is Saturday 27th October, donations will need to be in the Church by Saturday 20th October 2018.**

MODERATOR DESIGNATE - FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND:

The Commission of Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland met on Wednesday 3rd October. They were pleased to announce Rev. Donnie G. MacDonald, Minister of Portree and Bracadale Free Church in Skye, had accepted the nomination of Moderator Designate of next year's General Assembly.

FREE CHURCH SURVEY:

During the month of October, the Free Church is conducting a denomination-wide survey about our communications. The survey is for absolutely everyone who attends, or has connections to, a Free Church congregation. The survey can be completed online via the Free Church website or Facebook page, or hard copies are available at the door for people to complete and return. Please take this opportunity to help improve communications by providing your feedback through the survey. As a church, we want to hear your voice.

"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." Romans Ch 8 v. 28