

SERVICES IN THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday 10/11	7.45am	Short Daily Prayer
Wednesday 11/11	10:00am	Holy Communion
Thursday 12/11	7.45am	Long Daily Prayer
Next Sunday 15/11	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.15am	Sung Eucharist

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Upper Shire - (Central Africa) The Rt Revd Brighton Vitta Malasa.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St Andrew's Cathedral, Aberdeen
Provost: The Very Revd Dr Isaac Poobalan and The Revd Moira Paterson.

St Mary's Cycle of Prayer: St Mary's, Mqanduli; St Mary's, Diss,
The Revd Anthony C. Billett.

St Mary's, Carden Place: The Revd Dr James Merrick, Allison, Rowan and Evie; The Revd Jason Hobbs; James & Muriel Bain; Muriel Beaton; David & Margaret Brown;

The Housebound and Sick and all who are not with us.

The Faithful Departed; Annie Jaffray; Jane Gammack; Gavin Milne; Arthur Hines; Charles Goldsmith; Elizabeth Laird; Lillian Nicol; Tom Webster; Barbara Anderson; Barbara Sim; John Greig; Mary Harper; Margaret Stove; Margaret Yule; Dorothy Barr; Robert Smart; Flora Booth; Ada Thomson; Elspeth Findlay; Walter Clark; Alexander Henderson; Elsie McNab; John Smith; Annette Shand; William Scott.

WHO'S WHO?

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SAINT MARY'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Remembrance Sunday, 8th November 2015

WELCOME TO SAINT MARY'S

Relax and rest in God from the past week ☐

Rejoice with friends and family ☐

Be renewed by shared prayer, adoration and thanksgiving.

Children of all ages are welcome. Our children's programme occurs during the 10.15am service.

Communion is open to all who love Jesus Christ. You may drink from the chalice or dip the bread into it. If you prefer not to receive communion, you are welcome to come to the altar for a blessing; indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest.

Coffee, tea and biscuits are enjoyed after the 10.15am service.

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RECTOR'S REFLECTION: REMEMBERING WELL

We've been doing a lot of remembering lately. There are two ways to remember, one healthy, one unhealthy. There is *grateful remembrance* that is joyful and hopeful, though not necessarily absent of sorrow. It is the experience of one who has been empowered by the past and so is confidently open to what God will bring next. It trusts that God is good at all times. It proves its knowledge of the past by discovering the same old gifts in new forms. Then there is *ungrateful remembrance*. It clings to the past and refuses to move forward. It does not truly know the blessings of the past because it cannot see their presence today. It forgets that past blessings were at one time strange and unexpected. This form of remembrance is unhealthy. It only leads to disappointment and resentment. On this Remembrance Sunday, let us remember well.

HOLY COMMUNION (1982 LITURGY) AT 10.15AM

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Opening Hymn	366, O God, our help in ages past
The Collect for Purity	Blue Booklet p2
The Kyrie and Gloria	Booklet pp2-4

Collect: O God, it is your will to hold both heaven and earth in a single peace. Let the designs of your great love shine on the waste of our wraths and sorrows, and give peace to your Church, peace among nations, peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

First Lesson	1 Kings 17.8-16 OT p
Second Lesson	Hebrews 9.24-28 NT p
Gradual Hymn	519, Thy kingdom come, O God
The Gospel	Mark 12.38-44, NT p
Sermon	The Revd Professor Gordon Graham
The Nicene Creed	Booklet p11
Prayers of Intercession	A member of the congregation
The Act of Remembrance	
Confession and Absolution	Booklet p6
Sharing of the Peace	Booklet p7

LITURGY OF THANKSGIVING

Offertory Hymn	266, Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult
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The Great Thanksgiving

Booklet pp8-12

Post Communion: Eternal God, comforter of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope. Teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that the world may know the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Booklet p13

Concluding Hymn

Black Book 16, O Valiant hearts

The Dismissal

Booklet p14

WHAT'S ON?

Church Magazine is available for collection.

Cheese & Wine tasting, 13th November, 7pm. £12.50 – see Rachel Cormack for tickets.

Christmas Raffle: Tickets are still available. See Mary Allardyce

Storytime Service on 22nd November. Last time we had 21 children and 18 adults from the community. This is the last one of the year and will focus on the story of St Nicholas. If you'd like to help, speak with Allison Merrick.

Advent Hymn-and-Carol Sing: Jason is organising a workshop at 7pm on the following Tuesdays: December 1st, 8th, and 15th. No need for prior musical experience or the ability to read music. These sessions will be good fun and a great way to prepare for the wonderful music in our upcoming services.

Advent Study Group: For Advent, we will be going through Rowan Williams' book, *Being Christian: Baptism, Bible, Eucharist, Prayer*. It is a gem of a wee book that discusses the central activities of the Christian life. What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus? What does baptism mean? Why and how should we read the Bible? What is prayer for? As we anticipate the coming of our Saviour, it is a great time to remind ourselves about the central tenets of our faith. There are four chapters for the four weeks of Advent. We will start on Sunday, 29th November at 5pm, discuss for 45 minutes and say Evening Prayer after. If you're interested, please sign up on the sheet at the back.