# **Prayer Diary** Congregation

(praying for the whole congregation in

alphabetical order

Maureen Abercrombie, Joanna Adegbite & family, Hannah Aitken, Ian & Sarah Aitken, Judith Allan, Irene Anderson, Betty Benzie, David & Cheryl Berry, Jessie Berry, Lucy Bridgewater, Ena Brown, Alice Cheyne, Kerry Cheyne, Margaret Christie, Valerie Cole, Catherine Collie, Archie & Moira Collins, Norman & Audrey Corbett, Nina Cordrey,

#### Community

(praying for the Stockethill Community street by street)

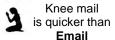
2<sup>nd</sup> **Beechwood Court** 3rd Old Croft Court 4<sup>th</sup> Stockethill Court 5<sup>th</sup> Cairncry Court 6th Rosehill Court Cornhill Court

## Please pray for:

- † The people of France
- † Those involved in running the local elections
- † People in our community who are struggling financially
- † The people of North Aberdeen Church
- † That we would be a generous church

## † Pray the Prayer we have been given by God:

Come Lord Jesus; fill us with your love. Open up our eyes to see you and our ears to hear you. Show us how to love others in your name.





# **Prayers for Private Use**

Lord,

Help me to hear you saying, "I am your hope" over all the other voices.

Lord, your word says, you are the hope for the hopeless so I'm running to you with both hands stretched out and grabbing on to you.

Fill me up with hope and give me a reminder today that hope is an unbreakable spiritual lifeline. God, you know those things in my heart that I barely dare to hope for. Today I give them to you, I trust them to you. I know that you can do more than I could ever guess, imagine or request in my wildest dreams. God, you are my hope and I trust you. In Jesus' name. Amen.



The "Street by Street" praying initiative is an exciting opportunity to pray for one another in the area of Stockethill. Each day we focus on one particular street and we all pray, in our own words for the residents living there. It may be streets some of us are familiar with, indeed we may know some of the people who live here. However, we know that God knows us all and hears our prayers. We encourage you to pray daily as we join together in prayer, "Street by Street".

# The Church of Scotland in Stockethill STOCKETHILL'S COMMUNITY CHURCH



# Weekly Notices

Welcome. This leaflet has a bit about what is happening in the church over the next week. It also has the Bible readings that will be used during daily worship that should be read along with the Daily Prayers booklet. If you do not have the booklet, please contact lan.

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> Week Commencing 1st May 2022



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# **Dates for the Diary**

Every Day except Sunday – 12 noon Daily Prayers on YouTube and phone

May 2022

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> May 11.00am - Cairncry Service (online & phone)

6.30pm – Church prayer meeting on Zoom

Followed by monthly litter pick

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> May 11.00am - Cairnery Service (online & phone)

6.30pm – Church prayer meeting on Zoom

The phone - Dial 01224 434030 Type in 5528# Say your name and press #

You Tube – search online for "YouTube Stockethill Church"

**Zoom -** code 628 456 9870 and Password: church

Next Community Litter Pick - Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May
Following the service the café area will be open with
tea and coffee available. Bring a pack lunch and we'll
get started with the litter pick about 12.45. All welcome for
however long you can stay.

Speak to Sharron for more info - 07519 708215

# There's more to our church than meets the eve!

Our Services in Stocket Grange and Woodhill Court are open to all. If you've never attended either of these services you've missed out on meeting other members of our congregation. Why not come along and both be blessed and be a blessing by your presence.

Woodhill Court – first Sunday of the month at 10am Stocket Grange – third Sunday of the month at 10am



#### Facebook: Do you use Facebook?

There is a public church page (search Stockethill Church). It'll be used to promote the church. Please like, follow and share it widely. We also have an internal private group for church members and those associated with us. This is for sharing news, prayer requests etc. If you are not already a member – speak to lan and he will add vou.



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# Daily Prayers - Monday to Saturday 12 noon

**The phone** - Dial 01224 434030 Type in 5528#

Say your name and press #

You Tube – search online for YouTube Stockethill Church

Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Psalm 119:97-136	Matthew 3:13-17
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Psalm 119:137-176	Matthew 4:1-11
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	Psalm 120	Matthew 4:12-17
Thur 5 <sup>th</sup>	Psalm 121	Matthew 4:18-22
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	Psalm 122	Matthew 4:23-25
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	Psalm 123	Matthew 5:1-16



Joyful News!! Lucy and Willie are getting married on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May Please pray that they have a wonderful day and wonderful marriage.



Collect your Used Stamps and give them to Vanda

Vanda is collecting used stamps on behalf of the Church of Scotland. This year, the stamps will support the Women's Development Centre in Kandy, Sri Lanka. The Centre offers help to victims of rape and sexual abuse.



Don't forget that each week we collect items for CFINE

You can put them in the box by the door. Things needed include: toiletries; nappies; wipes; tinned meals; rice; pasta; cooking sauce; soup; beans etc.

**Community Café.** As part of her work for the Church Sharron is running the Café in Cairnery Community Centre on a Friday morning from 9.30 till 12.30. Come and support her and the Centre.

# Don't forget to Vote this Thursday!