

## Prayer Diary

### Congregation

(praying for the whole congregation in alphabetical order)



Alice Petrie, June Pettitt, Mrs Pirie,  
Brian Porter, Steph Rae, Steve Riley,  
Jennifer Robertson, Joan Robertson,  
Jenny Rodger, Ruby Rose, Gladys  
Sharp, Fran Sim and family, Willy and  
Lucy Sinclair, Elaine & Willy Smith,  
Sheila Smith, Edith Thomson, David  
Thompson, Joanna Wedderburn, Joan  
Wilson, Joe & Jeannette Wilson, Kath  
Wood, Gwyn Wynn-Davies, Marilyn  
Young, Helen Youngson

**Please pray for:**

- † The people of Pakistan
- † The Scottish Government
- † Those in our community who are seeking God.
- † The people of North Aberdeen parish Church
- † That we would be a joyful 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.*



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is quicker than  
Email



## Prayers for Private Use

Heavenly Father,  
Forgive those things we have  
done which have caused you  
sadness, and those things we  
should have done that would  
have brought you joy.  
In both we have failed  
ourselves, and you. Bring us  
back to that place where our  
journey began, when we said  
that we would follow you.  
Lead us to the Cross and  
meet us there. It is only you  
who can read and understand  
the language of our hearts.  
Only you who can translate  
our 'sorry' into the prayer we  
would have prayed,  
if we had the words within us.  
Then you forgive, and having  
forgiven surround us in love,  
drawing us close to your  
heart, as it was always meant  
to be.  
Thank you, Loving Father,  
that you listen to hearts, as  
well as voices.  
Amen



Today's reading

## 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 Ian.

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**Week Commencing  
26<sup>th</sup> March 2023**



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### Dates for the Diary

Every week day – 12 noon Daily Prayers on YouTube and phone

Sun 2 April 10.00am – Palm Sunday Service in Woodhill Court  
10.30am – Palm Sunday Service in Cairncry Community Centre  
Followed by Bring and Share Lunch  
6.30pm – Church prayer meeting on Zoom  
Tues 4 April: 7.00pm - Joint Prayer Gathering @ New Machar Church  
Thur 6 April: 7.00pm - Maundy Service in Stocket Grange  
Sun 9 April: 10.30am –Easter Service in Cairncry Community Centre  
Followed by picnic in Victoria Park

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

### **AFTER CHURCH FOOD & FELLOWSHIP**

**Today** - Monthly Get Together in Murdo's

Sunday 2 April - Bring and Share Lunch

Sunday 9 April - Easter Sunday Picnic in Victoria Park  
All Welcome

### Daily Prayers During Holy Week

We will be using a particular set of Daily Prayers throughout Holy Week. If you need a copy please speak to Ian. Please join us on YouTube or on the phones, especially if you don't regularly join the daily prayers.

### **Monday Congregation**

Our new congregation for young families meets on Monday evening at 5.30pm. The gathering is open to children and their parents/carers and includes a craft, a meal and a time of worship. Please pray for this new venture, the team running it and those coming along.



#### **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 Ian and he will add you.

### **Daily Prayers – Monday to Friday 12 noon**



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

Say your name and press #

**You Tube** – search online for YouTube Stockethill Church

Mon 27	Psalm 51	Luke 18:35-43
Tues 28	52	19:1-10
Wed 29	53	19:11-27
Thur 30	54	19:28-38
Fri 31	55	19:39-44

### **Holy Week and Easter**

**Every day: 12 noon Holy Week Prayers - YouTube and the phone**

Tuesday 4 April: Joint Prayer Gathering @ New Machar Church  
Thursday 6 April: Maundy Service in Stocket Grange  
Sunday 9 April: Easter Service in Cairncry Centre  
Followed by Easter Picnic in Victoria Park.

Holiday Lunch Club for families: Mondays and Fridays 12 till 2pm  
Family Fun Day – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April 10am till 12 noon.

### **Community Litter Pick Next Sunday**

Following the Bring and Share lunch.

All welcome for however long you can stay.

Speak to Sharron for more info - 07519 708215



### **Meeting with our Sister Churches – Tuesday 4 April**

The next gathering with churches with whom we are share a common future

**Tuesday 4 April at 7.00pm in New Machar Church.**

These are vital get togethers to seek God for our way forward together. Please make every effort to attend.

Speak to Ian if you need a lift or can offer one.



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