

## Prayer Diary

### Congregation

(praying for the whole congregation in alphabetical order)



Steph Rae, Tricia Ritchie and family,  
Jennifer Robertson, Joan Robertson,  
Wilma Ross, Gladys Sharp, Fran Sim  
and family, Willy and Lucy Sinclair,  
Elaine & Willy Smith, Leighanne Smith  
and family, Sheila Smith, Edith  
Thomson, David Thompson, Joanna  
Wedderburn, Joan Wilson, Joe Wilson,  
Kath Wood, Gwyn Wynn-Davies,  
Marilyn Young



**Please pray for:**

- † The persecuted church in Turkmenistan\*.
- † The people of Ukraine.
- † Aberdeen Street Pastors.
- † Parents in our community.
- † The people of New Machar Church.
- † That we would be a praying 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.*

*\*each week we pray for Christians on the Open Doors World Watch List. Find out more here: [opendoorsuk.org](http://opendoorsuk.org)*



Knee mail  
is quicker than  
Email



## Prayers for Private Use

Heavenly Father,  
Forgive me for the times  
when I have elevated myself  
above others, who may not  
have the same heritage,  
background, or  
understanding, that I have  
been granted.

Thank You for making me  
who I am and thank You that  
every member in the body of  
Christ is equally important to  
You, and each has his own  
specific role to play.

As I remember that formerly I  
was dead in my sins and  
without hope in the world, I  
praise and thank You for the  
work You have done in my  
life.

Keep me humble before  
You.

In Jesus' name I pray,  
Amen.

Today's Reading  
Colossians 4:2-6



## 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. If you need any further information, please contact Ian.

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### Dates for the Diary

Every Sunday 10.30am – Service in Cairncry Community Centre

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month 10.00am – Service in Woodhill Court

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month 12.30am – Monthly litter pick

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month – 6.30pm – Prayer meeting on Zoom

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month – 3.00pm – service in Quarryhill Court

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month 10.00am – Service in Stockethill Grange

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month lunchtime prayer walk

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday – Social Group

Last Sunday of the month 6.30pm – Praise and Prayer in Cairncry centre

Last Monday of the month 5.30pm – Family Church in Cairncry Centre

You Tube – search online for “YouTube Stockethill Church”

Zoom - code 628 456 9870 and Password: church

### This Morning

We welcome Keith Simpson from Aberdeen

Street Pastors who will update us about their work.

Our offering will be given to Aberdeen Street Pastors.

(if you prefer your offering to go to the Church, please give it to Ian or Derek)



If you are in hospital and would like Ian or a member of the church to visit you, please let Ian know. Information from the hospital rarely gets passed on even if hospital staff have asked you if you want a visit from your minister.

### Family Congregation – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Aug – 5.30pm in the Centre.

A service of worship aimed at young families, including a meal, some craft and worship. Particularly suitable for those with little or no previous experience of church. Do you know a family you could encourage to come? Children must be accompanied by adults and adults must be accompanied by children.

### Praise and Prayer

**Next Sunday in the Community Centre from 6.30 till 8.00pm.**

An extended time of worship with the aim of praying especially for our church and our community.

### Monthly Get-Together – Today!

A group of folk in the church are ‘getting together’ in Murdo’s following the service on the last Sunday of each month. Everyone is welcome to join them – for a coffee, or for lunch, or just for the chat. Just tag along.



### Communion Service

**Next Sunday 30 August**

## Information for Visitors

**Making an offering.** Contributing to the common needs of the Church is an act of Christian discipleship, whilst making an offering of our resources is an act of Christian worship. We do not expect visitors to give any money, however if you would like to make an offering as part of your worship today, please use the wooden box on the central table. Information about giving on a regular basis, including bank details, can be found on the back table.

**Please note.** Once the service has started the café area will be locked. Please also be aware that the foyer and toilets are open for public use while the service is taking place.

Words for the songs are available on printed sheets on the table by the door. If it would be helpful for you to have them printed in a particular format, please speak to Ian. Also available – Large Print Bibles.



#### Facebook: Do you use Facebook?

There is a public church page (search Stockethill Church) 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.

Don't forget our website: [www.stockethillchurch.org.uk](http://www.stockethillchurch.org.uk)



“A Privacy Policy covering the ways in which we collect and use personal data is available at every church event. Please ask to see our Data Protection Policy”.