

## Prayer Diary

### Congregation



(praying for the whole congregation in alphabetical order)

Samuel & Lydia Onekutu and family, Muriel Ord, Margaret Paterson, Alice Petrie. Steph Rae, Tricia Ritchie and family, Jennifer Robertson, Wilma Ross, Gladys Sharp, Fran Sim and family, Willy and Lucy Sinclair, Elaine & Willy Smith, Leighanne Smith and family, Sheila Smith, Izabela Stawiarske & family, Elsie Thom, Edith Thomson, David Thompson, Joanna Wedderburn, Joan Wilson, Joe Wilson, Barbara Wyness, Kath Wood, Marilyn Young



**Please pray for:**

- † **The persecuted church in China\*.**
- † **The people of Russia.**
- † **Those who work in the construction industry.**
- † **Children in our community.**
- † **The people of North Aberdeen Church.**
- † **That we would be a Spirit led 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  
I sit here with the desire to spend time with You and only You. I want to hear your words. Words of grace, healing, encouragement and confirmation. Help me to learn how to pray in contemplation. Help me to clear my mind of all the noises around me; clear the thoughts in my head; clear my mind of everything. Teach me to be still and focus purely on you. Let me meditate with you. When I speak, I speak only to you. You know my thoughts and wishes. You know my likes and dislikes. Teach me to listen to you. Teach me to hear you. Teach me to pray in contemplation. I long to be so aware of You. I ask this in Jesus' name.  
Amen

Today's Reading  
Mark 13:1-37



## 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  
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 Stocket 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



**Today's service is a  
Communion Service**

## **Prayer Walk Today**

Join us after the service and spend some time walking the streets of our neighbourhood and praying for the people who live here.

## **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

**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.

## **Bring and Share Lunch**

**Next Sunday - Pentecost Sunday**  
Just for the fun of it and in order to welcome new people and get to know one another better.  
Bring some food to share or just come along.



## **Over 60s Social Group**

**This Wednesday**

**monthly Church Social Group.**

Places are limited (due to transport)  
but all welcome. Speak to Helen for more info.



## **The General Assembly of the Church of Scotland**

Is taking place this weekend and tomorrow.

Please pray for this important annual event.

More information can be found here:

[www.churchofscotland.org.uk/about-us/general-assembly](http://www.churchofscotland.org.uk/about-us/general-assembly)

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)



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