

Prayer Diary

Congregation



(praying for the whole congregation in alphabetical order)

Fiona Douglas, Helen Dray, Stefan & Sharon Driver and family, Danielle Duncan, Hazel Duncan Derek & Norna Duthie, Lubos Dzurbalova, Matthew & Sian Edwards and family, Pat Elrick, Elizabeth Ferguson, Ethel Forsyth, Sharron Forsyth, Charlie Fraser, Rose Fraser, Betty Grant, Jim Gray, Sheila Gray, Elizabeth Greig, Helen Simpson, Kara Hendry, Lisa Hendry, Brian & Lesley Henry, Winnie Hewitt,



Please pray for:

- † The persecuted church in Nicaragua*.
- † The people of Nepal.
- † Those working in the Police force.
- † Those in our community struggling with addiction.
- † The people of Hillside Church.
- † That we would be a growing 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*



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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. Everything except you. 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
Acts 20:17-38



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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*Grow
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Grace*

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Dates for the Diary

Every Sunday 10.30am – Service in Cairncry Community Centre
1st Sunday of the month 10.00am – Service in Woodhill Court
2nd Sunday of the month – 6.30pm – Prayer meeting on Zoom
2nd Monday of the month – 3.00pm – Service in Quarryhill Court
3rd Sunday of the month 10.00am – Service in Stockethill Grange
3rd Sunday of the month lunchtime prayer walk
3rd Wednesday – Social Group
Last Sunday of the month 5.30pm – Youth Group 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

Youth Group for early secondary school age
meets this evening
Please pray as this new group gets off the ground.

Upcoming dates....

Sunday 13th September – Ibidun & Niyi will be with us to say farewell as they move away from Aberdeen.
Sunday 27th September – Bring and Share Lunch for the fun of it.

Sams Club begins this coming Friday. We have had the most children ever sign up and are desperate for more leaders! Could you spare 2 hours on a Friday afternoon? Please pray for children and the current team: Fiona, Joanna, Donna, Kerry, Judith, Anna, Alex, Ian, Sarah.



Meeting with our Sister Churches – Tuesday 8 September

The next gathering with other churches to worship, pray and share together

Tuesday 8 September at 7.00pm in Dyce Church

These are wonderful times as we seek God's will and blessing.
Please make every effort to attend.
Speak to Ian if you need a lift.

Family Congregation

meets at 5.30 on the last Monday of the month.

A service of worship is held on the last Monday of the month aimed at young families. It includes a meal, some craft and worship. It is 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.

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



"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".