

Order of Service and Intimations

Sunday 12th March 2017



Opening Voluntaries:

Song of Peace – Paul Bryan

A Peaceful Charm – Alan Ridout

Welcome and Intimations

Hymn 124: Praise to the Lord

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

A word before The Word

Hymn 600: Spirit of God

Reading: John 3: 1-17 (page 119)

Hymn 251: I the Lord of sea and sky

Sermon

Hymn 111: Holy, Holy, Holy

Offering

(For God so loved the world – Stainer)

Prayers of Dedication, Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn 249: We have heard a joyful sound

The Blessing and Choral Amen

Dismissal: Majesty

Closing Voluntary:

Trumpet Voluntary – John Stanley

FOR GOD
SO LOVED
THE
WORLD

THAT HE GAVE HIS ONE AND ONLY SON,
THAT WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM

SHALL
NOT
PERISH
BUT
HAVE
ETERNAL
LIFE.

JOHN
3:16

DISMISSAL:

Majesty, worship His Majesty;

*Unto Jesus, be glory,
honour and praise.*

Majesty, kingdom authority

*Flows from His throne,
unto His own, His anthem raise.*

So exalt, lift up on high

The Name of Jesus,

Magnify, come glorify,

Christ Jesus the King Majesty,

worship His Majesty,

Jesus who died, now glorified,

King of all Kings.

Preacher: Mr Andrew Bruce **Organist:** Stuart McMahon **Readings:** Alison Buick

*We extend a warm welcome to any visitors joining our service this morning.
You are invited to join us for tea & coffee in the Large Hall after the service.*

Intimations

REGULAR MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

Monday	10am: Keep Fit Class;
Tuesday	2pm: KA Leisure Chair Aerobics; 4pm: Craft Team
Wednesday	6.30pm: 1st Saltcoats Girl Guides
Thursday	10.30am: 30 minute Midweek Service; 2.30pm / 7.30pm (alternate weeks) Country Dancing

1. Due to Dorothy's continued absence, Presbytery has appointed Rev James McNay as an Interim Moderator to oversee any urgent business that may arise over the next few weeks. If you require the services of a minister whilst Dorothy is off, please contact James on 01294 823186. We thank James for agreeing to take on this extra role. Please remember Dorothy in your prayers and we wish her voice a speedy recovery.
2. It is important to keep the **Pastoral Care Team** up to date with information about people who need pastoral care or support. Please don't assume that they already know. They would rather hear several times over than not at all. The main contacts for pastoral care are Miss Alison Buick (01294 464531) and Mrs Morag Forsyth (01294 463762) - please let either Alison or Morag know about anyone who needs visited at home or in hospital. Alternatively please speak directly to Rev Dorothy Granger on 01294 463571.
3. This week in the **Presbytery Prayer Diary** we are asked to pray for the congregation of Saltcoats St Cuthberts and their Interim Moderator Rev David Watson, and locum, Mr Bert McCool.
4. **The Guild** meets tomorrow night, Monday 13th March at 7.30pm for a talk entitled "My Love of Scotland" by James Law. Tickets for the Beetle Drive on 20th March are now available - cost £2 including a light supper.
5. **Guild outing to Oklahoma** on 30th March – balance of payment is now due and should be paid to Liz or Alison as soon as possible. Total due is £17 (£4 for bus and £13 for meal).
6. The **Country Dancing Group** meets on Thursday 9th March at 2.30pm.
7. The March editions of the **Kirkgate Messenger** and Life & Work magazine are available for distributors to uplift in the large hall.

8. North Ayrshire Foodbank is grateful for all the donations it receives from us. However, they are desperately short of a few items at present:

- Tinned Meat
- Juice
- UHT Milk
- Tinned Fruit

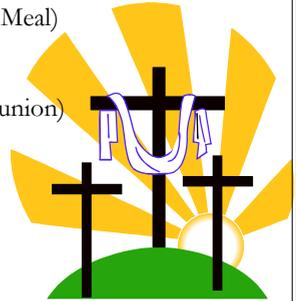
So much so, they find themselves in a position of having to consider suspending issuing food parcels for the next few weeks. Donations can be placed in the box in the hallway or additionally can be handed in to St Mary's Church Hall on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 11am and 12.30pm, or left at any local supermarket.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

ARDROSSAN CHURCHES GROUP

Monday 10 th April	St. Peter's Parish Centre (Passover Meal)
Tuesday 11 th April	E.U. Church
Wednesday 12 th April	Kirkgate Parish Church, Saltcoats
Thursday 13 th April	St. Andrew's Church (Holy Communion)
Friday 14 th April	Park Church (Good Friday)

Easter Sunday 16th April Castle Hill (8am)
(Followed by breakfast in the Nazarene Church Hall)



All the above services start at 7pm except Easter Sunday.

Everyone is welcome.

Morning meditation service Monday to Friday at 10:00am in the Park Church.

Anyone wishing to include a notice in the weekly intimations should give details to Stuart McMahon, stuart@md93.co.uk, Tel: 01294 603848 **no later than a Wednesday evening.**

Fire Safety – in the event of a Fire:

- Remain calm and leave the building by the nearest exit.
- Do not wait to uplift belongings.
- Do not attempt to go back into the building until instructed it is safe to do so.
- Please gather outside the Royal Bank of Scotland, Chapelwell Street.

A loop system is installed in the church for people who may have hearing difficulties. Our Sunday services are also recorded most weeks and published on the church website, www.kirkgatechurch.org.uk. CD's are also available on request.