

# Order of Service and Intimations

## Sunday 25th June 2017



*Opening Voluntaries:*  
*Adagio from Symphony No. 3 – Saint-Saëns*

### Welcome and Intimations

### Call to Worship

Hymn 52: How lovely is thy dwelling-place (Psalm 4)

### Prayer for the beginning of the Communion service

Hymn 722: Spirit of God, come dwell within me  
*(Tune: Leaving of Lismore)*

**Readings: Romans 6: 1b-11 (page 193)**  
**Matthew 10: 24-39 (page 15)**

Hymn 565: My life flows on in endless song

### ***Sermon: “There may be troubles ahead”***

**Our offering for God’s work through  
the Church in the world** *(La Califfa – Morricone)*

Hymn 655: For your generous providing  
*(Tune: Lewis Folk Melody)*

### ***Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper***

Hymn 646: Forth in the peace of Christ we go

### The Blessing and Choral Amen

### Dismissal: Majesty

*Closing Voluntary:*  
*Nun Danket Alle Gott – Karg Elert*



### **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:** Rev Alan Ward **Organist:** Stuart McMahon **Readings:** Margaret Cassidy

***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

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## REGULAR MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

**Tuesday** 4pm: Craft Team

**Thursday** 10.30am: 30 minute Midweek Service;

- 1. Please take extra care when entering or leaving the church grounds whilst the scaffolding is up, and take heed of any safety notices that may be displayed.***
2. At the close of the service today there will be a retiring offering in aid of Christian Aid.
3. Due to Dorothy's continued absence, Presbytery has appointed Rev James McNay as our Interim Moderator to oversee any urgent business that may arise. 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 continue to remember Dorothy in your prayers and we wish her voice a speedy recovery.
4. The Kirk Session has agreed to appoint Rev Mandy Hickman as a locum minister during Dorothy's extended absence. Mandy will be providing 2 days' pastoral support for us, plus preaching for us on a Sunday, starting next week.
5. At this time it is all the more 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.
6. This week in the **Presbytery Prayer Diary** we are asked to pray for the congregation of Fairlie linked with Largs St Columba's and their Interim Moderator, Rev Roddy Macdonald and Locum Minister Rev John Purves.
7. The **Kirkgate Craft Team** will be finishing for a well-deserved summer break on 1st July. If anybody wishes a special order, please let them know before then.

8. Whilst the building works are being carried out we're going to intimate a Kirk Session meeting for every Sunday, in case we need to discuss anything urgently. If the meeting isn't required then it will be cancelled on the Sunday morning as part of the intimations. As such, notice is given that the **Kirk Session** will meet if required on today after the morning service, with the next meetings on Sunday 2nd July and 9th July.
9. As intimated last week, today will be the last service held in the church until the building works are completed. Next Sunday's service will be held in the Large Hall. It is planned to clear all items from the sanctuary tomorrow evening (Monday 26th). Volunteers would be most welcome from approximately 7.00pm.
10. At the close of today's service there will be a midsummer organ recital – a last chance to hear our wonderful organ before it is taped up for the duration of the building works. The programme of popular music is printed on the back page. Please go to the hall for your tea & coffee as usual, but feel free to bring it back into the church whilst listening to the music.
11. **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.

# Midsummer Organ Recital

## PROGRAMME

Gloria – *Vivaldi*

Méditation (from Thaïs) – *Massenet*

Trumpet Voluntary – *Stanley*

Gabriel's Oboe – *Morricone*

Choral Song – *Wesley*

Canon in D – *Pachelbel*

Dambuster March – *Coates*

Ashokan Farewell – *Ungar*

Highland Cathedral – *Roever / Korb*

Radetsky March – *Strauss*

Anyone wishing to include a notice in the weekly intimations should give details to Stuart McMahon, [stuart@md93.co.uk](mailto: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](http://www.kirkgatechurch.org.uk). CD's are also available on request.