

# Order of Service and Intimations

## Sunday 24th February 2019



*Opening Voluntaries*

*Minuet and Trio – Charles Darnton*

*March Religioso – Charles Darnton*

### **Welcome and Intimations**

### **Call to Worship – Psalm 37**

Hymn 485: Dear Lord and Father of mankind

### **Prayer of Approach, Confession and Lord's Prayer**

### **Reading: Genesis 45: 1-15 (page 49)**

Hymn 528: Make me a channel of your peace

### **Reflection: Human Stories, Forgiveness**

Hymn 549: How deep the Father's love for us

### **Sermon: Forgiving Hearts**

Sheet: MP 181: God forgave my sin in Jesus' name

### **Offering**

*(Andante Tranquillo – W. Henry Maxfield)*

### **Prayer of Intercession and Dedication**

Hymn 160: Praise my soul the King of heaven

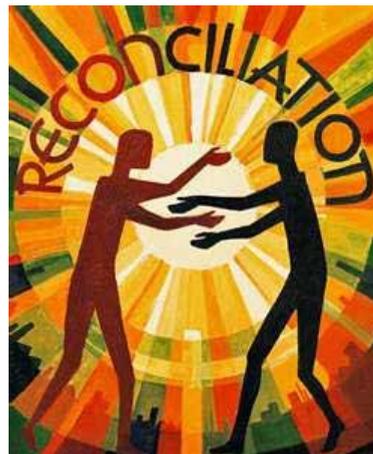
### **The Blessing and Choral Amen**

### **Doxology (MP460):**

May God's blessing

*Closing Voluntary:*

*March des Troubadours – W. H. Burt*



### **DOXOLOGY:**

*May God's blessing  
surround you each day,  
as you trust Him and  
walk in His way.*

*May his presence within  
guard and keep you from sin,  
go in peace, go in joy,  
go in love.*

**Preacher:** Mr Brian Murray   **Organist:** Stuart McMahon   **Reader:** Moira Cooper

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

# Intimations

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## REGULAR MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

Monday	10am: Keep Fit Group
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 Dance Group
Friday	12.30pm: CHANA Care & Share Lunch Club

1. Rev James McNay is our Interim Moderator. If you require the services of a minister, please contact James on 01294 823186 or email James at [JMcNay@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:JMcNay@churchofscotland.org.uk). Brian Murray is our new locum - he can be contacted on 01294 822272 or at [brian.murray100@btinternet.com](mailto:brian.murray100@btinternet.com)
2. Please keep the **Pastoral Care Team** up to date with information about people who need pastoral care or support, or visited at home or in hospital. 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).
3. After the closing voluntary it would be helpful if chairs could be stacked at the side of the hall.
4. This week in the **Presbytery Prayer Diary** we are asked to pray for the congregation of West Kilbride Parish Church and their minister Rev James McNay.
5. **The Guild** will meet tomorrow night, Monday 18th February at 7.30pm in the Large Hall, and will have speakers from Hansel - supporting young adults with learning difficulties. They are bringing along a 'Pop Up' shop with items to buy.
6. Tickets costing £4 are also available for a **Guild concert** with Auchenharvie Academy Choir and Band on Monday 18th March.
7. The **Country Dancing Group** will meet on Thursday 28th Feb at 7.30pm.
8. Articles for the March edition of the **Kirkgate Messenger** should be given to the editor today.
9. The Craft Team will be holding their **Easter Coffee and Cards** on Saturday 2nd March from 10am - 12 noon. A selection of handmade Easter cards, along with their other greetings cards will be available.

10. We will be holding a **Fish Tea and Quiz** on Friday 22nd March at 7pm. Tickets, £5, are now available from Margaret Cassidy.
11. The **North Ayrshire Foodbank** is in need of in-date tinned or dry foodstuffs. If you are in a position to help then donations can be taken directly to the foodbank in the Church of the Nazarene in Glasgow Street, Ardrossan. Thank you.
12. The **Care and Share/Lunch Club** in Kirkgate for those who are homeless, is now running every Friday from 12.30pm-2pm. CHANA (Churches Homelessness Action North Ayrshire) are always looking for more volunteers from around North Ayrshire to assist with running it. If you are interested in helping in any way please contact CHANA on 07585 665751.

## God forgave my sin

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name  
I've been born again in Jesus' name,  
and in Jesus' name I come to you  
to share His love as He told me to.

*He said: "Freely, freely you have received,  
freely, freely give;  
go in My name and because you believe,  
others will know that I live."*

All power is given in Jesus' name  
in earth and heaven in Jesus' name;  
and in Jesus' name I come to you  
to share His power as He told me to.

*He said: "Freely, freely you have received,  
freely, freely give;  
go in My name and because you believe,  
others will know that I live."*

# CHANA

## Churches' Homelessness Action North Ayrshire **KIRKGATE CARE & SHARE**



We aim to provide Soup and Sandwiches and our presence in the Kirkgate every Friday from 12.30pm to 2pm for those who are homeless.

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**For further information contact  
CHANA on 07585 665751**



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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 former Royal Bank of Scotland, Chapelwell Street.

A loop system is installed for people who may have hearing difficulties.

**[www.kirkgatechurch.org.uk](http://www.kirkgatechurch.org.uk)**

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