

New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge

Sunday 10th September 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today we consider the importance of giving thanks through our words and actions as we celebrate Harvest together.

Readings

Ruth 2:1-12 Ruth and Boaz

Luke 12:13-21 The parable of the rich fool

Reader: John Williamson

Hymns

137 All things bright and beautiful

229 We plough the fields and scatter

233 Come, ye thankful people, come

231 For the fruits of all creation

153 Great is thy faithfulness

Intimations

Tea/Coffee will be available in the Hall after worship. Please come over and enjoy fellowship.

There is a **Harvest Stall** (things made or grown by you) in the Hall which is open for donations prior to the service and for purchasing after worship with all proceeds going to St Andrew's Hospice.

There will also be a **Retiring Offering** today for St Andrew's Hospice.

Cafe Church will take place this afternoon at 2.30pm in the Church Hall. All welcome.

Pastoral Care - please let the Minister know if anyone is sick at home or in hospital, or in need of a visit or prayer, by talking to her after worship, in the hall, by phoning (01236 437271) and by using the Pastoral Care cards which can now be found at the door.

Kirk Session meets on Monday 11th September at 7.30pm in the Memorial Chapel.

Bible Study meets on Tuesdays at 2.30pm (note the change from previous time of 2pm) in the Memorial Chapel.

The Fundraising Committee will meet on Tuesday 12th September at 7.00pm in the Memorial Chapel.

Fiona will be on **Annual Leave** from 12th - 25th September inclusive. Pastoral Care will be provided from 12th - 18th September by The Rev Robbie Hamilton (Tel 01236 763022). After this please contact Session Clerk, Dorothy Dunlop (Tel 01236 707443)

Fund Raising. Dress Down Sunday realised a total of £181.55 and the **Sponsored Walk** total so far is £982.50 with more money still to come in - many thanks to all those who took part and contributed.

Plastic bottles - The Outreach Committee would be grateful if the congregation could continue donating 2 litre plastic bottles until the end of September.

New Duty Rotas for October to December are available for office bearers at the front door.

New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge
Sunday 3rd September 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today as we move forward on our timeline, we consider our next Old Testament character,
Moses

Readings

Exodus 3:1-17 Moses and the burning Bush

Hebrews 11:24-25 - Faith in action

Reader: James MacInnes

Hymns

96 You are before me God

167 Guide me, O thou great Jehovah

530 One more step along the world I go

664 Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face

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Bible Study resumes this Tuesday (5th September) at 2.30 pm in the Memorial Chapel. All welcome

Communion will be celebrated again this afternoon at 3pm in the Memorial Chapel. All welcome

Harvest will be celebrated on Sunday 10th September. On the day there will be a retiring offering for St Andrew's Hospice. We will also be having our produce stall (things grown or made by you) in the Church Hall, and proceeds from this will also go to the Hospice.

Café Church will be on next Sunday at 2.30pm in the Church Hall. All welcome

Kirk Session meets on Monday 11th September at 7.30pm in the Memorial Chapel

Outreach Committee please note that the scheduled meeting for 7th September has been cancelled

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New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge

Sunday 27th August 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today we are beginning a new series looking at Old Testament characters and what we can learn from them. As we do this we will be able to build a timeline from creation to the birth of Christ. Ordinarily to do this we would start with Noah and then Abraham and follow on from there. However, we are starting after Abraham (as we did a series over the summer) and today we will be looking at Joseph.

Readings

Genesis 37:1-11 The beginning of the story of Joseph

Genesis 45:1-13 The conclusion of the story

Reader: Anna Tweedie

Hymns

70 Give praise and thanks unto the Lord

194 This is the day

561 Blessed Assurance

505 All that I am

153 Great is thy faithfulness

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Today is Dress Down Sunday and buckets are at all the doors for donations - £1 for dressing "down" (£2 if you haven't)

Our Sponsored Walk round Drumpellier Loch is taking place after this morning's service. After this, at 2.30pm, there will be a short service in the Hall for anyone who would like to attend (not just walkers). If you're not walking please sponsor a walker.

Communion will be celebrated next Sunday at 11.00am and 3.00pm. All welcome

Duty list for Communion is on the notice board - Elders please check and indicate availability or otherwise.

Sunday School starts back today and any children aged from new-born to 18 years old will be made very welcome.

A leaflet drop is being planned to houses in the vicinity of the Church and the Outreach Committee is looking for volunteers to assist. For more formation (or to volunteer) please speak to John Williamson at Church or phone 01236 422876.

Congregational Board - the meeting scheduled for the 28th August has been cancelled and the next meeting will be 9th October at 7.30pm.

Outreach Committee please note that the scheduled meeting for 7th September has been cancelled.

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RNLI - The Coatbridge Committee would like to thank everyone who contributed to their recent Coffee Morning which raised £755.

New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge

Sunday 20th August 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today we finish our series on Abraham as we see him asked to obey God once more

Reading

Genesis 22:1-19 Abraham is tested

Reader: Dorothy Dunlop

Hymns

63 All people that on earth do dwell

771 If you believe and I believe

549 How deep the Father's love for us

519 Love Divine all loves excelling

512 To God be the glory

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Discipleship Committee - meets on Tuesday 22nd August at 7pm in the Memorial Chapel. Please remember to put in your apologies to Fiona, if you cannot attend

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Dress Down Sunday will be on 27th August. Buckets will be available to donate £1 for coming to church casually dressed.

Sponsored Walk - on 27th August we will have our walk around Drumpellier Loch. Sponsor sheets are available at the front and back doors of the church to collect sponsors.

A cup of tea will be available before the walk and there will be a short service in the Hall at 2.30pm. for the walkers and for anyone who would like to come along. If you are unable to walk for any reason please sponsor another walker.

Sunday school will start back on Sunday 27th August, any children aged from newborn to 18 yrs old will be made very welcome.

Boys Brigade - Enrolment details for the new session of the 1st Coatbridge are as follows

Anchor Boys p1-p3 Wednesday 23rd August from 6.30- 7.30pm

Junior Section p4-p6 Wednesday 23rd August from 6.30pm -7.30pm

Company Section p7 s1-s6 Friday 25th August from 7pm - 8pm

All old and new members welcome.

If anyone would like to help out on any of these nights please contact Jim on 07983450183

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New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge

Sunday 13th August 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today we learn about what happened when Abraham interceded on behalf of others, and what he learned from that

Reading

Genesis 18:16-33 - Abraham intercedes

Reader: Christine McCrone

Hymns

100 O Lord, thou art my God and King

564 Jesus loves me this I know

449 Rejoice! the Lord is king

264 Judge Eternal, thronged in splendour

476 Mine eyes have seen the glory

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Bible Study will resume on Tuesday 5th September

Outreach - anyone from the committee who would like to join Fiona to work on our project, she will be in the Church Hall Tuesday and Thursday 2-4pm.

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RNLI Coffee Morning will be held in our Hall next Saturday 19th August from 10am - noon. Tickets are available from the Committee price £2 or pay at the door. Donations of baking or items for the stall will be gratefully received.

The work of the RNLI is supported by donations and the Coatbridge Branch, although small, contributes significantly. Please come along and help this life-saving charity.

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Plastic bottle appeal - a big thank you to all those who have been bringing us their plastic bottles. The collection of these will stop at the end of August

Silent Auction, Saturday 30th September. During the summer maybe you could identify a few possessions which you would like to donate and could be sold to raise funds for the Church.

No clothes, Books or other media (C.Ds, DVDs etc) please.

Please see the posters in the Hall and on the back page of the magazine.

New St Andrew's Parish Church, Coatbridge
Sunday 6th August 2017

Welcome to New St Andrew's Church

Today we continue with our series about Abraham as he is visited by three visitors

Reading

Genesis 18:1-15 - The three visitors

Reader: Jim Murray

Hymns

522 The Church is wherever God's people are praising

523 Hands to work and feet to run

129 The Lord is king

498 Angel voices ever singing

153 Great is thy faithfulness

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Life and Work and Church Magazine are ready for uplift and distribution by visitors.

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