

Holy Trinity News April 2014

Dates of services and events

Sunday 6th April: 10.30am Joint Service at Holy Trinity celebrant Canon Bill McAusland, Soup Lunch to follow in aid of Lent Appeal.

Tuesday 8th April: 7pm Vestry Meeting in hall.

Wednesday 9th April: 7pm Lent Study Group in church.

Thursday 10th April: 10am Holy Communion - celebrant Canon Bill McAusland.

Sunday 13th April: 10.30am Palm Sunday Eucharist, celebrant Canon Bill McAusland.

Wednesday 16th April: 7.00pm Stations of the Cross.

Thursday 17th April: 10.30am Chrism Mass at the Cathedral, 7pm Holy Communion for Maundy Thursday at Holy Trinity.

Friday 18th April: 12-1pm Good Friday Prayers.

Saturday 19th April: 9.30am decorate church for Easter, 8pm Easter Vigil at Holy Rood Carnoustie - Bishop Nigel.

Sunday 20th April: 10.30am Sung Eucharist for Easter Sunday, celebrant Canon Bill McAusland.

Thursday 24th April: 10am Holy Communion celebrant Canon Bill McAusland.

Sunday 27th April: 10.30am Sung Eucharist, celebrant Canon Bill McAusland.

Lent Appeal

The Lent Appeal this year is in aid of St Ninian's Church "Play and Stay Group". This group for mothers and young children in Mid Craigie meets two days a week in St Ninian's. Please return envelopes on Easter Sunday available at the back of the church.

Daffodil Coffee Morning



The daffodils were in full bloom this year for our Coffee Morning. A total of about £200 was raised for church funds. The picture shows the busy ladies in the tearoom.

Kilombero Rice:

As part of our Lent Study Group this year we have been looking at fairly traded food. Our study booklet from Christian Aid recommended Kilombero rice grown in Malawi. Only 1 in 3 children attend High School in Malawi, an impoverished landlocked country in South Eastern Africa. A Malawian farmer has to sell 90Kg of rice to afford the school fees for one child for a year. Fiona has obtained 20Kg of the rice which is now on sale in the church hall for £2.99 a Kg. If we manage to sell all 20Kg then we can order more and perhaps reach the goal of 90Kg.

Tarfside Weekend:

St Drostan's Lodge has been booked for Holy Trinity from Friday 13th June to Tuesday 17th June. If you would like to take part in this weekend please contact Janet Spence for more details. You can stay for as many or as few nights as you wish. Contact details tel. 01241859580 or email janjan1spence@hotmail.co.uk

Christian Aid Week: 11th -17th May

Look out for the red envelope when it comes through your door. (Please contact Canon Bill if you can help with the door-to-door collection.)

Coastline Quilters Exhibition: Friday 30th - Saturday 31st May, early notice of another great exhibition, back in Holy Trinity for their third visit.

Pastoral Care: Pastoral care is another important area that concerns the vestry. We are good at taking care of our buildings but taking care of our members is just as important and sometimes not as easy.

The Ministry Team and the Pastoral Care Group need to know when Holy Trinity folk are unwell or unable to come to church. Please let us know if you would like a visit from someone in the ministry team or if you would prefer a visit from one of the Pastoral Group. If you know of someone who is in hospital or ill at home please let us know.

If you are unable to attend church and would like to receive Home Communion, please contact a member of the Ministry Team listed below. We are always happy to bring the church to you if you are unable to come.

We all need to take care of one another, especially now during a vacancy.

If you require pastoral care, hospital visits or have any other enquiries please contact a member of the Ministry Team.

Canon Bill McAusland 01382 737721, Bill McFawns (Lay Reader) 01382 370367, Linda Walls (Lay Reader) 01382 533107.

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