



Ferryhill Parish Church

The Church of Scotland

Sunday 9 July 2017

11 a.m.



You are very welcome to Ferryhill Parish Church. Please sit wherever you like. If you are visiting then please sign the visitors' book in the foyer. Children are always welcome and the foyer is available during the service should you wish to use it.

Please note that we are experimenting with live streaming of worship. If you do not wish to be seen on the broadcast stream, the seating below the gallery and in the gallery is beyond the view of the cameras.

Today's worship is led by:

Peter Johnston (Minister)
Graeme Roberts (Reader)
Kevin Haggart (Organist)
Louise Robertson (Beadle)

The flowers today have been donated by Frances Gauld, remembering Hector with love.



Gathering Song Jubilate, everybody CH 65

Call to Worship

Leader: All the earth be joyful!

All: We worship God with gladness.

Leader: Know that God is good

All: and in his goodness made us his people.

Leader: Enter his home, be welcome.

All: We give thanks for his generosity.

Leader: The Lord is good,
his faithful love endures forever.
Let us worship God.

Praise All people that on earth do dwell CH 63

Welcome and Church Notices

Reading John 1:14-17

Opening Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us the wrong we have done,
as we forgive those who have wronged us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from
evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are

yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Reading

Psalm 100

Reflection

Praise

Sing to the Lord a joyful song

CH 184

Message

A Joyful Celebration

Praise

I will enter his gates

MP 307

I will enter his gates with thanksgiving in my heart,
I will enter his courts with praise;
I will say, "This is the day that the Lord has made,
I will rejoice for he has made me glad."
He has made me glad, he has made me glad;

I will rejoice for he has made me glad.
He has made me glad, he has made me glad;
I will rejoice for he has made me glad.

The Offering

Offering Praise

Through the love of God, our Saviour

CH 562

Act of Dedication

Please remain standing

God in our words
and in our material offerings
in our work
and in our service.
May we always find a way
to praise you for all that you are
and for all that you created us to be.
Amen.

Prayers for Others

Praise

All my days

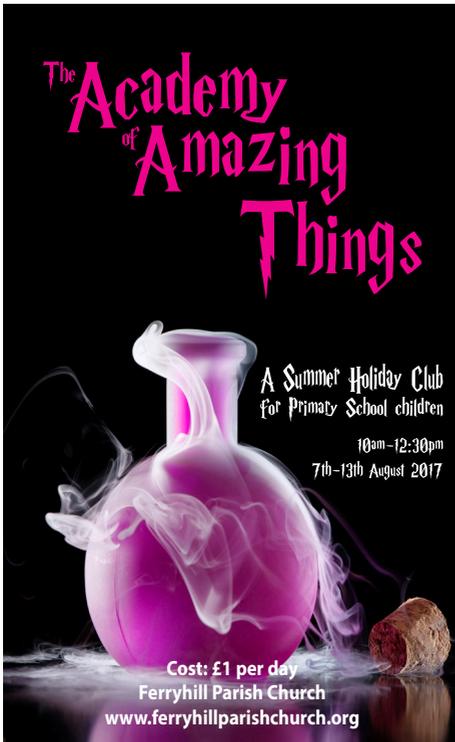
CH 467

Sending

Sung Amen

Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.

Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.



**The Academy
of Amazing
Things**

A Summer Holiday Club
for Primary School children

10am-12:30pm
7th-13th August 2017

Cost: £1 per day
Ferryhill Parish Church
www.ferryhillparishchurch.org

SUMMER CLUB PLACES ARE STILL AVAILABLE!

We have another amazing week planned for **Monday 7 to Sunday 13 August** 2017 for primary school children in the company of Nutty Professor A.M.A.Zing who will baffle and excite with extraordinary experiments from his mobile laboratory!

We will have many games, songs, crafts and activities as usual. This year we are going to use the story of Moses and the escape from Egypt ("The Prince of Egypt" film follows this story) and will think about the different parts of that story and how it still speaks us today about the themes of belonging, listening, trusting, protecting, and more.



1. **Flower Rota:** The Flower Rota for 2017/2018 is posted in the Atrium. If you would like to sign up for a donation spot to help cover costs, please add your name. Thank you!
2. **Holidays:** Please note that Lynda Johnston, our Administrator will be on holiday from **10 to 15 July**. Additionally during the months of July and August Lynda will be working 12 hours only and will not be in the church office on Fridays.
3. **Polmuir Bowling Club Gala Day:** Join the fun on **Saturday 22 July** at Polmuir Bowling Club, Polmuir Road, Aberdeen between 2 and 4:30 p.m. Come and pick up something tasty from the homabakes stall, browse the book and music stall and pick up a raffle ticket at the same time! Entry costs £2 adults/50p children. Non-members are welcome.
4. **Hymn Requests:** On 6th August, the service will focus on praising God with joyful music. If there is a hymn that you would like to suggest which you particularly enjoy singing, please fill in the slip in the pew leaflet and return it to the box in the foyer by **Sunday 23rd July**.
5. **Kids@Ferryhill: Throughout July** Kids@Ferryhill will be holding a session in the large hall on **Friday mornings**. The session is aimed at newborns and pre-school children but older siblings are welcome. Each session costs £3 per family and will run from 9:30 a.m. until 11:15 a.m.
6. **Parish News:** The deadline for the Autumn issue of Parish News is **6 August**. Please pass any items for inclusion to Shelagh Bain, Editor, before that date.
7. **Summer Club Appeal:** The Summer Club helpers are looking for plastic milk bottle lids (any colour), brightly coloured wool and empty toilet roll tubes. If you are able to help, please put them in the box provided in the Atrium. Thank you.
8. **Instant Neighbour:** Due to increasing demand for assistance please continue to support Instant Neighbour by leaving your donations of non-perishable items in the trolley which you will find in the Atrium during the week and in the Foyer on Sundays.

Useful Information



Eco-Tip

Summer holidays - beware of 'all-inclusive'

As convenient as it may be to have all your meals in the hotel, it can be detrimental to the local economy that may rely on income from tourists. All-inclusive resorts have a tendency to source food cheaply, which doesn't necessarily mean locally, so explore outside the resort to help support the community. Eat at local, independent restaurants – that's where the best and most authentic food is anyway!



Contacts

Please contact the Minister, Rev Peter Johnston, for information about Church Membership, Baptism, or being married in Church, or complete one of the cards available in the Hymn Book and hand it in as you leave.

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at Ferryhill**