

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 8th March 2020 10:30am

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The Church of Scotland

“Jesus talks about the Cross”

TODAY'S SERVICE

Welcome and Introduction

Hymn: On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross

Bible Reading: John 12 : 20—36

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Introduction to the Message

Prayer including the Lord's Prayer

Hymn: Father God I wonder (children in Session Room)

The Bible Speaks Today

Hymn of the Month: Liturgy of the Hours

The Bible Speaks Today

Hymn: Jesus be the centre (children return)

Offering We give out of a sense of thanks to God, recognising his love for us is beyond measure. If you are a guest with us today, please do not feel you have to give.

Prayer for Others

Hymn: How deep the Father's love for us

THE BLESSING

When I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to me."

(Joh 12:32)



For more information about anything in the Bulletin, snap the QR code or visit grantonchurch.org.uk

Call to Action - this week's checklist

	Lent Breakfast's On 29th March, 5th and 12th April. Warm welcome, warm croissants, good chat. Save the dates and put it in your diary!
	Remember we are Inviting as many people to church as we can. Put a marble in the jar to record every time you invite someone.
	After Easter Thought For The Day will be spending the year going through Matthew. Together we can spend a year journeying with Jesus story.
	Today is our first Soup and Sweet lunch. Everyone is welcome. Just bring your appetite!
	Free Bike repairing session on Thursday 12th March between 4-6 PM at West Hall.

Regular events - full details on the yellow sheet

Monday 9th March	5.30pm	Brownies/Guides/Rangers	East /West Hall
Tuesday 10th March	1.30pm	Ladies Fellowship	West Hall
Tuesday 10th March	2pm	Indoor Bowls	East Hall
Wednesday 11th March	12 noon	Lunch Club	West Hall
Wednesday 11th March	3pm	Share 'n' Wear	West Hall
Wednesday 11th March	6.15pm	Boys' Brigade	East Hall
Thursday 12th March	10am	Kirsty's Coffee Morning	West Hall
Thursday 12th March	2pm	Indoor Bowls	East Hall
Thursday 12th March	4.30pm	Share 'n' Wear	West Hall
Friday 13th March	11am	Magic Carpet Club	East Hall
Friday 13th March	12 noon	Share 'n' Wear	West Hall
Sunday 22nd March	3.30pm	Messy Church	Church/Halls
Monday 16th March	5.30pm	Brownies/Guides/Rangers	East /West Hall

Welcome to our service this morning. It is nice to have you with us and we hope you will enjoy your time here.

If you'd like to find out about the groups that meet in our church pick up a copy of our life@Granton leaflet - there should be some at the end of each row of seats.
- or ask any of the Welcome Team for one.



In Brief - more on the website

more details at grantonchurch.org.uk - mobile friendly - snap the QR code



Music Group

Our lively music group usually meets on Sunday morning at 9.45am, so if you enjoy singing or play a musical instrument do pop along, or speak to Karen Docwra.

Prayer after The Service

There are times when people need specific prayer for specific situations and do not wish to ask in the 'prayers for others'. Members of the Ministry Team are available for anyone who wishes prayer after the service.

Lent Studies

Fancy a free Breakfast? There is a catch! Sundays 29th March, 5th and 12th April we are offering a free continental breakfast to anyone as part of our Lent Studies program. This year the breakfast are designed to encourage discussion around the theme of Easter Celebration.

New Staff Appointment

On 22nd March we will be joined by the Reverend Sarah Smith from Atlanta, Georgia, USA. Sarah will be with us for a year as she familiarises herself with how we do things in the Church of Scotland.

Faith Conversation

Part of our role as a church is to help people grow in their faith. Norman and David are offering to meet with anyone who wants to explore what that might mean for them.

Lost your marbles?

Every time you invite someone to church, remember to put a marble in the jar. Our aim is to pass 100 marbles in the March

alone!

Thought for the Day

After Easter TFTD will be spending a year travelling through the Gospel of Matthew. This is a chance to spend time together living with the story of Jesus life on daily basis. Sign up with others and have something in common to talk about! Go to grantonchurch.org.uk/tftd

Lent is a time of preparation for Easter. The reason people give up something is to understand what it means to sacrifice. If you are going to meaningfully mark Lent think about what will be a meaningful sacrifice for the next 6 weeks. Giving up chocolate when you don't eat it is not embracing Lent! #MakeLentMeaningful

Free **bike repairing session** on Thursday 12th March between 4-6 PM at West Hall.

Pastoral Visits - help keep folk on our radar!

Let us know when people would appreciate a visit from church

Matthew Jeorett & Stuart Mitchell will be performing on stage in the Scottish Comedy 'Passing Places'. 21—25th April, tickets priced at £12/£10. more details on the web.

If you don't have access to the web, speak to any of the welcome team and we'll get a printed version for you.. If there is a name that you don't recognise, just ask any of the Welcome Team

(s) swap	8 March	15 March
Beadle	Jim	Chas
Welcome lead	Linda	Linda
Outer welcome	Ian M	Malky
	Stewart	Ruth
Inner welcome	Josh	Gillian
Front Welcome	Kirsty	Niall
Reader	Pauline	Anne
Count Leader	Stuart	David D
Offering	Gillian	Irene
	Ian M	Sandra C
Sound Desk	Anne	Ian McL
Teas and Coffees	Elizabeth H	Margaret M
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Coming Up....all the details at grantonchurch.org.uk

SUN 08 MAR 11.30 - 12.30
Soup & Sweet Lunch

THU 12 MAR 18:00 – 19:00
Church Meeting for Prayer

SAT 14 MAR 09:00 – 10:00
Men's Breakfast

FRI 20 MAR 18:30 – 20:00
Family Film Night

SUN 22 MAR 15:30 – 17:00
Messy Church

THU 26 MAR 19:30
Kirk Session

SAT 28th MAR 10:00 - 3:00
Leadership Away Day

SUN 29th MAR 09:00 - 09:45
Lent Breakfast

THU 09 APR 18:00 – 19:00
Church Meeting for Prayer

SAT 11 APR 09:00 – 10:00
Men's Breakfast

MON - FRI 11 - 15 APR 19:00
Holy Week Services

SUN 12 APR 09:00 - 09:45
Easter Lent Breakfast

TUE 21 APR 19:30 – 18:00
Worship Group meeting