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Welcome to our service. Today the Rev. Lorna H Tunstall will preach as sole nominee. We hope you enjoy worshipping with us.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Introit

Call to worship

HYMN: 147 – All creatures of our God and King

- 1 All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing
alleluia, alleluia!
Bright brother sun with golden beam,
clear sister moon with softer gleam :
*O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia !*
- 2 Swift rushing wind, so wild and strong,
high clouds that sail in heaven along,
O praise him, alleluia !
New-breaking dawn, in praise rejoice,
and lights of evening, find a voice :
- 3 Cool flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for your Lord to hear,
alleluia, alleluia !
Fire, with your flames so fierce and bright,
giving to all both warmth and light :
- 4 Dear mother earth, who day by day
unfolds God's blessings on our way,
O praise him, alleluia !
All flowers and fruits that in you grow,
let them his glory also show :
- 5 And all who are of tender heart,
forgiving others, take your part,
O praise him, alleluia !
All who long pain and sorrow bear,
praise God and cast on him your care :

- 6 And you, most kind and gentle death,
waiting to hush our fading breath,
O praise him, alleluia!
You homeward lead the child of God,
and Christ our Lord the way has trod :

- 7 Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship God in humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One :

St Francis of Assisi (1182 – 1226)
translated William Henry Draper (1855 – 1933)

Prayer of adoration, confession and supplication with Lord's Prayer

All Age Talk

HYMN: 465 – Be thou my vision

- 1 Be thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart ;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art ;
thou my best thought in the day or the night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

- 2 Be thou my Wisdom, be thou my true Word ;
I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord ;
thou my great Father : thine own I would be ;
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

- 3 Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight ;
be thou my dignity, thou my delight,
thou my soul's shelter, and thou my high tower ;
raise thou me heavenward, O Power of my power.

- 4 Riches I heed not, nor earth's empty praise,
thou mine inheritance, now and always ;
thou, and thou only, the first in my heart,
High King of Heaven, my treasure thou art.

- 5 High King of Heaven, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun !

Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

Irish, 8th century
translated Mary Elizabeth Byrne (1880 – 1931)
revised Eleanor Henrietta Hull (1860 – 1935)
Music Irish traditional melody
harmonised David Evans (1874 – 1948)

Readings: Old Testament 1 Samuel 3: 1-10 (NIV)
Gospel – John 1: 43-51 (NIV)

The LORD Calls Samuel

3 The boy Samuel ministered before the LORD under Eli. In those days the word of the LORD was rare; there were not many visions. **2** One night Eli, whose eyes were becoming so weak that he could barely see, was lying down in his usual place. **3** The lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the house of the LORD, where the ark of God was. **4** Then the LORD called Samuel.

Samuel answered, "Here I am." **5** And he ran to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me."

But Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down." So he went and lay down.

6 Again the LORD called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me."

"My son," Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down."

7 Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD: The word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him.

8 A third time the LORD called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me."

Then Eli realized that the LORD was calling the boy. **9** So Eli told Samuel, "Go and lie down, and if he calls you, say, 'Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

10 The LORD came and stood there, calling as at the other times, "Samuel! Samuel!"

Then Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

Jesus Calls Philip and Nathanael

43 The next day Jesus decided to leave for Galilee. Finding Philip, he said to him, "Follow me."

44 Philip, like Andrew and Peter, was from the town of Bethsaida. **45** Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found

the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.”
46 “Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?” Nathanael asked.

“Come and see,” said Philip.

47 When Jesus saw Nathanael approaching, he said of him, “Here truly is an Israelite in whom there is no deceit.”

48 “How do you know me?” Nathanael asked.

Jesus answered, “I saw you while you were still under the fig tree before Philip called you.”

49 Then Nathanael declared, “Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the king of Israel.”

50 Jesus said, “You believe^[a] because I told you I saw you under the fig tree. You will see greater things than that.” 51 He then added, “Very truly I tell you,^[b] you^[c] will see ‘heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending on’^[d] the Son of Man.”

HYMN: 553 – Just as I am, without one plea

- 1 Just as I am, without one plea
but that your blood was shed for me,
and that you call us, ‘Come to me’,
O Lamb of God, I come.
- 2 Just as I am, though tossed about
with many a conflict, many a doubt,
and fears within, without,
O Lamb of God, I come.
- 3 Just as I am you will receive,
will welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve ;
because your promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come.
- 4 Just as I am — your love unknown
has broken every barrier down —
now to be yours, and yours alone,
O Lamb of God, I come.
- 5 Just as I am, of that free love
the breadth, length, depth, and height to prove,
here for a season, then above —
O Lamb of God, I come.

Sermon

Choir Anthem

HYMN: 502 – Take my life, Lord, let it be

- 1 Take my life, Lord, let it be
consecrated, glad, and free ;
take my moments and my days,
let them flow in ceaseless praise.
- 2 Take my hands, and let them move
at the impulse of your love ;
take my feet, that I may run
bearing news of Christ your Son.
- 3 Take my voice, and let me sing
always, only, for my King ;
take my intellect and use
every power as you shall choose.
- 4 Take my will — your will be done,
may my will and yours be one ;
take my heart — it is your own,
it shall be your royal throne.
- 5 Take my love — my Lord, I pour
at your feet its treasure-store ;
take myself, and I will be
all for you, eternally.

Frances Ridley Havergal (1836 - 1879)
Music Wenzel Muller (1747 - 1835)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

HYMN: 192: All my hope on God is founded

- 1 All my hope on God is founded,
all my trust he will renew ;
safe through change and chance he guides me,
only good and only true.
God unknown,
he alone

calls my heart to be his own.

- 2 Human pride and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray God's trust ;
though with care and toil we build them,
tower and temple fall to dust.
But God's power,
hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.
- 3 God's great goodness lasts for ever,
deep his wisdom passing thought :
splendour, light, and life attend him,
beauty springing out of naught.
Evermore,
from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.
- 4 Day by day the mighty Giver
showers gifts on us below ;
his desire our souls delight in,
pleasure leads us where we go.
See love stand
at his hand,
joy awaits at his command !
- 5 Still from earth to God in heaven
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Hear Christ call
one and all :
those who follow shall not fall.

Robert Bridges (1844 – 1930)

Based on Joachim Neander (1650 – 1680)

Music John Ambrose Lloyd

Benediction and three-fold AMEN

Please come and join us for tea and coffee in the hall

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TEA BREAK every Sunday in St James hall, Fort Street.



Come and enjoy coffee, tea, scones and cakes from 1.30pm to 4pm. Donations will go to local charities



Short service in **SHIELL COURT**
Tuesday 10 September at 2pm
All welcome

COFFEE and CHAT
Wednesday 11 September
10am to 12 noon

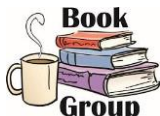
Come along and enjoy FREE coffee/tea and a piece of delicious cake or a scone. Enjoy some great company, a chance to meet up with old friends or make some new ones.
Everyone welcome.

The **MEN'S GROUP** is a monthly get-together of men in the congregation to meet and socialise. We meet normally on the second Wednesday of the month and have a varied programme of visits, lunches, coffees etc. Our first meeting of the new session will be at Longparke Cafe, Monifieth for coffee and cake on Wednesday 11 September at 2.30pm.

We are keen to attract new members from across the congregation. If you are interested please contact Graham McKee on 07802 527223.

**PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A CHANGE TO THE PREVIOUSLY
ADVERTISED MEET**

Wednesday 11 September at 7.30pm
Bible Study at St Aidan's



The Book Group will meet on Thursday, 12th September at 2.00pm in Room 1 Barnhill St Margaret's Church Hall. The book to be discussed is "The House Across the Street" by Lesley Pearse.
New members most welcome.

Please contact Norma McDonald for further information.

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KIRK SESSION meet on Tuesday 17 September
at 7pm in Barnhill St Margaret's hall.

Barnhill Blethers

Fortnightly at 1.30pm - 3.30pm in Barnhill Community Centre,
Campfield Square DD5 2PU

Come and join us for a cuppa and a chat, information sharing
and free fun activities in a warm friendly space.

Everyone welcome.

Forthcoming meetings:

12 September: Virtual reality session

26 September: Fire safety at home