

CHURCH NEWS

Monday	12th		
Tuesday	13th		
Wednesday	14th		
Thursday	15th	Banner Group	7.30pm (Church Hall)
Friday	16th		
Saturday	17th		
Sunday	18th	Morning Worship	9.30am (Dunbarney) 11.00am (Forgandenny)

VISITORS – We warmly welcome you to Dunbarney and Forgandenny Parish Church and invite you to stay for tea or coffee following the service. We would also be grateful if you could sign our Visitor's book which is located on a table as you enter the church. May you know God's presence and peace as you worship him along with us today. Copies of our Church magazine, Parish Voice, are available in the vestibule of the Church. Please feel free to take one.

PASTORAL CARE – Allan is on holiday with his family from Wednesday 7th July to Wednesday 28th July inclusive. Any pastoral concerns should be directed to the Rev Alec Wark (Abernethy and Dron and Arngask) Telephone 850607.

NEXT WEEK: Next week's services will be conducted by Mr John Laing.

EXPLORER SCOUTS INDOOR YARD SALE – Saturday 17th July 10.00am – 5.00pm in the Scout Hut, Bridge of Earn. The sale is to raise money for Explorer Scouts who are going to Malawi with Scottish Scouting for 5 weeks to work on aid projects. Malawi is a land-locked country in Africa and one of the least developed and most densely populated countries in the world. Donations for the sale would be welcome. Either bring them along on the day or phone Rosemary Nicoll on 812938 to arrange collection. Thank you.

THE CHURCH OFFICE will be closed on Wednesday 21st and Friday 23rd July. All intimations for Sunday 25th July should be in the office by 9.00am on Friday 16th. Thank you.

A COMMUNITY LITTER PICK will take place on Saturday 24th July, meeting at Bridge of Earn Institute at 10.00am and returning at 11.00 for refreshments. All equipment supplied (litter picks, tabards, gloves, etc). Please come along and bring the family. For more information, call 813516.

THE SYDENHAM SINGERS – A concert has been arranged for Tuesday 3rd August 2010 at 7.30pm in St. Ninian's Cathedral, North Methven St. Perth. The Sydenham Singers is a mixed voice choir with a range of ages and the programme will include ballads, folk songs, popular classics, sacred music and songs from the shows. The proceeds will be shared between Christian Aid and Perth Cathedral Music. Tickets are priced £5 (inc. refreshments) from the Church Office (office open Wednesdays and Fridays: 9.00am to 12 noon).

CONCERT WITH A SCOTTISH FLAVOUR Dunbarney social committee are organising a concert in the Institute on Friday 6th August at 7.30pm. To entertain us are our local accordionist, Steven Carcary, and Ian Lees from Radio Tay, with local young talent – singers, dancers and musicians. Please come along and support this evening with a Scottish flavour. Tickets, £5 for adults and £2 for children, available from committee members.

ROCKY'S PLAICE All children currently in P1 – P7 are invited to come along and join in all the fun of this year's Holiday Club from 9th to 13th August in the Church Hall. Songs, games, crafts, bible stories and much more. For more information and to book a pla(i)ce, call Jolly James (aka Moira) on 812657.

PROM PRAISE SCOTLAND 2010 – The Concert Hall, Perth, Friday 13th August at 7.30pm. This is a delightful blend of sacred and concert music, a unique and joyful fusion of performance with worship, combining the spirit of Songs of Praise with the world famous last night of the Proms. Presented by the All Soul Orchestra under the direction of Noël Tredinnick, Prom Praise is a feast of orchestral and solo music as well as opportunities for the audience to join in singing favourite hymns and worship songs. Tickets £10.50, £15, £17.50 from the Box Office (Tel: 621031) or online www.horsecross.co.uk Leaflets are available to take away at entrance to Church. Please take one.

RECIPE BOOK The Dunbarney Women's Group are going to prepare a new Recipe Book to celebrate their 20th Anniversary. We would welcome any recipes you can recommend, for consideration for inclusion. Please either hand recipes to Charlene Hunter or email to Caroline Haddow on chaddow52@hotmail.com. Many thanks.

MY FAVOURITE HYMN – A search is underway to find the congregation's favourite hymn. Complete the form (available at entrance to church) with the title of your top three favourite hymns and the reasons why you like them, and then post the completed form in the designated box. In the autumn we will have a special praise service when we will sing these favourite hymns. What will your favourite hymn be?

TODAY'S SERVICE

Dunbarney Church		Forgandenny Church	
Organist	Mr Geoff Bolton	Organist	Mrs Joan Blue
Readers	Mrs Christian Macdonald	Reader	Mr Steve Marlow



Dunbarney Church is fitted with a loop system downstairs.
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TEA & COFFEE - Following the service at each Church today, you are welcome to join us for tea or coffee and a chance to get to know one another.

LARGE PRINT HYMN BOOKS – They are available and are identifiable by a white marker on the spine.

Please keep this order of service for reference, or give it to someone who cannot attend Church this morning.

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# DIRECTORY

## Minister

Rev. Allan J. Wilson 812211

## Session Clerk

Mr. Bill Paterson 812340

## Deputy Session Clerk

Mr. Norman Pedgrift 812507

## Secretary (Wed & Fri 9-12noon)

Mrs. Anne Rodgie 812463

## Child Protection Coordinator

Mr. Steve Fulton 813516

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### Pause for thought

“The Lord sees not as man sees; man looks on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart.”  
Ch 16, v 7.



11<sup>th</sup> July 2010

## Sunday Worship

### WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We warmly welcome you to Dunbarney and Forgandenny Parish Church and pray that as you worship with us today, you will know God's presence and find warmth in our church family. Today we welcome the **Rev Robert (Bob) P. Sloan** who will lead worship.

### Welcome & Church News Call to Worship

*We approach God  
and come into His  
presence*

**Hymn 113** – God the Father of Creation

### Prayer

**Hymn 493** – It's Me, It's Me, O Lord

### Scripture Readings

1 Samuel 15:10 - 23

*(RSV - p.252/218, GNB - p.280)*

1 Samuel 16:1 - 7

*(RSV - p.253/218, GNB - p.281)*

*We listen to and  
learn from God's  
Word*

**Hymn 482** – Come, Let Us To the Lord Our God

### SERMON

**Hymn 502** – Take My Life, Lord

### Offering

*[Hymn 807]*

### Prayer

**Hymn 577** – Christ Be Beside Me

### Benediction

*We respond to  
God's Word and  
go in peace*

### Prayer of Preparation

Sovereign God, help us, as we gather here once more, truly to focus on you; to direct our thoughts away from the pressures, demands and responsibilities of another week; away from anxieties and difficulties, trivial distractions and irrelevancies. Help us to listen again to your word and hear what you would say to us, so that we might return to the daily routine, whatever it may hold, strengthened and encouraged. Amen

### PRAYER CORNER

This information is given so that you may "Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn." (Romans 12: 15). Please pray for them.

### Prayer focus for the week from CARE: SEAFARERS

**SEA SUNDAY** (Today) Almighty God, we commit to You the world's 1.2 million seafarers who are for much of their lives on a constant journey, many miles from home and missing the support of family and friends. Please strengthen the weary, lift up the downhearted and guide each vessel back to safe havens. Amen.

Remember the work of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI), with over 300 lifeboats largely manned by volunteers and the Maritime and Coastguard Agency.

Intercede for everybody who is caught up in the piracy crisis in the seas off the Somali coast; that governments and other agencies would have the will and the wisdom to pursue the perpetrators of this violent and lawless practice.

Father, please draw near to the many foreign seamen who have very poor living conditions, are badly treated and poorly paid. Protect and guard them from storms, accidents and other perils facing them as they work on the high seas. Amen.

**THANKSGIVING:** Thank God for the British and International Sailors Society, The Mission to Seafarers and the many City Missions reaching out to those who work at sea. Pray for chaplains and outreach workers as they bring spiritual and practical support to seafarers.

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