

PAUSE FOR THOUGHT

Jesus has blessed us with healing and longer lives through his prescriptions for healthy living.

Are you 'filling' this prescription?



Bible Reading Challenge

This Challenge is based on carefully selected short Bible passages — 50 from the Old Testament and 50 from the New Testament — that helps you get the big picture of the Bible.

Set aside a special time and place to read the Bible each day. **PRAY** before you read, asking God to help you understand. **READ** the Bible passage, and then **REFLECT** on the passage. The number shown in the brackets relates to the reflection in the helpful study guide.



WEEK 26

OT

Israel's Disobedience (26)

Judges 2:6–3:6

NT

The Road to Damascus (76)

PRAYER FOCUS FOR THE WEEK: HEALTH SERVICE CHALLENGES



Lord, our Great Physician, please grant Your gifts of love, wisdom, integrity and knowledge to those who work in health organisations throughout the world. Amen.

Please remember GPs, district nurses, health visitors, midwives, Allied Health Workers and chaplains, who are often under pressure as they work in community-based services outside of hospital buildings.

Give thanks for the many healthcare staff who come from overseas, without whom the NHS could not function. Pray that they will flourish in their areas of expertise and feel valued for the contribution they make.

Lord, we pray for the NHS as demands grow whilst resources are so stretched. Give clear insight and vision to those responsible for future policies and plans, and wisdom and determination to staff who have to find solutions to urgent problems. Amen.

THANKSGIVING: for the vision of our NHS, set up 70 years ago 'to meet the needs of everyone and be free at the point of delivery', which has made an incredible difference to countless people's lives.

Remember staff in A&E departments, the ambulance services and minor injury units, as each day they care for increasing numbers of patients with fewer resources. Pray that they may be able to deal firmly with abusive people and be sustained in times of particular

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DUNBARNEY AND FORGANDENNY PARISH CHURCH

SUNDAY WORSHIP

1ST JULY 2018

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

You enter this church, not as a stranger, but as a guest of God. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into God's presence, offering God your love and service. As you worship amongst us today, may you experience God's comforting presence and warmth.

Welcome Everybody

MP 712 - Turn your eyes upon Jesus

Church News Call to Worship

Hymn 103 - Fill your hearts with joy and gladness

[Tune: 'Regent Square' No-110]

Opening Prayer

MP 99 - Come on and Celebrate/**MP 454** - Majesty

Bible Reading

Mark 5: 21-43

(RSV – p.37/819; GNB - p.52)

Pause for Reflection

Hymn 598 - Come, Holy Ghost, our hearts inspire

Sermon

Hymn 724 - Christ's is the world in which we move

Prayer for Others

Offering & Prayer of Dedication

Hymn 622 - We sing a love that sets all people free

Benediction

Prayer of Preparation

Sovereign God, give us a sense of your nearness as we worship you, so that we might hear your voice and learn more of your love in Christ. Teach us through his life and ministry, and through all those who, across the years, have experienced his power and felt the touch of his hand in their lives, to respond in turn, bringing our broken lives and broken world to him and opening all to his healing, restoring and life-giving love. Amen

CHURCH NEWS

Monday	2nd		
Tuesday	3rd		
Wednesday	4th		
Thursday	5th		
Friday	6th		
Saturday	7th		
Sunday	8th	Morning Worship	10.30am (Dunbarney)

VISITORS: Welcome to Dunbarney and Forgandenny Parish Church. We're delighted you are here today. Following the service, please stay and join us for tea or coffee. We would also be grateful if you could sign our Visitor's Book, which is on a table as you enter the church and feel free to take a copy of our Church magazine, Parish Voice. Both Church buildings are fitted with a loop system.



JOINT SUMMER SERVICES At a recent Kirk Session meeting it was agreed that the services during July and the first week of August would take the form of joint services at 10.30am at alternating Churches. To facilitate this, mini buses will be run, the route they take depending on the convenience of the people using them. We would encourage as many people as possible to make use of this and hope to find an increased feeling of oneness as a result.

DATE	LOCATION
1st July	Forgandenny Church
8th July	Dunbarney Church
15th July	Forgandenny Church
22nd July	Dunbarney Church
29th July	Forgandenny Church
5th August	Dunbarney Church

STRAWBERRY TEA Forteviot Church invite you to a Strawberry tea to be held in Forteviot Hall on Saturday 8th July at 2.00pm. £3 in aid of Church and village funds.

TRAUMA TEDDIES LAUNCHED IN PERTH AND KINROSS This might be of interest to any knitters. After the huge success of Trauma Teddies in Dundee, officers are asking knitters in Perth and Kinross to use their skills and knit some small teddies, which would be given to small children who come into contact with the police through upsetting circumstances. You can pick up the teddy pattern from the vestibule of either Church. If you leave the teddies at the Church/session house, John Prior will hand them in to the Perth station.

PERTH ALIVE is being held on the North Inch on Saturday 25th August from 12.00pm to 4.00pm. The organising committee are keen to get people to volunteer to help on the day. There is a sheet in the vestibule in each church where people can sign up to help in various ways on the day.

TODAY'S SERVICE

Dunbarney Church	Forgandenny Church
Organist: Reader:	Organist: Mrs Joan Blue Reader: Mr Jack Blair

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

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