



# DUNBARNEY AND FORGANDENNY PARISH CHURCH

## SUNDAY WORSHIP - 10<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2024

SUNDAY-SERVICE PHONE NO: 01738-239392

We warmly welcome you to our congregation and extend Christian greetings to you. You enter this church, not as a stranger but as a guest of God and as a friend of those who have gathered here today. So come into God's presence with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips and offer God your love and service. As you do so, may you experience God's loving presence, peace and hope.

### **Prayer of Preparation**

Sovereign God, on this day of remembering, remind us how much we owe to others and how much we owe to you. Help us to learn the lessons of the past, and also the present, honouring all who have served in battle and continue to serve, by doing everything we can to promote peace, justice and harmony and putting the good of others before our own, just as you in Christ gave your all. Amen.

### **Welcome & Church News** **Call to Worship**



**Hymn 161** – O God our help in ages past [5 verses]

### **Prayer**

### **Bible Reading**

Mark 12: 38-44

**Hymn 721** – We lay our broken world

### **Address**

(inc. Act of Commitment)

**Hymn 527** – Lord, make us servants of your peace

### **Offering**

### **Prayer for Others**

**Hymn 159** – Lord for the years [4 verses]

### **Benediction**

The National Anthem [Hymn 703]



REMEMBRANCE

**Our Mission Statement:** To be a place of Christian worship and outreach and a hub for the community enabling people to connect with Jesus and one another.



## **Hymn 161**

**O God, our help in ages past,**  
our hope for years to come,  
our shelter from the stormy blast,  
and our eternal home!

2. Under the shadow of thy throne  
thy saints have dwelt secure;  
sufficient is thine arm alone,  
and our defence is sure.

2. Before the hills in order stood,  
or earth received her frame,  
from everlasting thou art God,  
to endless years the same.

3. A thousand ages in thy sight  
are like an evening gone;  
short as the watch that ends the night  
before the rising sun.

4. Time, like an ever-rolling stream,  
bears all its sons away;  
they fly forgotten, as a dream  
dies at the opening day.

5. O God, our help in ages past,  
our hope for years to come,  
be thou our guard while troubles last,  
and our eternal home.

## **Hymn 721**

**We lay our broken world**  
in sorrow at your feet,  
haunted by hunger, war, and fear,  
oppressed by power and hate.

2. Here human life seems less  
than profit, might, and pride,  
though to unite us all in you,  
you lived and loved and died.

3. We bring our broken towns,  
our neighbours hurt and bruised;  
you show us how old pain and wounds  
for new life can be used.

4. We bring our broken loves,  
friends parted, families torn;  
then in your life and death we see  
that love must be reborn.

5. We bring our broken selves,  
confused and closed and tired;  
then through your gift of healing grace  
new purpose is inspired.

6. Come Spirit, on us breathe,  
with life and strength anew;  
find in us love, and hope, and trust,  
and lift us up to you.

## **Hymn 527**

**Lord, make us servants of  
your peace:**

where there is hate, may we sow  
love;  
where there is hurt, may we  
forgive;  
where there is strife, may we  
make one.

2. Where all is doubt, may we sow faith;  
where all is gloom, may we sow hope;  
where all is night, may we sow light;  
where all is tears, may we sow joy.

3. Jesus, our Lord, may we not seek  
to be consoled, but to console,  
nor look to understanding hearts,  
but look for hearts to understand.

4. May we not look for love's return,  
but seek to love unselfishly,  
for in our giving we receive,  
and in forgiving are forgiven.

5. Dying, we live, and are reborn  
through death's dark night to  
endless day;  
Lord, make us servants of your  
peace  
to wake at last in heaven's light.

### **Hymn 159**

**Lord, for the years your love  
has kept and guided,**  
urged and inspired us, cheered us  
on our way,  
sought us and saved us,  
pardoned and provided,  
Lord of the years, we bring our  
thanks today.

2. Lord, for that word, the Word  
of life which fires us,  
speaks to our hearts and sets our  
souls ablaze,  
teaches and trains, rebukes us  
and inspires us,  
Lord of the word, receive your  
people's praise.

3. Lord, for our world; when we  
disown and doubt him,  
loveless in strength, and  
comfortless in pain;  
hungry and helpless, lost indeed  
without him,  
Lord of the world, we pray that  
Christ may reign.

4. Lord, for ourselves; in living  
power remake us,  
self on the cross and Christ upon  
the throne;  
past put behind us, for the future  
take us,  
Lord of our lives, to live for Christ  
alone.

### **Hymn 703**

#### **God save our gracious King!**

Long live our noble King!  
God save the King!  
Send him victorious,  
Happy and glorious,  
Long to reign over us,  
God save the King.

## THIS WEEK

<b>Monday</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup></b>	Ladies Keep Fit (More mobile) Ladies Keep Fit (Less mobile) Men's Exercise Strength Pilates Yoga	<b>9.45am</b> <b>10.45am</b> <b>3.00pm</b> <b>6.15 – 7.00pm</b> <b>7.15pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup></b>	Banner Group Carpet Bowls	<b>2.00pm</b> (Laird's Loft) <b>2.00pm</b> (Church Hall)
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	Youth Drop In	<b>6.00-8.00pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	Chatterbox Bridge Club Anna's Yoga Earn Singers	<b>9.00am</b> <b>1.30pm</b> <b>6.00 – 7.00pm</b> <b>7.30pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	Chair Keep Fit Cosy Space	<b>9.30am</b> <b>10.30-1.30pm</b> (Hall)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Worship	<b>11.00am</b> (Forgandenny)

### PRAYER FOCUS FOR THE WEEK: RESPECTING OTHERS

Almighty and everlasting God, today we gratefully remember those who died to uphold freedom and justice. Please comfort their bereaved families and grant healing and peace to all who have been wounded in body, mind and spirit. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Father, please help those who are subjected to physical, verbal, and online shaming, bullying and abuse. Grant them courage in these distressing situations. We pray too for those responsible to repent and ask for help to change their ways. Amen.

God of Grace, we intercede for a change of heart in those who communicate often with rudeness, intolerance, hatred and untruths. Please raise up people of integrity, eloquence, good humour, humility and forbearance to influence the media and wider society. Amen.

Loving Saviour, thank You for the attentive care and dignity shown by so many medical staff, carers and others who look after vulnerable people with dementia and other conditions that weaken body, mind and spirit. Please renew their strength each day. By Your grace. Amen.

Lord, we pray for people experiencing discrimination, insults or worse, motivated by racist attitudes or contempt for others deemed to be somehow 'different.' May society strongly reject such prejudice that can lead to hateful speech, intolerance and even violence. In Jesus' name Amen

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