

## APC NOTICES

### SUNDAY 16 MARCH 2025



**MINISTER:** Rev. Dr. Lynn McChlery;      **PROBATIONER MINISTER:** Alan McKay  
**YOUTH LEADER:** Michelle Livingstone      **SESSION CLERK:** Ruth Buchan

- 1 **SUNDAY WORSHIP:** This Sunday's morning's worship will be led by our Minister, Rev Dr Lynn McChlery. Alan McKay will preach.
- 2 **KIDSTEAM AND KIDSTEAM CRÈCHE:** Kidsteam for Primary Age children creche for pre-schoolers are both available after the 2nd hymn. Parents are very welcome to accompany their children but equally welcome to remain in church for the remainder of the service. We know where you are if we need you!
- 3 **WEDNESDAY WORSHIP:** We have a short service of praise, prayer, Bible readings and a short meditation on Wednesdays in the lounge from 2:00-2:30 pm. There is also an opportunity for fellowship afterwards. All welcome
- 4 **'Kirk Cafe':** The Cafe is open on **Tuesdays 10-3 pm** and **Wednesdays 11am - 3pm**. Please pop in for coffee and home baking, or better still, a great plate of home made soup for lunch! Carry-outs are also available. We are short of helpers, so if you would like to **volunteer as a member of the café staff**, please speak to **Michelle or Alan** or speak to **Gillian**, our Café Manager, when you are in! Training will be given. PS Check out our new Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61571459891333>
- 5 **FNYC:** Anyone in S1 - S6 is welcome to join us at our Youth Club on Friday nights from 7pm - 8.30pm in the Church Centre.
- 6 **S1/2 LEGO CLUB.** Lego Club is on **Wednesday lunchtimes** in Rm 108. Bring your lunch!
- 7 **HOLY SPACE: HOLY SPACE** is for anyone in S1-S6 – a time to chat and reflect and take part in a variety of activities. This Sunday we will go to Clathymore. Meet at the church at 6:00 pm.. Email Michelle on: [michelle.livingstone@achterarderparish.org](mailto:michelle.livingstone@achterarderparish.org) for details.
- 8 **APPEALS FOR HELP: THE FINANCE COMMITTEE** is looking to recruit new members and in particular would love to talk to anyone with Book-keeping or Finance experience. Anyone interested should contact Kenny MacKay on: [kennyachterarder@gmail.com](mailto:kennyachterarder@gmail.com)
- 9 **SOUND AND VISION (SAV):** The **SAV Team** is also looking for new volunteers to help with the live stream and recording of worship services, weddings and funerals – very important parts of our outreach . Training is given and help is always on hand on a Sunday. Contact Peter on: [pmstokoe@gmail.com](mailto:pmstokoe@gmail.com) to discuss.
- 10 **EASTER SERVICES:** The programme of services for Easter is available on posters and on our social media and website. <https://www.achterarderparish.org/easter-at-apc> .If you wish to attend the **Passover Meal**, please email: [admin@achterarderparish.org](mailto:admin@achterarderparish.org)

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- 11 CRAFT GROUP:** The group meets on **Tuesday 18th March at 10.30**. Some of the ladies will be working on the exhibition being put together by PKC and will be knitting butterflies and other creatures! The other project also being worked on is knitting hats, blankets, bootees etc. for the prem baby unit at Ninewells Hospital. If anyone would like to join us, use some of the patterns or donate baby wool, we would all be delighted. Quite a change from angels!
- 12 QUIZ FOR MALAWI:** There is a group of school pupils going to Malawi this year and the church is supporting this by having a Quiz Night on 27 March from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. See Michelle for further details – and why not enter a Team!
- 13 CHURCH VOLUNTEERS:** Our church relies on volunteers who willingly give their time and talents to its work. Right now, for example, we need extra help from volunteers to staff the Church Centre. If you feel you have a gift or talent, or even a willingness to 'give something a go', then please come forward and let us know. Speak to Lynn, Ruth Buchan, our Session Clerk, or your Elder when they next visit or call to find out more.
- 14 APC CHURCH MINIBUS SERVICE:** Our minibus is available on Sunday mornings for transport to and from church. If you would like to use this service, please contact us on 01764 660152, leaving your name and contact details. We would also benefit from a few extra drivers for the bus rota. If you have a driving license with a D1 on it, we will welcome you to the team. If you are interested, please speak to Mandy or Daryl.
- 15 SOCIAL MEDIA INFORMATION:** If any groups or organisations want to update information on the website or the APC Facebook page e.g. photos, programmes, events, then please contact Sandra Miller on [sandra.miller@live.co.uk](mailto:sandra.miller@live.co.uk)
- 16 CONTACTLESS PAYMENTS:** We now accept contactless payments for church events, coffee, donations etc. This allows us to use a card or smartphone to pay and reduce hands-on cash. We also have a link [Donate](#) and QR Code both here and on the website that allows online payments and donations to be made directly on the '**Giving to APC**' link.



**NB:** Please send any notices to [sandra.miller@live.co.uk](mailto:sandra.miller@live.co.uk) by **Thursday evening**. Any late Notices will be added to the Sunday Service Presentation on our YouTube channel: [Auchterarder Parish Church - YouTube](#)

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