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*As gifted by the Father, and following the leading of His Spirit, we seek the building up of Christ's church in love, reaching out with the Good News of Jesus Christ to the community of Hilton and beyond, all for God's glory.*

### Welcome!

If you are visiting with us today, please stay after the service (**10.30am**) for tea/coffee which is served in the large hall.

**Pastoral Care Team** - The Care team's role is to provide help and support in various ways. If you or someone you know needs assistance please contact:

**Margaret Lamond (tel:225494)** or email: [maggielamond162@gmail.com](mailto:maggielamond162@gmail.com)

**Caroline MacDonald (tel:230278)** or email: [edenhouse@btinternet.com](mailto:edenhouse@btinternet.com)

**Church Office (tel:233310)** or email: [office@hiltonchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@hiltonchurch.org.uk)

### Lectionary Readings:

	Passages:	Preaching:
07 Oct	Psalm 104; Mark 4:26-29	Philip & Ros Noble
14 Oct	Genesis 37:2b-36; Psalm 30:1-3	Duncan MacPherson

**Monthly Elders' Prayer Meeting:** A monthly prayer meeting for elders will take place in the small hall on the first Sunday of each month at 9am. The next meeting will be 4<sup>th</sup> November.



**Messy Church:** Messy Church will take place in the church this afternoon from 4pm to 6pm. If you would like to help out please speak to Simeon or Jonathan. Donations of home baking would be most welcome. Thank you.



**Congregation Lunch:** There will be a congregational lunch on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November following the morning service. More information will be available nearer the time.

**New Board Members Required:** The Board are looking for new Board members to take on the following roles:

- Clerk to the Board – training will be provided over the course of the next 6 months
- Data Protection Officer

To find out more, please contact Iain Ross via email [iain.ross999@gmail.com](mailto:iain.ross999@gmail.com) or 07766781287

**Hilton Church Toddlers:** Our baby & toddler groups meet in the large hall every Monday and Friday mornings during school term from 9.30 – 11.15. All parents and carers are very welcome.



**Time Out:** The next Time Out is on Wed 10<sup>th</sup> October. Start time 10:00. Crèche provided. Everyone welcome! Cards with the dates are available in the foyer. Try your hand at a new skill, felting, mosaics, card making or bring along your own project.



**Afternoon Tea:** The next monthly afternoon tea for over 60's will be on Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> October at 2pm.

**House Groups:** There are currently 2 evening house groups meeting to study bible passages and share fellowship together. If you would like to know more or would be interested in joining one of these groups contact details are below:

- Fortnightly on a Thursday - Peter Naulls (tel: 234208)
- Weekly on a Wednesday - Carolyn Cload (tel: 713799)



**TESCO BAGS OF HELP:** Hilton Parent Support Group have been accepted as one of three projects to be in-store at Tesco Inshes and Tesco Ness-side during September and October. If you shop there you may be aware that when you purchase any item you are entitled to a blue token which you can then put in the slot of the project you wish to support. If you ever shop at these Tesco stores please consider supporting Hilton Parent Support Group during this period. Thank you.

**Kingdom Tots (crèche):** We are looking for some new names to join the Kingdom Tots rota. Some of the people on the rota are currently helping/leading at both crèche and Sunday Club and some have been on the rota for a good number of years now and would like to take a break. If you feel that you could help out please speak to Jane or Iwona or email the office ([office@hiltonchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@hiltonchurch.org.uk)). You should only be required to help once every 5 or 6 weeks.



**Foodbank:** If you are able to donate, the following items will be greatly appreciated at this time: Tins of Ham, Jars of Pasta Sauce, Packets of Sweet Biscuits, Tins of Custard, Tins of Potatoes, Shower Gel/Shampoo  
Donations of supermarket 'Bags for Life' are also extremely useful. Donations can be placed in the container in the Church vestibule. The Blythswood Care Superstore on Harbour Road also receives donations from Mon to Sat, 9am to 4pm. Foodbank Contact: email - [lorna.dempster@blythswood.org](mailto:lorna.dempster@blythswood.org) or call 07875 332696



**AMP'D 2018:** A.M.P 'D is a performing arts week run by Out of the Box (Scotland) Ltd, where young people can make new friends, develop creative skills and grow in faith. Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Here in Hilton Parish Church from 10am to 4pm. For more information speak to Chris Watt or pick up a leaflet.

**Cameron House Care Home:** Cameron House is a care home run by the Church of Scotland for people living with Dementia and Alzheimer's. Do you have any spare time on your hands? Would you feel able to keep our residents linked to their community by volunteering to spend a little time with them, even on an occasional basis? Cameron House would love to invite you to spend time with our residents and be engaged in enriching their quality of life. If you would like to make an informal enquiry please contact Mrs Patricia Birse, Unit Manager on 01463 243241. Volunteers will be subject to PVG screening.

**Job Vacancy:** Highlands & Islands Youth For Christ - Part-time Admin (up to 10 hours per week/Fixed term) Please find further information and an application form on our website <https://highlandsandislands.yfc.co.uk/admin-worker-role/> Closing date for applications Friday 19th October 2018. Job description and more information available in the foyer.

**Help Required:** Highlands & Islands Youth For Christ are also looking for help during the next couple of months. Over the last 3 years we have had very successful engagements with schools during week-long visits from Youth for Christ Touring Teams The Sense and Stance. In order for the Teams to come we have to provide accommodation hosts and also meals, and at the moment we have some gaps on the upcoming visits to Inverness High School and Millburn Academy next month.

So what do we need?

Hosts - Provide B&B in your home (possible a packed lunch) for the week. (10 in the team shared out amongst various hosts)

Meals - Individuals provide meals for the team to meet together, usually in a central location where they can also debrief.

When do we need it? B&B required from Sunday evening 28th Oct - Saturday 3rd November

Meals needed from Saturday evening 3rd November - Saturday 10th November (packed lunch)

If you would like to know more, email [info@highlandsandislands.yfc.co.uk](mailto:info@highlandsandislands.yfc.co.uk)

**HTC Vacancy:** Highland Theological College UHI is looking for an ADMINISTRATOR

Full-time position, based at our main campus in Dingwall.

Full details and application form available on our website at [www.htc.uhi.ac.uk/vacancies](http://www.htc.uhi.ac.uk/vacancies)

Closing date: Monday 22nd October.

**Blythswood Vacancy:** Assistant Shop Manager - Harbour Road, Inverness

We are looking for a positive, motivated and flexible person with excellent customer care skills to assist in this busy shop. Previous retail experience is essential as is experience of working with volunteers. Blythswood's charity shops support educational, community and gospel projects in Europe, Africa and Asia. Blythswood Care is a Christian organisation and a member of Evangelical Alliance. The position is for 37.5 hours per week over 5 days between Monday and Saturday. For an application form and job description please contact: Barbara Grace on 01349 830777 or email [personnel@blythswood.org](mailto:personnel@blythswood.org) or visit our website [www.blythswood.org](http://www.blythswood.org) The closing date for completed applications is Monday 22 October 2018

**Church of Scotland Pastoral Care Conference 2018:** This will take place in Dunfermline on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November. Flyers with more details are available in the foyer.



**Christian Union at the University of the Highland and Islands (UHICU):** A newsletter is available in the foyer, please take a copy. UHI Christian Union Inverness College Campus UHI, Tuesday @ 5.30-7pm in room 106.



**Inverness Street Pastors:** Next Prayer Support Team meetings:

Sat 27th Oct 10.15 am, Coffee & Croissants, 10.30-12.30 prayer time. Morning opportunity for all who can come.

Prayer Pastors/Supporters Training Day:

Sat 13th Oct 9.30 am to 4.00 pm at the Hub - this is part of the training for those wishing to become Prayer Pastors, but it is open to ALL prayer supporters of Street Pastors and to Street

Pastors themselves who would like encouragement in praying for Street Pastors and the local communities in which they patrol - and perhaps contribute from their own experience and suggestions too! Please let Robyn (admin.inverness@streetpastors.org.uk) know as soon as you can or by Thurs 4th October, if you would like to come, so we can plan better and also let you have fuller details.

**Inverness 18-30s Upcoming Events:** Please see the poster in the link corridor for details of upcoming events. Or 'Inverness 18-30's' page on Facebook. This group is open to anyone between 18 and 30 years old. There are also copies of a newsletter in the foyer.

**The Highlands Support Refugees:** The Highlands Supports Refugees is still collecting clothes and shoes etc and needs volunteers to sort it. There is currently a desperate need for men's clothing. If you have time on a Friday morning to help with the sorting of donations, Audrey Whyte would be happy to help with transport if required. If you can let Audrey know if and when you might be available she will let you know when she is going. (audwhyte@aol.com) <https://www.facebook.com/groups/thehighlandssupportrefugees/> If you'd like to bring things to Church to be taken on to the sorting centre in Conon Bridge I'll make sure they get them. It would be very helpful if bags could be labelled, 'men's, women's or children's'. Any queries anne.katherine.thomas@gmail.com or Tel 01463731303.

**Noticeboards:** If you have any posters or notices which you wish displayed please place them in the tray on the lower shelf of the table in the foyer. Thank you.

**Bulletin by email:** If you would like to be added to the email distribution list for the weekly bulletin please let Jane know by sending an email to office@hiltonchurch.org.uk

**If you have any notices for the bulletin please make sure they are in the office by 4pm on Wednesday. Thank you. Call 233310 or email: [office@hiltonchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@hiltonchurch.org.uk)**

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### Sunday Morning Groups for Children and Young Teenagers

There are various groups meet on a Sunday morning for children and young teenagers. You will see below where each group meets. If you are new or visiting please ask for directions. The minister or person leading the service will announce when the children should leave. Parents/carers are responsible for taking their children to and from these activities. Visiting children are very welcome to join in.

- Kingdom Tots (Under 3s) & Kingdom Kids (3-5 year olds) – Small Hall
- Sunday Club Juniors (P1 – P3) – Large Hall
- Sunday Club Seniors (P4 – P6) – Downstairs in Lighthouse (meet in Large Hall)
- P7 - S2 Group – Downstairs Lighthouse

A group for S3-S6 pupils meets every Sunday evening at Jonathan's house, from 7.30pm. Please speak to Jonathan or one of the teenagers for more information.

Speaker Facility: A speaker is located in the small hall (kitchen entrance) to allow people to hear what is being said in the sanctuary. If you need to leave the sanctuary but still wish to hear the sermon, you may use this facility [especially useful for those with babies]

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