

The Well, which we already support as a congregation with a retiring offering in March, is facing a difficult financial situation. They are surviving month to month at present and need an additional £5,000 per month on top of their current income to keep going. They are working hard at the round of applications to grant awarding bodies but funding from these sources is unlikely to materialise until early 2020. To get through to 2020 an additional £20,000 is needed. Could you help by praying and, just as importantly, giving? Gifts for **The Well** can be made through the church (with the benefit of Gift Aid). If you are able to help to keep the work of The Well going, please put your gift in the offering bag in an envelope marked "The Well" or make a transfer to the church's bank account using the reference.

There will be a sandwich lunch with baking after the service on **Sunday 6th October** to which all are invited. During the service we will **commission Andrew Robertson** prior to his departure for his move to Bolivia with Latin Link. Please remember Andrew in your prayers at this time, and join us for lunch which the Guild are kindly arranging.

Not long to go until the **Big Church Weekend!** The weekend starts at 6.30pm on Friday 27th September and runs through until the morning service on Sunday 29th which will be a **Café Church and include breakfast**. There are lots of different events at different times and the weekend is for EVERYONE! You can come to all of it or just bits of it. Brochures are available on the welcome desk with the option to sign up and let us know what parts of the event you can come to.

At our **Harvest Service on 6th October** we will be receiving gifts for the **Lodging House Mission**. They particularly ask for **sugar, coffee, diluting juice, biscuits, baked beans, tinned meat and tinned vegetables**. A full list of requested items, and those not required, is on the notice board.

The **Ladies Bowling** restarts at Blairbeth on Monday 14th October at 1pm. All welcome. No experience necessary.

Our missionary partners Craig and Amanda in Bolivia have started a podcast for sharing news. This can be found at the Podbean site at <https://cramandaham.podbean.com/>. They have also updated their blog-post <https://cramandaham.blogspot.com/2019/09/are-you-listening.html>. Please remember them in your prayers.

The latest **CrossReach News** is now available on the book stand. This edition also contains the Christmas Card and Calendar Collection 2019.

There will be a meeting for **prayers for pastoral matters** at 9.45 on Tuesday morning



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WEEKLY NOTES

22nd September 2019

**We welcome you in Jesus' name to our morning worship
which will be conducted by our minister
Rev William Wilson**

Please join us for tea and coffee after the service

6.00pm Evening Worship

Tea and Coffee will be served after the service

Pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so
that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ.

Colossians 4:4

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NOTICES

Reading : 1 Kings 10:1-9 p 352
Romans 10: 9-17 p1137

Theme: *Evangelism*

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory
are yours now and for ever. Amen

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Tuesday 24th September

9.45am Prayer Meeting for pastoral matters
9.45am Coffee Morning - Burnside

Wednesday 25th September

10.00am Little Creations - Burnside
6.00pm Jump - Blairbeth

Thursday 26th September

10.00am Little Creations - Blairbeth
2.00pm Arts and Crafts Group - Burnside
7.30pm Prayer gathering - Burnside

Sunday 29th September

10.30am Café Church - Rev William Wilson
10.30am Sunday Clubs and Crèche
6.00pm Evening Service
7.00pm Switch - Burnside

The minister can be contacted on 0141 583 6470 or at the vestry on Tuesday to Friday mornings 0141 634 7383.

A crèche is available for children under the age of 3 during the Morning Service. Parents should feel free to use this facility at any time during the morning service.

Our **Contact magazine** and **Weekly Notes** are available to view on our website, www.burnsideblairbeth.church, under **What's On /News** tab. If you would like to view Contact this way rather than have a paper copy delivered please contact the office.

If **emailing the office or any church based email** please ensure that you use the **new addresses** ending in @burnsideblairbeth.church as the old ones may no longer work.

A Coffee Fayre supporting **Christian Aid** is being held in the **Old Parish Church, Rutherglen** on **Saturday 26th October 2019 10am- 12 noon**. Tickets priced £3.00 can be obtained from Nadine Keys and Jill Gowran. We look forward to seeing you there for a cuppa, some delicious home baking and a chat.

The excellent **Riding Lights theatre company** are coming to Carmyle Church on Wednesday 9th October at 7pm. More information to follow, but do get that date in your diary.

A **conference entitled "Evangelism Reimagined"** is coming to Edinburgh on Saturday 12th October. The speakers are Rico Tice and Randy Newman. It should be a great day! If you are interested in attending please follow the link or speak to Chris Mackintosh.
<https://www.evangelism-conference.org.uk/the-conference-2019/>

Posters for the next Messy Church are available for delivery to the local shops now.

SU Scotland are starting a monthly Lanarkshire **prayer meeting** on the first Tuesday of every month. The first one will be on 1st October in Park Church Manse, 25 Douglas Gardens, Uddingston, at 7.30pm, and all who wish to support the work of SUS in Lanarkshire will be made very welcome.

The **next Messy Church** will be on Saturday 5th October at 4.30pm in the Blairbeth Building.

