

# St Ninians Old Parish Church

**'Christ the Lord is risen today',  
All on earth and angels say;  
Raise your joys and triumphs high;  
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply'  
Charles Wesley (1707-1788)**

## Order of Service and Intimations

**May you know the joy and peace of the risen Lord today  
and every day!**

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**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018  
Easter Day**

## Order of Service

***'Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here;  
He has risen!'***

*Call to Worship*

**Hymn 410 'Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!'**

*Prayer*

*The Word of God*

*John 20:1-18 (P98)*

**Hymn 413 'The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad'**

Talk

**Hymn 194 'This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has  
made'**

Prayer of Intercession

**Hymn 411 'Christ the Lord is risen today'**

*Meditation*

***Anthem 'The strife is o'er, the battle done'***

Offering

Prayer of Dedication and Lord's Prayer

**Hymn 419 'Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son'**

Benediction and Three-Fold Amen.

## Intimations

*Visitors are invited to sign the Visitors book in the vestibule.*

*There is a loop system for people with hearing aids.*

*Please feel free to remain seated during the singing of the hymns.*

Welcome! If you are a visitor, please sign the **Visitor's book** in the main vestibule of the Church.

The April/May edition of **The Parishioner** is now available for distribution.

An **Easter Holiday Club** (Mission Rescue) for children of primary school age will be held in the Parish Halls this Tuesday to Friday from 10am – 12:30pm. Registration forms are available in the McMichael Chapel.

The next joint Church **Friendship Lunch** will be in St Columba's Church Hall, Park Terrace, Stirling on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April from 12 to 1:30pm.

The **Sunday Club** will be on holiday on 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> April.

A **Craft Class** will begin on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. This will be held in the middle room of the Parish Halls and will meet every fortnight. Some of the ladies will be knitting hats, scarfs and mitts for children which will be put into the Blythswood Care Shoeboxes at Christmas. If you have any suggestions regarding projects the class could support please come along and let us know. There will be tea, coffee and biscuits.

**Advance notice** – The annual barbecue will be held in the Manse garden on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July from 3pm – 6pm. Tickets will be available in June.

**Start Up Stirling** – Donations of food and money can be left at the Church on a Sunday morning.