

ST NINIANS OLD PARISH CHURCH
Sunday 2nd July 2023
10:30am

Welcome and Intimations

Call to Worship

Hymn 202 'Stand up and bless the Lord'

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

All Age Talk – 'How Clever is that?'

Hymn 225 'Summer suns are glowing'

The Word of God

Introduction

Psalm 139 : 1-18 and 23-24 (Page 524)

Read by Mr Leslie Asher

Hymn 96 'You are before me, Lord'

Vs 1-3 and Vs 5 to the tune Woodlands (286)

Sermon – 'God is Closer than you Think'

Hymn 237 'Look forward in faith'

Prayer for Others

Hymn 159 'Lord, for the years'

Benediction and Three-Fold Amen

The service today is being conducted by the Rev Gordon Mathew.

Mr McIntyre is conducting the services in Cowie and Plean Church and Bannockburn Allan Church in his capacity as Interim Moderator.

District elders are asked to note that the summer edition of The Parishioner is now available for distribution.

Tickets for the barbecue to be held in the Manse garden on Saturday 22nd July from 3pm – 6pm are now available. (£14)

Members and friends of the congregation are encouraged to complete the Questionnaire which has been delivered by district elders. These can also be completed online. Spare copies of the Questionnaire are in both vestibules of the Church. Completed paper copies can be placed in the box in the main vestibule or handed to your district elder.

Start Up Stirling would welcome volunteers to help at food banks and to interact with and support people as they endeavour to get the help they require. Some previous experience in dealing with people leading challenging lives is preferred but not essential. If you are interested in this or in any aspect of the work Start Up Stirling does please speak to Mr Arthur Walls, one of our elders. Alternatively you can contact Start Up Stirling by emailing volunteer@startupstirling.org.uk or tel 01786 561027.

The Bible reading rota for August – October is in the main vestibule. Volunteers to read the lessons would be welcome.

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