

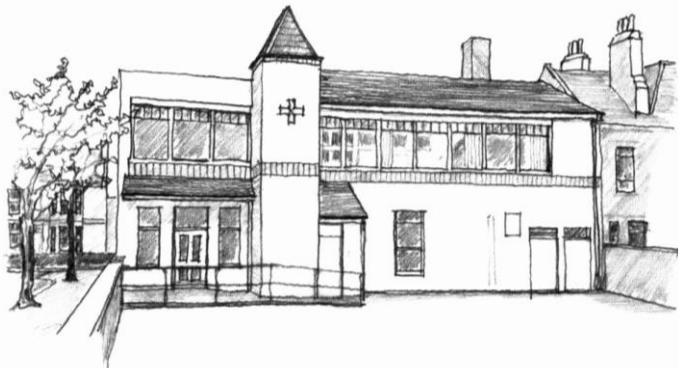
Church of Scotland RUBISLAW PARISH CHURCH

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Rubislaw Parish Church of Scotland, Aberdeen
Scottish Charity No. SC015841

Sunday 23 June 2019

Minister: The Rev Dr Robert L Smith Jr
Organist: Marnoch Johnston



Growing together, sharing God's love, building faith, bringing hope

Prelude

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: As the deer pants for streams of water, so we long for you, O God.

All: We thirst for you, the living God. When can we come and stand in your presence?

Minister: Through each day, the Lord pours his unfailing love upon us,

All: Through each night we sing his songs, praying to the God who gives us life.

Minister: Our God rules from on high. We adore him and give him his right.

All: Let's worship our God who reigns with all glory and power, wisdom and might.

Hymn 130 Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

Prayers of Approach to God in Praise and Worship The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come;
thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
for ever. Amen

Children's Talk

Hymn 351 Jesus' hands were kind hands

(After the singing of this hymn children leave for Crèche, Sunday Club and S1 – 6 Group)

 **WORD OF GOD** Psalm 42 vv 1 – 5

Luke Ch 8 vv 26 – 39

Pg 562 Pew Bible OT

Pg 86 Pew Bible NT

Prayer of Preparation

Sermon

Hymn 348 (Tune: Converse 547)

Praise the One who breaks the darkness

Offering

Prayers of the People

Hymn 264 Judge Eternal, throned in splendour

Benediction Choral Amen

Postlude



RUBISLAW CHURCH NEWS

WELCOME to worship today, especially if you are a visitor or newcomer to Rubislaw. We invite you most warmly to coffee after worship in the lounge of the Church Centre at the corner of Beaconsfield Place.

LOOP SYSTEM for hearing aid users – turn to T position.

CRÈCHE FOR BABIES AND TODDLERS every Sunday in Room 3 in the Centre, for children up to age 3. Crèche children come in to Church with their families for the first part of the service and then leave to go to the Church Centre at the same time as the Sunday Club.

SUNDAY CLUB for children 3+, and **S1-6 Group** meet today, beginning in church with families and friends followed by their programme in the Church Centre.

CHURCH CENTRE will be open for coffees, teas, home bakes, in the mornings Monday – Friday, 10 am – 12 noon. Enjoy the hospitality of our Centre Lounge and entertain your friends there.

RUBISLAW LADS' CLUB will meet for coffee and a chat on Wednesday 26th June at 10.30 am at the Church Centre. All Welcome.

PRAYER MEETING Wednesday, 26th June, 7.30 – 8.30 pm in Quiet Room. If you would like a lift please contact Fiona Chaloner on 01224 318039 before Wednesday.

SUNDAY 30TH JUNE 10.30 am Morning Worship led by The Rev Elizabeth Youngson.

CHURCH CENTRE – MORNING COFFEES In line with last year, and with virtually all the Centre User Groups stopping at the end of June, we will not be serving Teas / Coffees after Friday 28th June.

The Centre closes at noon on Friday 5th July and will reopen on Monday 19th August.

We should like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support and patronage throughout the past year. A massive 'Thank You' to all those who so willingly volunteer to serve and those who bake for the Teas & Coffees.



Prayer Pointers: 23.6.19

*You have searched me, Lord,
and you know me.*

²*You know when I sit and when I rise;
you perceive my thoughts from afar.*

³*You discern my going out and my lying down;
you are familiar with all my ways.
(Psalm 139, 1-3)*

- ❖ Give thanks for all our answered prayers, answered in different ways. And pray for faith to trust God's presence accompanying us whatever life brings.
- ❖ Pray for the many difficult and distressing situations in our world, that God would break through bringing peace, reconciliation and healing.
- ❖ Remember in particular the plight of those affected by Ebola in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and surrounding areas.
- ❖ Continue to pray for all those who are ill in hospital or at home. Pray for God's healing and strength.
- ❖ Pray for the hungry and the frightened.
- ❖ Pray now for yourself, family or friends and those you know who are in particular need of prayer at this time.

*We give thanks Lord for the week gone by
and look to You in the week ahead*

To make a prayer request speak to Fiona Chaloner (01224 318039) or Doug Boyd (01224 633073), or place a note in an offering bag/prayer box. All prayer requests will be treated with strict confidentiality. No information will be shared outside the Prayer Group and every request will be considered anonymous unless you say otherwise. If you wish your request can also be included in the weekly prayer bulletin. As always, you may contact the Minister with any pastoral concern.

