

Dear Friends,

This week's newsletter contains details of:

- May Services

LINKAGE SERVICES – 1st Sunday of the month starting at 10.30am.

May – Aberfeldy

June - Strathtay

SERVICES

11 May – Étape Sunday –Being with Jesus – Luke 24:36 – 39

Weem Parish Church	Join Logierait at 6.30pm
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Neil Glover
6.30pm –Logierait Parish Church -	Neil Glover
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Geoff Davis
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	x

YOUTUBE

Our YouTube services are only from Aberfeldy Parish Church. If it is a Linkage Sunday, when there is no service in Aberfeldy then there will be no YouTube available on that Sunday.

An **edited version** of our Sunday Morning Worship will be available mid-week.

Live streaming will be available to our members through a private link. N.B. The link will change every week.

If you are unable to attend and would like to view the service live, please contact Karen Kelman the Church Administrator in Aberfeldy Parish Church by the previous Thursday : karen.kelman@aberfeldyparishchurch.org. Karen will be very happy to help.

There are 3 different ways to find our YouTube service:

- **Aberfeldy Parish Church website** - 'click here' button on the opening page
- **YouTube channel** - enter Aberfeldy Sunday Morning Service
- **YouTube direct link**

https://youtube.com/@aberfeldyparishchurch540?si=9_QUrrWYUKtzYcA1

PODCASTS

Have you ever wondered how to access Neil's podcasts - well here's your answer!

The links for the Outspoken Bible podcast are:

On Apple

<https://podcasts.apple.com/gb/podcast/the-outspoken-bible/id1494694385>

On Spotify

<https://open.spotify.com/show/32Glg2i1YpQYkFdJH6snsI?si=0a5184ec72194765>

On Podbean

<https://www.podbean.com/pu/pbblog-i5hnr-6c2be2>

Podcast meditation from Kenneth Steven

Most of you will be well aware of my passion for the Celtic Christian path and the story of Iona, reflected both in my published prose and poetry over however many years.

Here's the link: <https://www.patreon.org/ImaginingThings>

MAY SERVICES

18 May – Jesus by the Sea – part 2 – John 21:1-14

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Neil Glover
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Neil Glover + Communion
10.30am –Logierait Parish Church -	Margaret Tannahill
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Rose Patterson
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

25 May – Jesus and Pater – John 21: 15 – 23

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Suzanne Stringer
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Geoff Davis
10.30am –Logierait Parish Church -	Neil Glover
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Stephen Macdonald
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

1 June LINKAGE AT STRATHTAY

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Attend Strathtay
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Attend Strathtay
10.30am –Strathtay Parish Church -	Neil Glover
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Rose Patterson
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer course

8 June - Pentecost

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Neil Glover
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Neil Glover – Communion (Celebration of the current church building)
10.30am –Strathtay Parish Church -	Geoff Davis
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Isi Watt
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

15 June

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Tommy Pringle
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	John Hayward
10.30am –Strathtay Parish Church -	Neil Glover - Communion
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Rose Patterson
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

22 June

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Neil Glover
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Neil Glover
10.30am –Strathtay Parish Church -	Rose Patterson
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Suzanne Stringer
3.00pm – Aberfeldy Parish church	Annual Remembering Service
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

29 June

9.45am – Weem Parish Church	Geoff Davis
10.45am – Aberfeldy Parish Church	Tom Sibbald
10.30am –Strathtay Parish Church	Join St Andrews (5 th Sunday)
10.30am - Tenandry Parish Church	Neil Glover
6.30pm - Aberfeldy Evening Service	Prayer Course

OUR REGULAR CHURCH BASED AND COMMUNITY EVENTS

ABERFELDY PARISH CHURCH

- **STAY AND PLAY** - Tuesdays 9.30 -11.30am
- **Warm Welcome Café** – Tuesdays 10.00am – 12.00pm
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – ABERFELDY PARISH CHURCH, KITCHEN**
Tuesday evenings 7.30 – 9pm
Contact – 0800 917 7650
- **PRAYER MEETING** – Wednesday 4.45 – 6pm in Farragon There is a time of quiet, contemplative music from 4.45 before the Prayer Meeting starts at 5pm. Join us if you can for this vital work of the Church
- **QUILTING GROUP –ABERFELDY PARISH CHURCH, FARRAGON HALL**
Thursdays - 11.am – 3pm
Contact Jane or Annette by email through the church administrator – administrator@aberfeldyparishchurch.org

PRAYER AT ABERFELDY PARISH CHURCH


Prayer underpins everything we do in Aberfeldy Parish Church.

Weekly Prayer Meeting on Wednesdays in Farragon.

We start at **4.45pm** with quiet music for meditation followed by the main meeting at **5pm** until **6 pm** . Everyone is welcome. For further information please contact Isabelle Macdonald or Donald Strathairn .

Prayer Points for the work of the Church are sent out weekly before the Wednesday meeting. If you would like to receive these please contact Kit Strathairn or Isabelle Macdonald.

Prayer for the Sunday Morning Service - please meet in the Prayer Room between 10.15 am and 10.30am

Prayer Circle  If you, or someone you know needs prayer, whether it is a health matter or any circumstance, the Prayer Circle will be ready and willing to pray. Simply contact Isabelle and an email will be sent out to the members of the Prayer Circle who will pray immediately and confidentially for your need. If you would like to be part of the Prayer Circle please contact Isabelle Macdonald.

Prayer Ministry. The Prayer Ministry Team is available to pray for any need you have. Members of the team can be found at the back of the Sanctuary after the Morning Service and will be wearing a badge with a purple lanyard. Alternatively, you can contact Isabelle Macdonald through Judy Ewer or the Aberfeldy Church Administrator and a private appointment can be arranged.

Prayer for the Persecuted Church is normally on the first Monday of the month at 4 pm. Please contact Katie Allstaff, Kit Strathairn or Christina Bryson if you would like to join. We meet in an individual's home.

The Prayer/Quiet Room is place of peace and tranquility. You are welcome to use at any time. See Kate Scott or Anna Sibbald for further details.

Isabelle Macdonald

BREATHE ACTIVITIES – ABERFELDY PARISH CHURCH

Stay & Play – Tuesdays

9.30am-11.30am

Rock Steady

6pm-7.30pm

Messy Church (7 May 4 June)

4pm - 6.00pm

WEEM PARISH CHURCH

- **CHIT CHAT CAFÉ** – 1st Monday of the month in the McDonald Room, Dull and Weem Kirk at 2pm
For further information please contact Liz Bruce
DullandWeemChurch@gmail.com
- **GUILD, IN THE MCDONALD ROOM** - Meet on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 2pm in the McDonald Room. DullandWeemChurch@gmail.com

STRATHTAY PARISH CHURCH

- **COFFEE BREAK**

The group meet every Wednesday in the John Kyd Hall beside Strathtay Church at 10.30am - all are welcome to come along and join in!

- **QUILTING GROUP – JOHN KYD HALL**

7 – 9pm on 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month

Contact Marie MacLeod

gls.churchofscotland@gmail.com

COMMUNITY EVENTS

PARKRUN

The FELDYROO parkrun is now an official parkrun! Thank you to everyone who has supported this initiative during the practice phase! This event will take place every Saturday morning starting at 9.30am on the Feldyroo Fitness Trail. We hope to see some of you there!!

THE DEMENTIA FRIENDLY ABERFELDY'S NEW MEETING CENTRE "THE FRIDAY CLUB" IS NOW OPEN

The Old School Room has undergone a transformation! This room is currently being used for The Horizon Lunch Club. Dementia Friendly Aberfeldy raised the funds for this transformation and will be opening their new Meeting Centre "THE FRIDAY CLUB" in the Old School Room later this month. The Trustees are keen to recruit volunteers to help with this new initiative.

The Meeting Centre is now open one day / week – Fridays 10.30am – 1.00pm

We would love to share our vision! If you are interested in knowing more about our work or how you could become involved, please contact Judy: judy.dfag@gmail.com

[HELP WITH THE COST-OF-LIVING CRISIS](#)

Breadalbane Community Larder

Social Supermarket – most items priced at 4 for £1, available Saturday mornings 11.00am -12-30pm at Offizone, Kenmore Street, Aberfeldy.

Emergency deliveries of food parcels please call **0345 30 111 00** Monday to Friday 9.00am – 4.00pm.

Food share - Available 24/7 from the shelter in the rear carpark of Aberfeldy Parish Church

2024 saw a significant increase in the number of households benefitting from shopping at the Social Supermarket. This depleted our stock levels considerably and we spent around £2,000 purchasing stock items so that the shelves aren't empty of many basic products. If you are able, please consider buying something extra when you shop and pop it in the trolley in the Co-op. **Tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned fruit, long-life milk, puddings/desserts, coffee and biscuits** as well as other staples are always much appreciated. However, **we don't need soup, pasta or baked beans** at the moment!

We have been able to stock up the shelves in the Larder with the combined resources of people's generosity and also purchasing stock, therefore your continued support is still very much appreciated.

If you would like to make a financial donation to the Community Larder, please contact 07513 652597 or email breadalbanecommunitylarder@btinternet.com for details.



If you know of anyone who is struggling to heat their house and / or pay their energy bills, please do pass them on to us at Warm Connections, and we would be delighted to advise on ways of reducing your energy consumption and bills.

There is now a Facebook page for Warm Connections <https://www.facebook.com/WarmConnectionsScotland>. We would love it if anyone could share, like or comment

We have free radiator foil to give away, we can even come and fit it. Its a great idea for radiators that are on outside walls. Just use the contact us form on Facebook or our website <https://warmconnections.net/#section-553-149>

www.warmconnections.net or email_advice@warmconnections.net.

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