

Intimations – week beginning 4th November 2018

1. **Tea/coffee fellowship** will take place in the Arran Hall after the service today. All are welcome.
2. **Our Remembrance Service: ‘Ring Out for Peace’ will take place next Sunday, 11th November 2018 at 10.45am.** There will also be a Community Gathering at 12.15pm at Gourock War Memorial.
3. **The next Soup & Sandwich Lunch** will be held on Wednesday 7th November 2018 from 12.15pm – 1.15pm in the Cumbrae Hall. All are welcome.
4. **Handbag Sale:** St. John’s Church are having a Handbag Sale in Gourock Golf Club on Thursday 8th November at 7.30pm. Entry is £2. All are welcome.
5. **Colour Party Rehearsal for Remembrance Sunday** will be on Friday 9th November at 7.00pm. Fall-in for the parade on Sunday 11th November will be at 10.15am on Binnie Street.
6. **Church Magazine** – Articles for the December edition of the Church Magazine should be in the hands of the editor no later than Sunday 11th November 2018. The magazine will be ready for distribution from Sunday 2nd December 2018. From this edition of the magazine there will be a new ‘Editor in Charge’, Kath McFarlane. Articles should be emailed to Kath at magazine@ogachurch.org.uk along with any photographs. Any articles received after the deadline may not be included.
7. **The Gateway group** are holding a concert in the church on Wednesday 14th November at 7.30pm. The concert features Brightons Parish Church Praise Group. A wonderful choir with a very charismatic leader who tells great jokes in between the music. Tickets cost £5.00 which includes a light supper. Tickets are available from Agnes Charles or any member of the committee.
8. **Christmas Fayre – 17th November:** With the Christmas Fayre fast approaching we are looking for donations of bric-a-brac (not clothes or shoes), jewellery, cd’s, books etc. These can be left in the Tiree Hall or handed in on a Monday evening from 7pm or Saturday morning (except the 10th November) from 10am-11am to the Tiree Room. Please phone Morven Snr. if these arrangements are not suitable. We would also be grateful if elders could hand in their donations for the hampers by today. Thank you.
9. **Smalls for All Appeal 2018:** The Rotary Club of Greenock are supporting this appeal and are looking for donations of brand-new ladies’ underwear (sizes 8-16) and children’s underwear.
10. **Erskine Coffee Morning:** Thank you very much to everyone who contributed so generously to the success of the Erskine Coffee Morning held on Thursday 25th October. We had a very happy morning and the excellent total of £478

was raised for Erskine. The stall selling Erskine goods was also well patronised, but we have not yet heard that total.

- 11. Social Committee:** The trip to McArthur Glen on Saturday 24th November is sold out. The bus will leave Shore Street (opposite the Gamble Halls) at 9.30am and return to Gourrock around teatime. The cost of the trip is £10, and all monies should be paid by Sunday 18th November. Looking forward to another great day out. Anyone wishing to put their name on a waiting list in the event of a cancellation please contact Jean Jennings or Jean Gilmour.
- 12. Life and Work Magazine** – Subscriptions for the 2019 editions of the Church of Scotland's Life and Work Magazine are now due. Subscription for the year is £30.60. Order forms can be collected from the door teams and should be returned to Bill Main along with payment no later than Sunday 18th November 2018.
- 13. Parish Players Pantomime** – Tickets for this year's pantomime 'Dick Whittington and His Magical Cat' are now on sale. The pantomime will run from Tuesday 27th November to Friday 30th November at 7.30pm (ticket cost £7.00) and on Saturday 1st December at 1.00pm and 5.00pm (ticket cost £5.00). Tickets are available from any member of the Players, after the Service on a Sunday morning from Morven Snr. or by calling Morven Snr.
- 14. Intimations for next week** – please email secretary@ogachurch.org.uk by Wednesday evening.

