

**REFORMATION 500**  
**Presbytery of Stirling**  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October  
7pm  
The North Church  
Elaine Duncan  
Scottish Bible Society  
'The Reformation and the Bible'

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### **Presbytery of Stirling**

***Worship is a Verb Course*** – A course designed to help people in congregations to be involved in Worship, both as participants and as leaders with the support of their Parish Minister. Four Sunday's in November – 2:30-4:30pm in Gargunock Parish Church with the Rev Andy Campbell.

***Funerals*** – The Rev Iain Goring is running a two part course about the conduct of funerals.

Part 1 – 7:30pm on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November in Muckhart Church.

Part 2 – 7:30pm on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November in Muckhart Church. Interested people must contact Iain before attending.  
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# **St Ninians Old Parish Church**

## **Order of Service and Intimations**



**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

## Order of Service

*Call to Worship*

**Hymn 61 (Ps 98) 'Oh, sing a new song to the Lord'  
Verses 1-4 and 7**

*Prayer*

**Hymn 157 'Sing of the Lord's goodness, Father of all wisdom'**

*The Word of God*

*1 Peter 1:3-9 (P206)*

*John 6:1-13 (P83)*

**Hymn 339 'Sing of Andrew, John's disciple'**

*Prayer of Intercession*

**Hymn 560 'Jesus, the very thought of thee'**

*Sermon*

*Offering*

*Prayer of Dedication and Lord's Prayer*

**Hymn 124 'Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation'**

*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.*

There will be a short **Communion service** this evening at 6:30pm.

**Blythwood Care Christmas Shoebox Appeal 2017** – Leaflets are available in both vestibules of the Church. Individual items or filled shoeboxes can be left at the Church between now and 12<sup>th</sup> November. There are wrapped empty shoeboxes in the main vestibule of the Church today.

There will be a joint **Church Friendship Lunch** in St Columba's Church Hall tomorrow from 12-1:30pm.

There will be an informal **Craft Evening** in the Parish Halls on Tuesday at 7pm. (Other Craft Evenings will be on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October and Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October).

The **Bible Study Group** will meet in the Upper room of the Church on Wednesday at 7:30pm. We will continue our study of **'Mere Christianity'** by CS Lewis.

There will be **Prayers for Healing** following the service on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. If you would like us to pray for people by name please put their name(s) on the book in the McMichael Chapel.

**Life and Work** – If you would like to order the magazine please speak to Marion Jackson before the end of October. (Tel 474878). Payment for the 12 issues of the 2018 magazine should be made by the end of November. (£27). Standing Order Forms are available if you would prefer to pay by this method.

**Used Stamps** – Please bring used stamps to the Church any Sunday and place them in the box in the main vestibule. Thank you.

**Start Up Stirling** – Donations of food and money can be left at the Church on a Sunday. Baby requirements are requested – Jars of baby food, powdered milk (long term use by date), baby shampoo and lotion.