

PERTH METHODIST CHURCH- Notices

Week beginning 19th November 2023

Our Service, this Sunday morning, will be led by Revd. Gill Evans.

Our theme is God's Kingdom and us as members of it.

The hymns from StF are 103, 154, 255 and 526.

The readings are Psalm 139: 1-12, read together and Matthew 25; 14-30

Circuit Worship This Sunday's service will be on the YouTube channel from 9am Sunday. To access the service or any earlier service go to [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com) and, where it says 'Search', enter 'Angus, Dundee and Perthshire Methodist Circuit'. If you know anyone wanting the service on DVD or a full script, please ask Pam for a copy to be sent.

Church Flowers The flowers this week were donated and arranged by Rob Reid. If you would like to donate and or arrange flowers on a particular date please speak to me. Alison Reid

Coffee Morning and Soup Lunch- Saturday 2nd December - 10.30am to 1.30pm There will also be a Sales Table.

The singing group will meet on Monday 11th December from 12.30 till 1.30 in the church. Please bring sandwiches, tea will be provided. We would welcome anyone who enjoys singing and would like the opportunity to learn some new hymns/songs.

Knit and Natter Monday 11th December - 2 until 4pm. Come along to enjoy an informal afternoon of tea, coffee, cake, craft and chat. (Craft not compulsory!) Everyone is very welcome..

PVG Certificates I will soon be asked for a note of who at Perth holds a PVG certificate for the Methodist Church. I do have a record of those issued after 2019 but not from before then. If you are aware that you held one, however long ago, please would you speak to Sheila Anderson.

To jog memories, you would have had one if you were doing Sunday school or Youth work. Even if you no longer do that work, I do need to know, so that records can be updated. Thank you for your help with this. *Sheila Anderson* (Local Church Safeguarding Officer)

16 Days of Activism Against Gender Based Violence Tackling violence against Women and Girls in Scotland, 25th November - 10th December Full details are here:-



16 Days Events
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Salvation Army Christmas Gift Appeal If you wish to donate, please leave your new, unwrapped gift at their charity shop, Monday to Saturday, 10.00am - 3 pm. Closing date for donations is 9th December.

Winter Light Resources: A reminder from Andrew and Jill Baker that they have put together some resources on the theme of Winter Light which can be used by congregations or individuals from the beginning of Advent onwards. They can be downloaded from <https://www.comeunityscotland.online/winterlight>; copyright free.



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From Strathclyde Circuit A recognition of Transgender Day of Remembrance (TDOR) on 20 November from members of the Methodist Church across Strathclyde, a short video (5 mins) pausing to recollect those lives sadly lost. (Trigger Warning) It is produced by the Methodist Churches across Strathclyde including members of the LGBTQ community. Log on to youtube and use address [pxkd26vgqfs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pxkd26vgqfs)

The Notices

Please note that Rob Sibley is responsible for the compilation of these Notices. Please send any items to him for inclusion in these Notices by 12 noon on Thursday.

(Contact details in the church directory.)

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