

TVP Services for October

Below is the planned programme of services for Tyne Valley Parish Church.
Please check the TVP website for the latest, up-to-date information.

Saturday 2nd	6.00pm - North Middleton Village Hall, Fellowship Service
Sunday 3rd	10:15am - Cranstoun (to book a seat use Cranstoun link) 7:00pm - Fala, Evening Communion
Wednesday 6th	2.00pm - Fala, Midweek Communion
Saturday 9th	6.00pm - North Middleton Village Hall, Fellowship Service
Sunday 10th	10:15am - North Middleton Village Hall, Family Celebration + Zoom
Sunday 17th	10:15am - Fala, Harvest Thanksgiving
Sunday 24th	10:15am - Cranstoun + Zoom 3.45pm - North Middleton Village Hall, Messy Church
Saturday 30th	6.00pm - North Middleton Village Hall, Fellowship Service
Sunday 31st	10:15am - North Middleton Village Hall + Zoom

**** Please Note there will be no Fellowship Service on Saturdays 16th and 23rd October.**

If attending a Sunday church service in person please book in advance using the link on the TVP website or phone Julia Baker 01875 320132. To book a place at the Fala midweek service please contact Fiona Corsar 07894463291 or email fiona3004@hotmail.co.uk

Due to small numbers attending the Sunday Evening Communion Services there is no need to book a place in advance, just sign in on arrival.

Pastoral Care Team

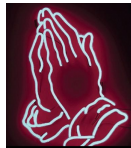
I am delighted to announce that we now have a new Pastoral Care team. I am the coordinator so please call me if you or someone you know would like a visit and I will arrange for one of the team to contact you. My phone number is 01875 320744.
Aileen Blackwood

Prayer Requests

The Prayer Circle welcome all requests for prayer.

Requests for prayer can be made directly to the Prayer Circle and can be made anonymously.

Contact Marilyn Lacey at marilynne@btinternet.com



More information about
TVP events and services can be found at
www.tynevalleyparish.co.uk

Pastoral Care

Contact: Rev Dale K London Tel: 01875 321329 email: dlondon1144@hotmail.com
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TVP CHURCH NEWS

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MIDLOTHIAN FOODBANK



Back in March 2020 when Covid restrictions were being put in place, the Government increased Universal Credit by £20 a week. This was to be a temporary increase. Now 18 months on the Government is scrapping the £20 uplift. It is predicted that this will put a further 800,000 into the poverty category.

New data lays bare the full impact of the impending cut. Faced with a cut of £20 a week, 1.2 million people (20%) claiming Universal Credit say they will very likely need to skip meals and 1.3 million (21%) say they will very likely be unable to afford to heat their homes this winter. Nearly a million (900,000, 15%) say they are very likely to need to use a food bank as a result of the cut.

Imagine what it would be like to have had £20 a week for 78 weeks. It would have been included in your weekly budget. Now imagine what it would be like to lose £20 a week.

It is a sad reflection of our society that we need Foodbanks. Our local Foodbank in Gorebridge provides a vital service to those in need. Please keep your donations coming, in goods or cash. Thank you.

Iain Luke

FLU VACCINATIONS

It seems we are not getting the Winter Flu Vaccinations at our local GP practises this time round. This is causing concerns and making it difficult for some who are unable to get to Ingleston or The QMC. Appointment times can be inconvenient too !! Our church is offering lifts and transport for this by known drivers from within our congregation. So, please contact David Lacey on 01875 320 938 or 07979 531782 if you would like a friendly face to give you a lift from door to door.

Don't let the Flu get hold of you this winter!

David Lacey



KAZUNZU VILLAGE OF HOPE *latest update*

The BOMA takes shape.

As you can see development of the Boma is progressing. The Boma will be the Community Hub of Kazunzu Village of Hope. Along with a meeting place, kitchen, shop, bedroom clusters and a toilet block will be contained within the Boma when complete.

Vine Trust was delighted to be selected as one of 6 Church of Scotland Guild Project Partners for the period 2021-24. Along with the other 5 projects, Kazunzu Village of Hope Tanzania was introduced to the Guild Annual Gathering 2021 on Saturday 4th September at the Church of Scotland Assembly Hall. "We look forward to this partnership and to speak at many local Guild meetings over the next few years where their partnership will enable us to 'fast track' the development at Kazunzu."



Blythswood Shoe Box Appeal 2021

Despite the difficulties that they face every day, through poverty, illness, disability, or other disadvantages, receiving a shoebox brings such joy to children and adults in Eastern Europe, that their faces light up with huge smiles.

You can make such a difference to lives that are otherwise almost hopeless.

We're going to use the same system as last year so please deliver your filled box to Julia Baker Tel: 320132,

Dorothy Reilly Tel: 320921, David Richardson Tel: 320041 or Carrie Bennett Tel: 01875 820050 by **Sunday 24th October.**

Watch the Appeal Video: www.youtu.be/YtGIZ7jUxKM

Cuppa, Cake and Charity
Village Hall
Friday October 29th
3 – 4:30pm

North Middleton's Poppy Display
Come to the Hall for a cuppa and bit of cake and help create the Village Poppy display for Remembrance Day.
A community project for all ages.
ALL PROCEEDS TO POPPY SCOTLAND.

Handmade poppies for sale
All proceeds to Poppy Scotland
Available from Tuck Shop in October or Middleton Crafters and at Poppy Event on Friday 29th October
Minimum donation £2

We would love to see as many people as possible of different generations attending this Poppy Scotland fundraising event to not only enjoy a cuppa and cake or buy a handmade poppy but to be part of building/creating our poppy display in North Middleton and make this a true community event.

In addition if you are able to help with some baking or would like to offer your time on the day to help in some way please contact Cath Heaven-Jones 07779 377419.

If you want to contribute knitted or crocheted poppies for the display please contact Carrie Bennett 07708 427434. She is also looking for donations of plastic bottle bases, florist wire and buttons.