

Fullarton connections

Sunday 7 March



10:30am

Welcome & Introduction - Shona MacDougall
Song - What a beautiful name it is, the name of Jesus
Children's Chat - Dorothy
Focus - 'Considering Others'
Prayer Share
FSB 116 Brother, sister, let me serve you
Blessing - Shona MacDougall
The Blessing (Kids)

Join Our Zoom After Service Chat immediately after the 10.30am service (around 11.15am) via <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84365588846?pwd=SIJoQ0FOUDZlUkhTaTI0ZW13enFCQT09> Meeting ID: 843 6558 8846
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6:30pm

Welcome
FSB 33 Forever
Prayer
SOF 223 I Lift My Hands (I will serve no foreign God)
Text Message: Acts 18:23-28 (NIV)
Focus: 'Empowering Each Individual'
Communion
MP 151 For I'm Building A People of Power
Blessing - "May the Lord"

accessible via Zoom:

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**Fullarton Parish Church of
Scotland**

Welcome to Fullarton ConneXions!

Until Tier 4 Lockdown Restrictions are lifted ConneXions is closed to services.

But join us for our **10.30am Pre-recorded Service (New Series on 'Growing Young')**, **6.30pm Live-Zoom Service (Acts) + Wednesday Worship 8pm and Mid-Week Sharing**: all available on Fullarton ConneXions Facebook Page. Catch Rev Neil's **daily 60 Second Sermons** there as well, from 9am Mon' - Sat', and on Instagram @fullartonconnexions and Neil's twitter @NU4Yoo feed.

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Not on Facebook: If you don't want to (or can't) sign up to Facebook you can still view the services by going to <http://fullartonconnexions.co.uk> & clicking on the front photo of Rev Neil inside a mobile phone. This will take you to the livestream and the library of previous services.

6.30pm Service - Continuing our series on Acts. Tonight, it's Joan Campbell on Acts 18:23-28,

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visible on the ConneXions Facebook Page. Without internet access you can still listen in on the 6.30pm Zoom service by phoning 0131-460-1196, then keying in Meeting ID and Password.

As a congregation we are involved in the **'Growing Young' (GY)** process along with 23 other churches in Scotland. Fuller Theological Seminary are assisting us in this as we seek to listen to, and be led by, our younger members and adherents. Presently on the GY Team are: Babs Dawson, Christy Bilby, Elaine Kerr, Shona MacDougall, Joy Koebel, Brandon Bell, Stuart Docherty, Sheena Kinmond and Neil Urquhart. We hope to expand this group so, if you are interested in joining it please get in touch with Sheena or Neil. To help in our understanding where we are as a church in regards to our younger people, please help us "Grow Young" – whatever your age! – by completing our Fullarton Church survey at <https://www.oursurvey.church/FullartonParishChurchIrvine-1> The survey results will be analysed by the Fuller Youth Institute and help us together to find ways to share the love of Jesus and make disciples in all generations! Thank you for helping us in this way.

Season of Growth! Looking to connect with others around God's Word and prayerfully stretch your muscles of faith, hope, learning and love? Then, plug into one of our (8 weeks long) Zoom Home Groups started on week beginning 22nd

February. Studies under consideration are: 1. The Bible Society's 'Bible Course' a whistle-stop tour of the whole Bible to get a better handle on both the Big Picture and finer details of practising God's Loving Presence. 2. The Bible Reading Fellowship's 'Holy Habits Prayer Course'. Please let Neil (01294 279909 /

nurquhart@churchofscotland.org.uk) or Joan (01294 558947 / joan.campbell@gmail.com) know of your interest. Thanks!

At Your Service: Despite normal services being suspended, church is alive and active wherever God's People are caring & sharing Christ's Love! Let us know if there is anything The Fullarton Family can do or pray for you: Neil Urquhart (01294 279909), Kate Gibson (Pastoral Care Team) 01294 276148 or Teresa Goodwin secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk

Fullarton ConneXions is presently closed until Tier 4 Restrictions are lifted, except for Funerals and Weddings, which each have their own restrictions on numbers.

Re-Children: We're not yet able to run our Sunday children's groups, but are told that the online children's chats; seeing themselves on TV; getting mystery packages in the post and various outdoor "come and find things" activities have been much appreciated, so we will try to keep those up. We also have ideas for **outdoor events for families** so look out for those on the website & Facebook, and if you have any ideas yourself please get in touch! (dorjurquhart@me.com)

Re Money Offerings: Well done! Some of you have been faithfully putting your weekly offering into envelopes and stockpiling them! We would love to get them from you soon. If you would like someone to come and collect them please phone Sandy Dickson on 01294273625.

BLESS Cards & Leaflets Do continue to use these! The aim is to become more and more a 'Family on Mission' in our everyday lives and living. Let's encourage each other in: **Beginning with prayer,** **Listening for God in people's needs,** **Eating with others** (perhaps virtually for now), **Serving others' needs & Sharing the Story Jesus in & through our lives.**

If you want to place, remove or update a notice in this sheet please email secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk **by Wednesday evening at the latest.**

Church Secretary: Email secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk

Christian Aid and the Kilt Walk: Christian Aid in Scotland is promoting the virtual KiltWalk during the weekend of 23-25 April this year as a potential fundraising event. The Hunter Foundation will increase donations from the Kilt Walk to Christian Aid by 50%. More information about this can be found at: <https://www.christianaid.org.uk/events/virtual-kiltwalk-weekend>.

Please continue to **save your used postage stamps**. Please keep the stamps in your home until our Church building is open again for services when we can all attend. They are of value to the World Mission Department of the Church of Scotland. Money raised from them will help to fund Christian projects overseas.

Contact Magazine: The deadline for articles for the April edition of Contact is Sunday 21 March.

Prayer Opportunities: For now, we will get together on Zoom to pray 3 times per week.

Wednesday 07.00 prayer breakfast - regular host Neil Urquhart.

Wednesday 19.00 intercession before Worship Wednesday - regular host Ian Young. Saturday 09.15 - regular host Sheena

Kinmond. Invitations will be sent out to those on the emailing list by the host for the week. All are welcome, and if you are not on an emailing list, please contact one of the hosts.

Pastoral Care Team: We as a team entirely depend on you, the members, telling us when members of your family and friends are ill, or in hospital. At this current time, we are unable to visit you at home or in hospital but we would still appreciate you keeping us informed. It may be

possible for us to offer support by telephone. Please contact any one of us if you need our help:

Kate Gibson (Team Leader): 01294 276148

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Pam Hutcheson 01294 311933

Janet Kennedy 01294 275574

Christine O'May 01294 215960

David Clark 01505 684271

Ann Wood 01294 279546

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Mind and Body Movement zoom:

Tools to help you thrive, not just survive, this pandemic. 1 hour of calming, stretching, immune boosting movement. Weekly on Tuesday at 11am. To get an invite text Claire on 07801 650443 or email claire@claireyoungmindandbody.co.uk.

- also, 30min sessions on Facebook, live on Thursday at 9am, available to watch any time after that. Search for 'Mind and Body with Claire Young'.

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