

## Welcome to Fullarton ConneXions!

**Welcome!** It's great to welcome you to our 10.30 Service. Please relax, you're among friends. Creche (babies & weans up to 2/3 years old) is available in the studio; Light Factory for pre-school & primary age, and FBI for secondary school age is back today. Join us this evening for our 6.30pm Guest Speaker Service, when Dez Johnston (Alpha Scotland Director) will share his faith story and what he sees God doing in Scotland today. All Welcome!

**Masks are no longer obligatory in places of worship. Please continue to wear a mask if it helps you feel safer and continue to respect each other's space.**

Refreshments are available in the café area after our services.

**Connexions Café** is open on Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10am - 2pm. And on the last Saturday of each month there will be a café, 30th April 10am - 2pm (Volunteers sign up to help, if able) All Welcome!

**Please remember to take a Lateral Flow Test** before attending services and circulating in any of our activities, thanks!

**Spring to Summer 'Season of Growth'** - Our study series on the

life of King David with a hybrid Home Group meets on Thursdays in the manse & on Zoom, 7 - 9pm. Reading 1 & 2 Samuel and E Peterson's book 'Leap Over a Wall: Earthy Spirituality for Everyday Christians'.

### **Other opportunities to receive ministry:**

Via Fullarton ConneXions Facebook Page. Rev Neil's daily 60 Second Sermons, from 9am Mon' - Sat', and on Instagram @fullartonconnexions and Neil's twitter feed @NU4Yoo Previous Worship Wednesdays & Services are also available there.

**Connexions Easter Trail:** Now that 300 pupils from Loudoun Montgomery & The Glebe Primary Schools have enjoyed the multi-sensory journey through Jesus' Passion Week, it is now available, with QR codes for readings to go alongside it. Feel free to visit it in your own time, behind the car park in the Fullarton Forest.

### **Active Connections**

- Cycle group: Sundays 2pm, ConneXions car park  
Gentle paced group round Irvine cycle tracks and a more adventurous group using both tracks and quiet roads. Back to Fullarton ConneXions at 3.30 for cuppa and comparing notes. All levels welcome, bring own bike and safety kit.  
- Running group: Mondays 6pm,

ConneXions car park  
1 running group and 1 couch to 5k group. Come in comfortable, supportive footwear.  
Contact Activity Pioneer Rob for info on any of the groups  
- [RThomson@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:RThomson@churchofscotland.org.uk)

**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.

**At Your Service:** 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](mailto:secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk)

**Anyone wishing to use Free Will Offering or Gift Aid envelopes,** or better still, set up a Standing Order from your Bank or Building Society instead of just putting money in the Open Plate, should contact Sandy Dickson or Mike Rennie who will be happy to help organise this for you"

**If you want to place, remove or update a notice in this sheet please email [indigols345@gmail.com](mailto:indigols345@gmail.com) by Wednesday evening at the latest.**

**Church Secretary:** Email [secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk](mailto:secretary@fullartonchurch.co.uk)

**Used postage stamps:** Used by World Mission to fund Christian projects overseas. There is now a box in conneXions foyer for used stamps.

**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

**Jean Wyllie (Secretary) 01294**  
274345

**Sandra Deeprose 01292 315169**

**Margaret Elliott 01294 214433**

**May Elliot 01294 464352**

**Janet Kennedy 01294 275574**

**Christine O'May 01294 215960**

**David Clark 01505 684271**  
**Ann Wood 01294 279546**  
**Aileen Roy 07563 785346**  
**James Millar 07471 221031**

**Grub & Gospel:** Grub & Gospel now up and running every Friday 6.30!

Please remember in prayer; the team as we look to show Gods love & share His message of hope, & the folks coming along. If you feel God is calling you to be a part of this please contact Lisa Jamieson on 07769 891339.

**Weekend away - save the date!**

We have booked Gowanbank for the weekend of 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022. Full cost £80 per person for 2 nights' accommodation with full board (discounts for children and the unwaged). To book your place, please put a deposit of at least £5 in the offering plate, in a sealed envelope marked with your name and "Weekend Away." If you like, you can continue to save in this way towards the weekend.

**Ukraine Emergency Appeal (UEA) – update 4 – 13 April 22**

Blythswood Care's Involvement Through its Network of Partners

This is the latest update from Blythswood Care's headquarters in Deephaven.

The income received up to the end of last week is almost **£600,000** - with more coming in daily.

Blythswood Care is still working with the same partner organisations in Romania, sending regular amounts of money (£25-£30k to each) to ensure a fair and sensible distribution.

The 4 refurbished and re-equipped Fire appliances sent to Ukraine have arrived safely and are operational. (See Blythswood Care's Facebook page)

**Please take your announcement sheet** with you at the end of the service. Dispose of them either at home or in a wastepaper bin at the door of the church.

**Fullarton Parish Church** (Church of Scotland) Irvine is a registered charity (No. SC 008725) and is a Fairtrade church. Visit <http://fullartonconnexions.co.uk>



**Sunday 24 April 2022**

**10.30am live streamed service**

Welcome  
FSB 18 Blessed be your name  
FSB 129 Thanks be to God who gives us the victory  
Kids Chat  
Prayer & Family Prayer  
Song – Bring it all to me (Fischy Music/Fullonart Video)  
Young People move on to Light Factory and FBI  
SOGP 37 Great is thy faithfulness  
Text Message: 1 Samuel 24:1-22 / Psalm 57 / Mark 1:12-13 (MSG)  
Prayer Share (Thanks & Please) – Using FSB 86 Lord you have my heart  
Focus – 'Wilder-Refuge' (David in En-Gedi)  
Response – Care to Share / Prayer  
FSB 101 O my soul, arise and bless your Maker  
Sung Blessing - 'May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever'

**6.30pm – Learning Together: Des Johnstone Sharing (Alpha Scotland)**

Welcome  
FSB 62 I declare the glory of the risen Saviour  
Song – My fear doesn't stand a chance  
Prayer  
Introducing Des Johnstone  
Des Sharing  
Questions & Response  
Prayer  
FSB 112 He's our Rescuer, Hey!

**Fullarton Parish Church of Scotland**