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They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, We will remember them.

Mission Statement: *King's Park Church sharing God's love by reaching out to others.* "We are never closer to the Lord, or receive his strength , than when trials are upon us" See Psalm 34:18. Psalm 145:18

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FLOWER FUND Thanks are due to all who contribute to the flower fund, beautifying our worship week by week.

CONGREGATIONAL REGISTER

Admission by Profession of Faith

Mr Gary King Montford Avenue

No of Communicants on Roll = 628

THE HOLY RITE OF MATRIMONY

"Whom God Hath Joined Together"

27 Sept Miss Carol MacPherson to Mr James Andrew Jamieson

<u>BLESSING</u> <u>"Suffer the Little Children to Come Unto Me"</u>

16 Sept Samuel John Ronald, Fleet, Hampshire

AT REST

"I am the Resurrection and the Life"

- 21 Sept Mrs Jenny Bell, Menock Road
- 4 Oct Mrs Molly MacDonald, Croftend Avenue
- 5 Oct Mr Douglas McLagan, Kingsacre Road
- 6 Oct Mrs Anne Proudfoot, Flemington House
- 10 Oct Mrs Joyce Barr, Kingsacre Road
- 14 Oct Mrs Pauline Weipers, King's Park Mews

Prayer Focus

Let us pray for congregations across Scotland as they consider the social care work that goes on in their communities and for this work in our own parish. Let us pray for those who have lost loved ones in the past wars and in their day to day lives and give them the strength to live through new day opportunities, growing in relationships and living fulfilled lives. Amen.



FROM THE MANSE... Remember, Remember November is traditionally the month we focus on remembering. Do you remember your 1st day at school? Your 1st kiss? Your 1st wage packet? Your 1st home? We remember so many things for



so many different reasons but usually things stay with us because they are important and special.

On the news this week we witnessed the re-burial of 15 soldiers who fell in the First World War 100 years ago, with one Grandson feeling both sad and wonderful at the same time. We take this time in November to remember all those who have willingly laid down their lives so that we can be free, those paying the ultimate price in so many wars and conflicts for each of us. As Christians that reminds us also of the ultimate sacrifice God has made for us in life, death and the resurrection of Jesus



Christ our Saviour and Lord, laying down his life so that we can be forgiven. God always makes the first move, takes the initiative, is always standing right beside us, eager and willing us to respond to His invitation to spent time with Him, talking and listening and being open to the offer of life, life beyond our imagining, if we would only put our hand in His and walk with Him. At

the Bible Study we are studying *The Shack* written by Wm Paul Young and last week we were discussing independence, where God says: "All evil flows from independence, and independence is your choice. If I were to simply revoke all the choices of independence, the world as you know it would cease to exist and love would have no meaning. This world is not a playground where I keep all my children free from evil. Evil is the chaos of this age that you brought to me, but it will not have the final say. Now it touches everyone that I love, those who follow me and those who don't. If I take the consequences of people's choices, I destroy the possibility of love. Love that is forced is no love at all."

I hope and pray that none of us ever face the situation of having to lay down our life for someone else but that should never stop us loving others, family, friends and even strangers. Love is a gift from God and He wants us to remember how much He loves each and every one of us. After all He is our Heavenly Father, we are His sons and daughters, and He loves us unconditionally, with a love like no other possibly can, and He asks us to share that same love with others. So always remember you are loved and try to remember to love others in the same way. What a difference this could make in the world!

Wishing you all God's Blessings, Sandra

Editor's Extras...

REMEMBER - All those who gave their lives in wars and fought on our behalf. Please attend the services that commemorate these events and pause for thought.

REMEMBER - A summer of successful events in and around the Church to the enjoyment of all who attended them; not forgetting all the hard work in presenting them.

REMEMBER - With gratitude, the work of our Minister over the last seven years; her innovations, enthusiasm and links to the community to ensure the Church is still a focal point in our Parish.

REMEMBER - All leaders and conveners of organisations and committees including all who keep our buildings in good repair, thanks to them all.

REMEMBER - The main purpose in the Church is to worship God and encourage the vibrancy that arises from this and ensure that our Church is around for many years to come.

While we look to the future of the Church in Scotland - see Life and Work article - and in King's Park - see Kirk Session/Board Report we consider those women in the Bible who brought some indication of the future to Israel - Anna, Deborah, Huldah and Miriam.

Pondering Our Mission Statement

Sharing God's Love:

- Isaiah 5:1-7, Matthew 21:33-46
- Whose we are and whom we serve, Acts 2:43-47
- What is Caesar's and What is God's? Matthew 22: 15-22

CONGREGATIONAL FINANCE

"We Give Thee But Thine Own" INCOME & EXPENDITURE REPORT (September 2014)

Income Offerings	9,715
Last Year's Offerings	9,792
Difference +/- %	-0.79%
YTD Difference +/-%	-3.07%
Regular Monthly Income	665
One Off Income	3,847
Garden Fund Legacy - J Greenhill	5,000
Total Month's Income	19,227
<u>Costs</u>	44.407
Regular Monthly Costs	14,407
One Off Costs	985
Fabric Fund	20
Garden Fund	36
Total Month's Costs	15,448
Monthly Income vs (Costs)	3,779

Comments:

Stewardship Initiative returns of £3,529 were received during the month. One off costs in September include WiFi connection for one of the Church Halls £70, the deposit for the replacement CCTV system £500 and a new hoover for the Church £136.

The year to date income versus cost figures show that income is $\pounds 25,911$ greater than costs. This is due in main to one off income from Legacies ($\pounds 38,000$) and the Stewardship Initiative ($\pounds 3,321$). Taking into account the church running costs year to date are currently $\pounds 15,410$ greater than regular income received. This means that weekly costs are $\pounds 385$ more than income.

The Finance Committee

Kirk Session & Congregational Board

The Session discussed the optimum use of our halls, both physically and financially - to be determined after consideration in the near future. At this stage the Session were assured that Church Organisations and Community Groups already using our halls would not be asked to pay large sums of money. The Minister indicated that she has been appointed Interim Moderator at Eastwood Church from January. The Presbytery discussed online repercussions on Data fundraising and the Protection. Consideration is to be given as to the style and number of services in the Church considering poor attendance at evening services and afternoon Communion. Support for Food banks is requested by the Presbytery as an anticipated increase in demand is expected at Christmas.

The Congregational Board discussed the Financial Report. The major topic, however, was the Property Report on the heating of the halls and Church after the discovery of a major leak in the pipes. The work is underway but there is a considerable cost of Methods of raising the appropriate amount is to be repair. undertaken by the Finance Committee. Other heat losses in the Garth area are to be rectified by plastic sheeting over the windows in the corridor. This along with the lagging of some of the pipes was agreed by the Board. In addition, replacement of lighting is to be trialled - LED lighting and two new security cameras would be installed. It was hoped that this would deter those climbing onto the roof to steal lead, which had become a recurring problem. Health and Safety needs to be upgraded, with fire drills, alarms training and the appointment of a Fire Officer being discussed. The next AGM of the Church will be held after the morning service on 22nd March 2015. Volunteers are requested to help maintain a clean and well kept kitchen as these can be inspected at any time.

ST ANDREW'S FIRST AID WEEK - 24TH-30TH NOVEMBER

Rutherglen Company of St Andrews would like to invite anyone 18 years and over to a demonstration of CPR cardio pulmonary resuscitation and recovery position on Thursday 27th November as part of first aid week.

David Gordon 22 March 1921 - 12 September 2014

David was a true gentleman, loving, kind and generous. When David committed himself to something or someone he did it whole heartedly. He paid attention to detail, being



meticulous in everything he did. David was a very proud family man, family was everything to him.

David was born on the 22nd March 1921 in Maxwelton Road in East Kilbride. He grew up with Sister Joey and parents David and Cissy Gordon. The family then moved to new housing in Crofthill Drive in Croftfoot, where David was one of the first pupils to attend Croftfoot Primary school. He then went on to attend King's Park Secondary and in 1930 to 1934 David attended the 118 King's Park Boys Brigade Company in their Wooden Hall. He left school at 14 and started work in 1935 in the Co-op Printing Department whilst also attending night school studying Book Keeping. He worked there until 1941 when he joined the City of Glasgow Police as a constable in the Eastern Division. When war broke out David volunteered, joining the British Army, where he rose through the ranks to become Colour Sergeant. He travelled all over the world, to Singapore, Malaysia and India. It was during the war in 1944 that a young lady, Hilda Black, while dancing at the Albert Ballroom met a handsome soldier. David and Hilda enjoyed a lovely first date on the bonnie banks of Loch Lomond. David returned in 1946 resuming his position in the City of Glasgow

Police Force. He was promoted to sergeant where he worked in Govan.

David and Hilda got married in 1949 at Forsyth Memorial Church, enjoying 64 very happy years of married life together. When they first got married they lived in digs in Croftfoot, before moving into a Police House in old Shettleston, where they were blessed with a beautiful daughter Catherine in 1950.

The family then moved to Kingsheath Avenue in 1952 and David was persuaded by Bill Hogarth to go along to the Men's Association in King's Park Church. David became heavily involved in the Men's Association, becoming Chairman and loved being part of the end of year shows with David and Annie Davidson and Danny McNair.

In 1954, David and Hilda were blessed with a wonderful son Sandy. The family enjoyed many holidays to Millport or Port William and as Hilda came from Wigtownshire, to Scarborough and Blackpool.

David was also interested in bowling and played in Overtoun Public Park on a Wednesday night during the summer, before then joining Kingswood Bowling Club, followed by West of Scotland Indoor, where he was the treasurer for 11 years.

At the age of 40, in 1961, David had an epiphany, finding God through the fellowship of the Men's Association with David's faith playing a central part in his life. He was wholeheartedly committed to serving God after that, attending worship regularly, becoming an elder in 1970, faithfully serving God and his district in Curtis Avenue well for 44 years. He would pick some of his district up on a Sunday morning and bring them to church. He was a committed member of the Literary and Debating Society from 1964 to 2004.

David returned to the Eastern Division as Inspector, then Chief Inspector, before finally moving as Superintendent, to Marine Division stationed at Whiteinch. David retired from the Police force when he was 50 and in the same year joined the Ministry of Defence, in the Army Vetting Unit, travelling all over the world; Hong Kong, Singapore, South Africa, Cyprus, Northern Ireland, during the troubles, Benbecula, anywhere there was British Troops. David retired from paid employment finally in 1986 when he was 65.

David and Hilda flew to South Africa to greet the arrival of granddaughter Emma in 1974 and again in1976 to grandson Brian. David then volunteered as a driver with Chest, Heart and Stroke Scotland from until1992 as well as at KPC.

David was a true family man, dedicating his life to them as well as living his life following Jesus' commands to the letter – loving God with all his heart, soul, mind and strength and loving his neighbour as himself. David will be greatly missed by all those who were touched by his life, his life finding its completion with his Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

THE GUILD

Our new session began on 1st October and we were very happy to welcome 5 new members. Our first visitor was Mrs Rhona Hughes. The title of her visit was "A Life in Story and Song". She told us of events in her own life, which were illustrated by songs. This was enjoyed by all. On October 8th we were once again visited by our Friend, Rev Bill Ferguson, who is now a regular visitor to our Guild. His talk this year was entitled, "Born Again Ministry" which told the story of the Church of Scotland up until the present day, and how it had changed throughout the years. We had our annual coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Care on Tuesday 14th October which raised the sum of £591.60. The Guild would like to thank everyone who helped in any way to make this such a success, including all the willing helpers and those who came along to support this worthy cause. On 15th October, Mr Wilson Paterson gave a presentation on Memories of King's Park Church. This was most interesting, and I'm sure that it brought back many happy memories to the ladies who have been members of this Church for some time.

Our Annual Charity Night will be held on Wednesday 12th November at 7.30pm in the Large Hall. This year we will be entertained by the Close Shave Barber Shop Chorus. Tickets will soon be available, and will be priced at £3.50 each. The proceeds will go to our two chosen projects which are Crossreach - Heart for Art and Mary's Meals. Please do come along and enjoy the entertainment. The Guild will once again organize a special Tuesday Coffee Morning to mark "Guild Week". This will take place on Tuesday 18th November in the St Mungo Hall from 10am until 12 noon. The proceeds of this will also go towards our projects. At our Christmas Bazaar, which will be held on Saturday 29th November, the Guild will have a Household and Groceries Stall "The Kitchen Cupboard" (no toiletries, please). Donations of items for this stall will be very much appreciated, so ladies, please start collecting now.

The Syllabus for December is as follows:

Dec 3 2pm Christmas Celebrations - The Minerva Club Concert Party. This will be followed by a meal at the Glasgow Indoor Bowling. As always, anyone who wishes to come along to any of our meetings, or special events will be made most welcome.

E Gillespie - Secretary.

There is a diet and fitness class in the Large Hall on a Tuesday morning 10am - 11.30am - cost £5.00 per class. No strict diet, just practical nutritional advice, optional weigh-in, fun workout and lots of motivation. Come along, this service is for you.

Call Rosemary on 639 7477 or simply drop in.

CARPET BOWLS

At the time of writing no draws have been made for the singles or pairs ties but the weekly games are played with great gusto, in fact some players are so skilful no applause is given even when the bowl they played looks as though the jack is its "best friend" and leans against it but, if a poor shot is played the friendly banter is heard like "what was that meant to be?" or "try new glasses next time". A friendly group. Come and join us and see how you take to the game. Plenty of help is offered if required until you become too good. Games are played Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 1pm for 1.30pm *Jim Riddell*

HELP REQUIRED

We require able bodied assistance at 9am on Friday 28th November to set the halls up and also require assistance to reset the halls after the Bazaar has finished. We also require help on the Stalls this year. If you are free and interested, please speak to Norah or Jonathan for further information.

LIFE & WORK

If you do not have a copy of October's Life and Work try to get one. There is an article by Rev Doug Gay on re-forming the Church. The first of a six part series on the challenges that lie ahead for the Church of Scotland. The Church has lost two thirds of its members and ministers and although there are still two thirds congregations each one must have a reduced roll. King's Park is no different and it will be interesting as to how the Church deals with this problem. Worth a read!

KING'S PARK BRASS – UPDATE

November is a busy month for the band, with a coffee morning in King's Park Church, a concert in Rutherglen Town Hall, and the Scottish Youth Championships in Perth, all in the space of eight days!

The band's annual **coffee morning**, **on Saturday 15th November**, will include a mini-concert featuring the Youth Band, Junior Band and Learners group. The Youth Band will be giving a sneak preview of it's programme for the Scottish Youth Championships in Perth the following Saturday. All are welcome to come along for a coffee and cake between 10am - 12pm, with the music starting at 11am. Entry is by donation.

The band returns to **Rutherglen Town Hall, on Friday 21st November**, for a concert celebrating 'Heroes and Villains' from the worlds of stage and screen. From Prokofiev's Romeo and Juliet and Bernstein's West Side Story, to the 2012 Scottish-based Disney production Brave, the programme will offer something for everyone.

Three of the band's players will perform solo items. Rosie Sillitoe has chosen the beautiful "Over the Rainbow" from the Wizard of Oz, while David Peat's choice is the haunting "Song to the Moon" from Dvořák's opera Rusalka, and Jennifer Aitken's rendition of "Londonderry Air" will get us reminiscing about the band's favourite film, "Brassed Off"!

The band will be conducted for the first time by Alan Pash, a trombone player with Scottish Opera.

Tickets are available from the Town Hall box office priced $\pounds 7/\pounds 6$. We hope to see you there!



A day of prayer . . .

The Church will be open on 11/11/14 between 10am and 7pm. There will be a reading and a prayer every hour on the hour. There will be a service at 11am, tea and coffee will be available and an opportunity for someone to pray with you if you wish.

The Prayer Group ...

The Prayer Group meets on Wednesday at 6.30pm—7pm before the Board meeting and 11am-11.30 every Tuesday morning in The Lounge.

Change of Address . . .

Jenny Hogg's contact address is now: Lindsayfield Lodge Nursing Home Rosaburn Avenue East Kilbride G75 9DE

Thank you . . .

Further to our note of thanks in October's Magazine for the support for Nancy in September's Alzheimer Scotland Memory walk, may we advise you that following a considerable number of further generous donations we have been able to send a total of £600 to Alzheimer Scotland. Your support has been both encouraging and uplifting. Thank you to all concerned.

Nancy and Ian Tomney



Thanks . . .

Many thanks to the Reverend Sandra Boyd and Raymond Jenkins for their kindness and prayers and



the Church flowers which they brought to the hospital. Also. Thanks to all the friends who visited me in hospital and at home, which cheered me and encouraged me to a good recovery. I appreciate the kindness and thank you all most sincerely. *Betty Thomson*

I would like to thank everyone for their kindness and prayers for Joyce. The tremendous show of affection for her by the attendance at the Linn Crematorium was a great comfort to all the family. The retiring collection of £655 has now been passed on to the British Heart Foundation. Thank you all so much for your support. *Ian Barr and Family*

We would like to thank those from King's Park Church for visits and support given to Jenny Bell. Special thank you to Ian McGill (Elder), Sandra and extra special thanks to Raymond for conducting the funeral. God's blessings to you all. *Jennifer, Irene, Karen, Pamela, Emma and Kristine (her girls)*

I would like to express my thanks and appreciation to Sandra and Raymond for their visits and to the many friends in the Church who have visited, phoned, wrote and enquired about me. I wish to thank the Prayer Group and also, to say how grateful I am for the beautiful flowers I've received. I'm still receiving hospital treatment and unsure how long that will last. But it is reassuring for me to know that so many friends have me in their thoughts and prayers. *Sandra McDonald*

I wish to thank Raymond Jenkins for his support and understanding when my husband George died after a long period of illness. Thanks also to all friends and neighbours who came to the crematorium and everyone who sent cards and flowers and spoke to me on the phone. The kindness shown to me and my family was greatly appreciated and helped us through a very sad time. *Beth Fitzpatrick.*

DID YOU KNOW.....

KP Church has evening services on the first and second Sundays of the month. I wondered whether people had forgotten that, because recently the turnout has been very poor.

Those not attending, miss out on the opportunity to join together in a less formal atmosphere than at the morning service. They miss out on the opportunity to support members of the church's worship team and our very able praise band, who prepare and deliver the services on the first Sunday of the month – just imagine how much more uplifting and rewarding it would be for them, having put so much work into their offerings, to share with a fuller congregation.

On the second Sunday of the month, we have an opportunity to share bread and wine in an informal communion service – Sandra leads this and I think the relaxed atmosphere allows those attending to feel much closer to the table in a physical, but more importantly, a spiritual way.

Please join with us on Sunday evenings – the services are short and your attendance will mean a lot....to you and to those sharing with you.

A Member



DISCO EQUIPMENT AVAILABE FREE

Second hand disco equipment, including lights and sound system have become available for anyone who could give it a good home. For further information contact Mr Wilson Paterson.

Messy Church at King's Park



Saturday 1st November & 6th December 2014, 4-6pm PLAYING GAMES, ART & CRAFT WORK, FUN TIME WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS, EATING YUMMY FOOD, LISTENING TO STORIES, SINGING, ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

AN URGENT PLEA FOR HELP

The Housekeeping Team is looking for volunteers to join the rota to assist with the cleaning of the large kitchen on a weekly basis. If you are able to help with this please speak to Rosemary Kidd or Arlene Bryson.

You may also be interested in helping with the Community Lunch Club. Give it a thought – it's really good fun! Once again if you can help please speak to Rosemary or Arlene.

Social & Fundraising News

We would like to thank everyone who contributed to our textile collection in October. We, once again, gathered a large amount of textiles and are eagerly waiting to hear what the final amount raised was.

KING'S PARK RECIPE BOOK

Despite being advertised for a few months in the intimations and magazine we were disappointed with the number of recipes that were submitted and, before the deadline at the end of October we took the decision not to continue with this, as the number of recipes received on October 12th was four. After it was announced in church that this would not happen a further 3 or four people did say they had recipes to hand in however, we just could not justify the print costs for so few. Thank you to those who did hand in a recipe, we will keep them just in case there is a call and more enthusiasm for this particular project in future.

THE 'KINGS PARK STAR' APPEAL

The annual 'Kings Park Star Appeal' will be launched on the first Sunday of Advent (30th November) with all proceeds going to Robin House Children's Hospice. Instead of sending cards to your friends in the congregation we suggest you give your name to us along with a donation and this will allow one card to be printed with your name on it. This will be circulated at the Family Service on 21st December to the whole congregation. You will receive a "star' to hang on the cross at the door of the Church. Stars will be available after the 11am services on 30th Nov, 7th and 14th of December. This of course does not mean that you don't have to send cards to your friends! But we would be delighted if you would consider the Children's Hospice at this time of year.

Book Sale

We will be holding a book sale on Saturday 15th November from 10am until 12noon in the Large Hall. This is being held in conjunction with the Brass Band coffee morning, come along, enjoy the music, tea and coffee and help yourself to a book as well!

DVD Afternoon

Calling all Primary 1-5 children, on Saturday 6th December from 2pm until 4pm in the Large Hall we will be entertaining p1-5 children with juice, sweets and a DVD. All children will be made most welcome. Come along and join in the fun! Price \pounds 1.

Thank you again for your continued support, Lynda Young, on behalf of the Social & Fundraising Committee

WOMEN OF THE BIBLE

The Prophetesses

Anna was an aged widow, the daughter of Phannel. After seven years of married life her husband died, and during her long widowhood she daily attended the Temple Services. When she was eighty four years old, she entered the Temple at the moment when the aged Simeon uttered his memorable words of praise and thanks to God that he had fulfilled his ancient promise in sending his Son into this world. Anna then spoke about the child that was to set Jerusalem free (Luke 2:36,39).

Deborah was the wife (woman?) of Lapidoth. Jabin, the King of Hazor had, for twenty years, held Israel in degrading subjection. The spirit of patriotism seemed crushed out of the nation. In this emergency Deborah roused the people from their lethargy. Her fame spread far and wide. She become "Mother in Israel" (Judges 4:6, 14; 5:9) and the "Children of Israel came to her for Judgement" as she sat under the palm tree "between Ramah and Bethel". Preparations were made under her direction to throw off the yoke of bondage. She summoned Batak to take command of the army. With his aid she organised these men, gave the signal to attack and the Hebrew host rushed to a great and decisive victory. A memorable day in Israel. In Judges 5 the "Song of Deborah" is recorded which she wrote in grateful commemoration of that great deliverance.

Huldah was the wife of Shakum. She was consulted regarding the "Book of the Law" discovered by the High Priest Hiligath (2 Kings 22: 14-20; 2 Chronicles 34: 22-28) who was entrusted with the purification of the Temple. Huldah passed a message from the Lord to the effect that he was going to punish Jerusalem for their indiscretions (Pagan Worship).

Miriam was the sister of Moses and Aaron (Exodus 2: 4-10). Her name is prominent in the history of the Exodus (Exodus 15:20). She took the lead in the Song of Triumph after the passage of the Red Sea. She died at Kadesh during the second encampment of that place, towards the close of the wanderings in the wilderness and was buried there (Numbers 20:1)

Another interpretation of Prophetess simply meaning "Prophet's Wife" and has no other connotations.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - NOVEMBER

Sat 1st	4-6pm Messy Church
Sun 2nd	11am Morning Worship with BB Founders' Day
	Parade. Garden of Remembrance Dedication after
	the Service
	6.30pm Local Churches Together DVD evening
Mon 3rd	7pm Bible Study
Sun 9th	10.50am REMEMBRANCE Sunday
	6.30pm Evening Worship with Wilson Paterson from
	the Worship Group including the Praise Band
Mon 10th	7pm Bible Study
Tue 11th	10am-7pm Prayer Vigil
Wed 12th	7.30pm Guild Annual Charity Night "Close Shave
	Barber Shop Chorus"
Sat 15th	10am-12 noon King's Park Brass Coffee Morning
Sun 16th	9.45am Early Morning Worship
	11am Morning Worship
Mon 17th	7pm Bible Study
Wed 19th	7pm Kirk Session
	8pm Congregational Board Meeting
Fri 21st	7.30pm Rutherglen Town Hall, King's Park Brass
	Concert, "Heroes and Villains"
Sun 23rd	9.45am Early Morning Worship
	11am Morning Worship,
Mon 24th	7pm Bible Study
Thur 27th	12 noon Community Lunch Club
Fri 28th	10.30-12noon Dementia Café in the St. Mungo Hall
Sat 29th	10am—2pm CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
Sun 30th	9.45am Early Morning Worship
	11am Morning Worship, 1st Sunday in Advent, Star
	Appeal Launched
December	
Mon 1st	7pm Bible Study
Tue 2nd	KP Chicks Bowling Outing
Sat 6th	2pm-4pm DVD Afternoon for P1-P5
Sat 6th	4pm-6pm Messy Church
Sun 7th	9.45am Early Morning worship
	11am Morning Worship, 2nd Sunday in Advent



Saturday 29th November 10am - 2pm entry by donation and £2 entry to the Tea Room.

Santa will be paying his annual visit to his grotto in the St Mungo Hall. He promises to bring a gift for every boy and girl who visit him on the day.

For your enjoyment and delight the following stalls will be available - bottles, books, cash in the attic, the kitchen cupboard (household & grocery), crafts, soft goods, jewellery, heavenly scent, pound stall, stationery, toys, tapes, CDs and DVDs, Partylite Candles and much more!

Donations for all stalls will be gratefully received at the Church from Monday 24th November until 8pm on Friday 29th November **No items should be brought for selling on the morning of the Bazaar. We will not accept clothing as donations.** Donations for the Home Baking Stall and Tea Room can be handed into the halls on the Friday Night or Saturday. Bottle and Heavenly Scent will be supported by the Guides and Brownies, Buttercups and Pathfinders and Sunday School Departments respectively.

The Bazaar Quiz will be available from the start of November at all the doors of the Church. Hot Pancakes will be on sale from the kitchen as usual.

Look forward to seeing you all on Saturday 29th November. Lets make this a happy and successful occasion.

Norah and Jonathan Buchan, Bazaar Convenors