

## **NEWSLETTER Autumn 2021**

### LETTER FROM OUR MINISTER

#### Dear Friends

On Friday I received this message:

"Are you here to put out the last lights in this dying Church of Scotland, or are you fired up about what, in His grace, God is planning to do in local communities through you?"

I wasn't in the original audience (the question was posed to a group of trainee ministers). However, I want to suggest that it's a question that all current ministers and members of the Church of Scotland need to grapple with.

For decades commentators outside the Church, and analysts within, have been writing the obituary of the denomination. They have been pencilling in the date when there will be no more members of the Church of Scotland. For context, over recent years, the membership of the Church of Scotland has reduced by the size of a village every year. During 2019 (the most recent year I could find numbers for) over 13,000 more members died or left the Church of Scotland, than joined the Church.

You may also have heard that at this year's General Assembly of the Church of Scotland plans were put in place to reduce the number of full time equivalent ministries by around 40% to 600 across the denomination over the next 5 years.

So what can we do about it?

In summer 2006 I found myself sitting in Brazil staring at the statistics that showed the decrease in church membership in the Presbytery of Edinburgh. I was there with a Brazilian missionary who was at home in Brazil on furlough. Edinburgh was their mission field – it was mine too...

One of the reasons I had justified going to Brazil for the whole summer was that it would allow me to test whether I should be 'doing mission'. While I was there, God told me – 'Yes' and then showed me the mission field on my doorstep. Fifteen years later, I am ashamed that I had to go halfway around the world to really see that.

Matthew 9:37b - 38

"The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

Fifteen years on, and after even further decline in the number of members in the Church of Scotland, I remain convinced that God has not given up on Scotland. I am convinced that God is working in Scotland. That God loves the people of Scotland. That God wants the people of Scotland to know Him. And that God has laid a call on all of us, as His Church, His workers, to share these truths and many others with our community and beyond.

We live in a world, a country, a city, a community that is crying out for the transforming power of the Holy Spirit; that needs to embrace the love of God the Father and the forgiveness and new life that is found through our Lord Jesus Christ's redemptive life, death and resurrection.

Are we sharing this? Are we living it? Are we praying? Are we going out into the world and seeking to proclaim the gospel to the people out there? We can't rely on people coming to us (although some people do) – in general we need to go to where people are and share Jesus there.

As a Kirk Session, and with our Ministry Team leaders, we have been considering what God is calling us to do particularly at this time as the world re-opens and what structures we should put in place to facilitate these. (Please pray for us in this endeavour and look out for more information.)

As we've done this, we've been drawn back to the basics of our Mission Statement:

Following Jesus Christ Glorifying God Serving Others

I would encourage each of you to consider: Do discipleship, worship of God and service run through our lives individually and as a church family?

Each of these is a core element of what it means to live a life of faith. They're not just opt-in qualities for some of us; they're for all of us as we live for God.

As we open up as lockdown restrictions ease and we re-open church activities again, let's 'Build Back Better'. (I may have borrowed that slogan that from the UK Government.) Let's re-commit to working through the building blocks God laid on our hearts when we engaged in the vision process

Building Unity
Building Mission
Building Faith
Building Family
Building Prayer

as we Follow Jesus, Glorify God and Serve Others.

Let's build as God wants us to in this new era for His Church. God is still at work; God is still building His church. Are we at work with Him? Are we building alongside Him?

With my love and prayers,

Alasdair

### CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

Communion will be celebrated on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at both services (11am and 6.30pm).

Some measure of Covid prevention will still need to be in place, but we are working to ensure these celebrations feel as natural and worshipful as possible.

We will make part of the 11am service available on YouTube Live and on catch up afterwards for those unable to come to the Sanctuary on the 12<sup>th</sup> September.

### **CHURCH FAMILY NEWS**

#### **Deaths**

William Townsend, Alison Brown, May Roberts

### **Disjunctions**

Sarah Carr, Marion Wrigley

### Letter from Elaine and Jim Tarves

We would like to express our deepest thanks and appreciation for all the support and love we have received since our granddaughter, Kiara's cancer diagnosis. We have been overwhelmed by your prayers, messages, phone calls and acts of kindness shown to our whole family.

It has been a beautiful example of people from our 3 churches coming together and we thank God for our church family. Thank you to those of you who used the Baptist church's Monday morning 'Rest and Restore' as a focus for prayer. We so appreciate this quiet space of reflection and prayer.

We are delighted to tell you that as of yesterday Kiara has been given the "all clear" and, although she is still obviously vulnerable to infection, our hearts are full of praise and thanksgiving to our faithful and wonderful God, and for our faithful and wonderful friends.

Thank you

Jim & Elaine





Hello from Cara at Cathcart Youth Ministry Partnership!

A big **thank you** for your ongoing support and encouragement of CYMP especially during the five-week Summer Programme.

With changing COVID-19 guidelines and restrictions nearly all of the CYMP Summer Programme was planned for outside and we were **amazed** we only had to use our wet weather option on the last afternoon of the Summer Programme which added to the excitement of **Fab Friyay!** 

The Summer Programme kicked off with me leading a **Scripture Union holiday: LM1**. We ran two online events and two-day camps at Lendrick Muir. Incredibly thankful for the fantastic weather, a brilliant team and exceptional young people and some young people who attended are involved at a CYMP partnership church. Very thankful we were able to offer both online and face to face which meant that those young people who had to self-isolate were able to be involved online.



For five Mondays we were able to run our first ever **Toddler Holiday Club** in the Kent Hall of Cathcart Trinity. Those five weeks were wonderful and a big thanks to everyone involved. *Baby Sensory Glasgow South* created a bespoke package for us that linked with **the Jungle Adventure Holiday Club** teaching. Every week was incredible and it was amazing to see the delight on the children's faces.

Our clue words for Jungle Adventure Holiday Club were:

- 1. Follow
- 2. Listen and Obey
- 3. Even the Wind and Waves Obey Him
- 4. Loaves and Fishes
- 5. Friendship

Tuesday evenings we hosted **Youth Café** in the grounds of Cathcart Baptist Church. Thank you to the young people who attended and due to the incredible weather, we were able to have our first ever Slip and Slide! Each week at Youth Café we looked at the Bible story of Joseph and the Triumph of Grace.

Wednesday afternoons we were at the Pro-Soccer pitches at Rouken Glen Park for **Lightspeed: Sports**. Thanks to our coaches Craig, Aaron and Stephen for their continued enthusiasm even in the incredible heat.

We ran **Creative Sessions** on Thursdays and there was a huge variety of activities from decoupage, friendship bracelets, pallet furniture making, creating your own pet rocks and pom-pom making. The sessions created an opportunity for all ages to be creative together.

Friday, we ran Jungle Adventure Holiday Club in the grounds of Cathcart Baptist. Due to number of restrictions, we ran the same programme in the morning and then again in the afternoon. Adaptability has been a key word for the past 18 months and I am very thankful to our volunteers and young people who adapted to holiday club and embraced all that we were able to do outside.

Whilst the Jungle Adventure Holiday Club was on, just round the corner in the gardens of Cathcart United Free Church, an exceptional team hosted the Jungle Java Café. Refreshments and individually wrapped home baking was available along with good conversation. For the first time this year the café offered a prayer space which will lead well into a new initiative called Renew/Wellbeing which will start this September 2021.

We also gathered with young people at Auldhouse Community Church for **Magnitude**, a hybrid youth festival. Magnitude included evening gatherings, challenges, worship and time to respond to God. This was a special time of being together, eating together, worshipping together and learning more about God together.

Our last event of the CYMP Summer Programme was a **Kahoot! Quiz** won by Team Watson. It was a great way to end the programme as it was all ages having fun together and enjoying each other's company and taking it in turn to sit on the newly built pallet furniture.

As I reflect upon the Summer Programme, I am **incredibly thankful**. Thankful for the creativity and the variety of activities we were able to offer. Thankful for the volunteer team that adapted to using the outside spaces. Thankful for the large and small grants we received to fund this Summer's programme. Thankful to everyone who attended the Summer Programme – our youngest person was 18 months old.

A key Bible verse for me this summer was Romans 10: 15 "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" Sharing the good news of Jesus Christ outside this summer not only impacted those who attended but also those in our community. It

has been so encouraging to hear good news stories because of what was happening outside the church buildings.

We are looking forward to the **new academic year** and thank you for your continued prayers and support as we enter into a new term.

Watch this space for more information about **The Vibe**: Skills for Living sessions.

Love,

Cara Wightman Senior Development Worker Cathcart Youth Ministry Partnership SC039290





#### Reflections on the Summer

Who would have thought that in Scotland, in July, we'd be able to run 5 weeks of Holiday Club and only have one afternoon of rain? It was such a blessing to be involved in the Friday part of the CYMP Holiday Club extravaganza throughout July as we met morning and afternoon in the Baptist Church gardens with different groups of kids for Jungle Adventure.

It was great to be able to meet with children in person and enjoy all the fun and messiness of Holiday Club – I drew the line at having my face transformed into a banana sundae but was fed a family sized tub of custard, quicker than Cara, to seal a points win for Coconut Crew on the last morning of Holiday Club!

Alongside the games and outdoor challenges, we explored stories about Jesus, including a full boat of disciples who got a bit wet, a parable told using sticks and sitting around a firepit to explore Peter's denial and restoration. There was lots of opportunity for questions and chats in small groups as we explored what it means to know Jesus today.

Others were involved throughout the week in other Jungle Adventure activities – Toddler Holiday Club, Youth Cafe, Sports and Crafts. Not to mention the Jungle Adventure Cafe in the grounds of the UF Church.

How amazing to be able to serve local families in so many different ways through the month of July!

Gail McLay

## Stephanie Kitchin (Jungle Adventurer)

Here are my favourite parts of Jungle Adventure:

We had fun being outside - much better than being on zoom!

Monkeying Around was the most fun with jam, cream and custard!

The bible stories were good.

Here are the big words:

Follow
Listen and Obey
Even the Wind and Waves Obey Him
Bread and Fish
Friendship

I loved all the songs at Jungle Adventure:

"Creator, Provider, Protector, Saviour and King."
"You can count on God."

This was my first year at **Lightspeed** and **Youth Cafe** – they were awesome too!

PS: The Banana Bunch were the best

### **Kirsty Kitchin** (Minion /Young Person)

The highlight of my summer was all the CYMP stuff that happened in July. Youth Cafe was a brilliant opportunity to chill with friends and learn about God. Lightspeed was an energetic couple of hours to play sport, even when it was boiling and Cara had to buy us a slushie!

Holiday Club from a Minion's perspective was a whole lot of fun, as well as it being quite cool to have hopefully been an inspiration to follow Jesus for the younger children.

Messy challenges were very silly and I even had my face turned into a banana split to gain points for my team! Possibly the best of all was Magnitude, a three evening celebration with worship and God-spots. friends and pizza. It was good to team up with Auldhouse Youth. The family kahoot guiz was great to round everything off and nice to bring everyone together.

Thanks a lot to Cara, Murdo and the rest of the team for an amazing summer.

Note: Not only were the Coconut Crew the best but we also actually





### **JUNGLE JAVA CAFE!**



Different place! Different time! Needed to be Covid compliant .... but the same purpose - to provide a space where people could meet and share with one another.

Throughout this pandemic it has been such an encouragement to see our garden spaces being used in new ways and our outdoor café was one very successful example of this.

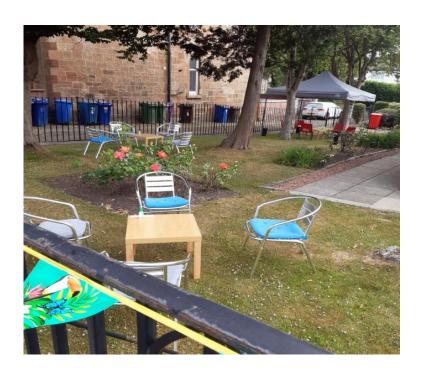
It was lovely to see so many folk coming each Friday and being able to enjoy the opportunity, in the lovely weather, to meet up with friends they hadn't seen for quite a while. Folk passing by were also welcomed in to sample the excellent, individually wrapped, home baking! Many conversations took place with those passing by!

café has always been a place of interaction and it has been our prayer that many of these conversations have met people's needs at a deeper level. Prayer is always central to our activities but this year, for the first time, an actual prayer space was set up. This was led by a small team following the Celtic rhythm of prayer. At specific times during the day there were opportunities for those there to spend time joining with others in a time of quiet reflection.

We would like to thank all of you who came along and enjoyed the café space. Thanks to your very generous donations over £800 was given to the work of CYMP. Huge thanks to the whole café team, to those who donated home baking and to the 'prayer space' team.

We give thanks to God for His provision in countless ways over these 5 Fridays in July.







In Paul's letter to the Philippians, he writes "Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

It is often said that prayer is at the heart of all that we are and do as church. How good it is that we can pray about anything, anywhere, at any time. We can pray silently; we can pray aloud. We can pray on our own and we can pray with others.

There are lots of ways in which we can grow in our prayer life – finding a regular rhythm within our day to pray, using prayer guides from Christian organisations, keeping prayer diaries. Praying with others can help inform our prayers and can be a great encouragement.

Throughout lockdown we have continued with Saturday morning prayer breakfasts – without the breakfasts! We have met on Zoom and have been able to pray together in small groups in just the same way as we would have when we were meeting physically. It's unclear when we might go back to meeting together so for the moment, we will continue to meet fortnightly from 9.00 – 10.00 on Saturday mornings. If you would like to join a breakfast, even just to check it out, please get in touch for the Zoom code.

The monthly prayer letter has restarted with different people producing the letter each month. The points in each letter are not a definitive list but hopefully will prompt other prayers too. The letter

is being distributed by email at the moment but if you would like a paper copy of it, please get in touch. If you feel that you could join the small group of people writing the prayer letters, again please get in touch.

For some time now, we have had an email prayer chain with Trinity and UF where specific or urgent prayer needs or requests are shared. Maybe you would like join this group and commit to praying for the people and situations that are shared? Or maybe you'd like us to pray about a specific situation? If so, get in touch!

If you feel that it is the right time for you to extend your prayer life in any of the above ways or you'd like some more information, you can email <a href="mailto:prayer@cathcarttrinity.org.uk">prayer@cathcarttrinity.org.uk</a> or phone or text the Trinity phoneline 07712 345301



### "TIME OUT" in DEVON!



11<sup>TH</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021 Redcliffe Hotel Paignton

The event is led by Dave Pope, the Bible Teacher is Rev. David Coffey and worship is led by Ian Watson

Please speak to Ian or Linda for full details – everyone welcome!



With my work hat on, it has been truly amazing to see a whole range of Scripture Union events happening, from Day Camps at the SU Centres, to Holiday Clubs across the country from Inverness to Islay to North Berwick!

There have been expedition events doing adventurous outdoor activities from Altnacriche and Holidays Unleashed events bringing holiday activities to local areas. Over 1000 young people attended an SU Holiday event and lots more attended local Missions. Give thanks for health and protection and for each volunteer who made all of that possible.

Give thanks for all the opportunities to share Jesus with young people and pray for the seed that has been sown to be fruitful.

As young people get back to school and restrictions continue to be removed pray for wisdom and creativity as plans for a new season of activities take shape.

Gail McLay

## Snowdrops

We're restarting Tuesday 7th September

**Cathcart Trinity Church** 

for more information contact Gail McLay 569 5503

## Crafts, games and fun activities



## Pre Brownies group for girls aged 4-7





### WIDER WORLD MISSION

### Discipleship: deepening the roots of our faith

"Go and make disciples" is Christ's final command to the Church.



Christians face the twin challenges of making disciples of ourselves, and making disciples of others. Discipleship with its twin priorities is perhaps the most pressing challenge that faces the Church.

Discipleship is vital for new Christians, turning an encounter with Christ into a walk with Christ, learning to walk alongside others in Christian communities. Discipleship is equally important among people with a long Christian heritage or who grew up in Christian homes. Much is lost unless each new generation meets and follows Christ for itself.

**Pray** for all disciple-makers around the world – all those who explain and apply the Bible week by week; those who teach the children; the youth workers who lead and mentor young people.

**Pray** for all those who train the disciple-makers of the future. Some of this is done formally in thousands of training institutes. Some is done informally through mentoring. Pray for a training ethos to spread through the Church.

**Pray** for the songwriters, musicians and worship leaders who set truth to music, and who can give voice to our voiceless prayers, enabling the word to 'dwell richly among us' (Colossians 3:16).

**Pray** the great prayers of the Bible for ourselves and the whole Church – that we would grow in our understanding of God, our grasp of his love, our unity, our perceptiveness and fruitfulness in his service.

Discipleship is the most pressing challenge that faces the Church.

#### ASIA

Asia is home to 60% of the world population across 48 countries. It is also a mosaic of 5000 ethnolinguistic peoples. These peoples can be clustered into a dozen blocs of related groups, including:

**South Asian peoples** (37% of Asia's population): mostly in India, Pakistan and Bangladesh. The Church is growing among the poor, less so among the rest.

**East Asian** (36%): In South Korea the Church is a large part of society; in North Korea, a hunted minority; in Japan a respected few; in China a fast-growing new reality.

**Malay** (8%) These well-travelled peoples have welcomed the gospel in the Philippines and in some parts of Indonesia. Christians are much fewer in Malaysia, and many parts of Indonesia still have few Christians.

**South East Asia** (5.4%): In Vietnam, Thailand, Cambodia, Myanmar and Laos, only a few of these Buddhist peoples have enjoyed significant movements to Christ, though Vietnam has a rapidly growing Church.

**Turkic** (3.7%): These Muslim peoples of Central Asia enjoyed a burst of church growth after the fall of Communism. Now it is harder.

**Iranian-Median** (3.6%): Very few of these people in Iran, Pakistan, Azerbaijan, Syria and Turkey are Christians, though the Church is growing fast in Iran. Satellite TV and the internet are helping take the gospel beyond closed borders.

**Arab World** (2.8%): The ancient churches are declining, often through emigration. But a new (and still much smaller) Church is emerging as people turn to Christ from a Muslim background.

**Tibetan/Himalayan** (2.3%): Some peoples in NE India, W China and Nepal have turned to Christ. Most have not, including Burmese and Tibetan peoples.

Asia's Christians were 1.8% of the world population in 1900 and 5.2% in 2018.

**Pray** that there will be many more turnings to Christ in Asia - on a scale and depth that will amaze us!

The above information comes from "Praying for the World"

#### **IMRAN'S UPDATE**

Imran is encouraged to have seen a small number of people coming to faith and preparing for baptism. He has been invited to attend a conference in Germany in September related to his work. Please pray that visas and travel permission will be made available soon. Nagina continues her work with Christian women. Please continue to pray for healing for Nagina in her ongoing health issues. A number of their volunteer workers were attacked and beaten by a mob but bravely continued to hand out New Testaments when they were released by the police. Pray for perseverance in this work in the face of opposition

### **CATHERINE'S UPDATE**

Please pray for "Jamie", who just loves hearing everything she hears about Jesus, and has asked to hear a new story every day. Pray for "Mary," who has become a dear friend. Praise God for her openness to the stories she hears, her enjoyment of all the team, and her critique of her own culture. Pray for "Faith," a young woman who considers us her family, and attends our weekly worship and Bible study times.

Please pray that the Holy Spirit would convict each one, and the thousands of other North Africans, of their sinfulness and the truth of

the Gospel. Please pray for our part of the town, with drugs, prostitution, domestic abuse and an increasing sense of insecurity in the streets. Please pray that many would find their hope and freedom in Christ. Pray that believers would become united in prayer for their city, and many would be drawn here to be salt and light.

Pray for the Holy Spirit to guide us as we consider the year ahead, and for our fruit to come from remaining in the Vine.

### WORLD MISSION WEEKEND 30<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER 2021

Please put this weekend in your diary! Details of the weekend are to be finalised but will probably include:

Saturday 30th 9-10 am Prayer Breakfast

7.30pm Special Mission Evening in UF Church

**Sunday 31st** Morning services 11am UF Church and Trinity

Evening service 6.30pm Trinity

**Speakers** Rev R Maclean UFM Scottish director

Ben and Lys Griffin - former missionaries in West Africa now working in a digital ministry with UFM

### **Pray for Afghanistan**



## ART & CRAFT CLUB

After not meeting for 15 months, in June 2021 we managed to have three socially distanced mornings at the Art and Craft Club in the Buchanan Hall. 12-14 members came and the joy at being together again, face to face, or mask to mask was wonderful. There is nothing to beat meeting in the same space, although we must be grateful to have had the telephone and Zoom to have been able to keep in contact throughout the pandemic restrictions.

The good news is that we can commence our session 2021-2022 from **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021**, meeting as usual in the **Buchanan Hall at 10am**. Do come along then with all the ideas that you have been storing up for almost 2 years now. Don't forget your mug!

Fiona Sutherland

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### **CHURCH GARDEN**

Many thanks to all the willing volunteers who participated in the "Church Gardening Party" on Saturday 14 August. Much weeding and cutting back of overgrown shrubs was completed. The provision of food and refreshments by the volunteers in the kitchen was



greatly appreciated and helped in the enjoyment and productivity of the day. Everyone had a great day, not least Jim, who "wheelie" enjoyed himself!

Attempting this task as a group helped us to appreciate the sterling work accomplished in the garden by David Lindsay over many years. David is now unable to continue this work, and all who have enjoyed the peace and beauty of the garden over this period are most grateful for the time and effort that David put into maintaining the garden.

It is proposed that a gardening team will now take on the task of maintaining the garden. Volunteers are asked to opt for one aspect of the gardening:

1. **Mowing** (mowing and edging the two lawns and the embankment at the rear)

2. **Weeding** (flower beds, gravel areas and paved areas)

3. **Pruning** (shrubs, roses and other large plants).

Most of the work in the garden is required during the period March to October and could be tackled at any time which suits the individual volunteer.

If you are interested in volunteering for one of these tasks, please email me at <a href="mailto:angusmorrison@talktalk.net">angusmorrison@talktalk.net</a>



### Reflections on 'Rest and Restore' at Cathcart Baptist Church

In the past I have expressed my inner thoughts as regards the prayer time, set aside by the Baptist Church, for the whole of the community in Cathcart. For me, it is that sense of privacy in praying in silence alongside others, albeit a distance apart.

There is certainly nothing new about a Church Sanctuary being open to all who might wish to spend such a time in personal prayer, but in this case there is a welcome or invitation which is 'couthy', and in this particular setting, it radiates a welcome, peace, calm, silence, and of course the freedom to come & go as one wishes. In the company of others, but in private -- I seek prayer time, distanced from the world outside.

At times we can all find this solitude in the home, or parkland, or hillside, and sometimes even while walking on a pavement, but in such, I often find the distraction of the 'world' tends to interrupt my meditation and focus. Not so within the Baptist Church.

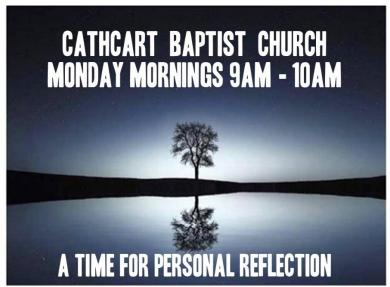
At the end of each session and particularly in recent times, I always appreciate the hard work and effort, which enables the use of the expanse of the Sanctuary and other facilities within the Church, while adhering to any current restrictions as regards tracing, seating, etc.

The end result is a true Sanctuary in every sense, for all who wish to spend a 'quiet' time with our Lord.

Thank you

Jim Tarves

# rest and restore



Cathcart Baptist Church is open on a Monday morning from 9am - 10am for "Rest & Restore". Drop in and enjoy a quiet space to rest, to pray, to enjoy the peace and a cup of tea is available too. A good opportunity at the start of the week to bring the week ahead in prayer...or just to have a few moments of silence on your own. It is a lovely, peaceful space for folks from the different churches.

### **Fabric and Hall Report**

By the time that you get this Newsletter, work may have started on the roof repairs. Work is planned between the end of August and September so you will be aware of scaffolding around certain areas of the church mainly the back left corner.

It is envisaged that the work will take approx 4 weeks dependent as always on the weather.

General maintenance has been carried out over the summer months and our thanks must go to Stuart McCloy for all his hard work in keeping the buildings in good condition.

### Halls

Many long-standing organisations have already made plans to come back into the church at the start of the new session.

Over the summer months a couple of new organisations have approached the church for use of our halls.



Firstly, Glasgow South Table Tennis Club are using our halls 7:30 till 9:30pm Tuesday and Thursday. This is a new venture within Cathcart Trinity Church and they have been playing well for the last couple of months since the relaxation of non contact sports. If you thought that table tennis was a nice sedate sport then you should pay a visit to the club one evening and see how competitive they really are.

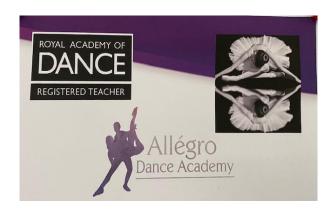


The second new group is Hear My Music.

Hear My Music believe that music is a powerful tool that breaks down barriers for vulnerable people. For people who find language, communication and social interaction a challenge, using music can offer the opportunity to be heard and to find a place in society.

Hear My Music work with people of all ages throughout Scotland and have set up groups and sessions based on specific needs, and also run projects in more formal settings such as schools and day centres.

We believe that everybody should have the opportunity to engage with music, ensuring that no individual is excluded. Individuals who have problems engaging in groups due to behavioural issues, anxiety, difficulties with communication and difficulties with social interaction are positively welcomed. We welcome them into our church on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons between 3:30 & 6:30pm.



Thirdly we welcome back the Allegro Dance Academy who started their time with Cathcart Trinity Church in the month before Covid struck.

Allegro Dance Academy has branches in various locations in Milngavie, Bearsden and South Glasgow, where the aim is to enable each student to achieve their full dance potential in a nurturing and caring environment. We follow the prestigious and globally recognised Royal Academy of Dance syllabus, designed to develop confidence, poise, co-ordination, artistry and expression. Students also learn self discipline and social skills.

Allegro meet between 4:00 & 6:00pm on Wednesday.

Roy Kinnear Fabric Convenor



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