### Intimations:

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May:** Worship next Sunday will be conducted by Rev Sheila Mitchell.

**Church Rota:** The new Sunday rota for the months of May and June is now on display in the church and on the website.

**Bennachie Church Family Picnic:** Join us for a parish-wide afternoon of fun on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June at Monymusk. from 2pm-4pm

**Presbytery Clerk:** The Presbytery of the North East and Northern Isles has announced the appointment of the Rev Stella Campbell as the new full-time Presbytery Clerk. Rev Campbell will take up post in July 2024.

**Worship Training:** In recognition of the increasing numbers of people becoming involved in leading parts of our services, an informal 'support and share' session will take place on Tuesday 14th May at 7pm in Echt Church. The evening will cover subjects such as accessing resources and speaking in public, and aims to be an informal opportunity for us to look at how we develop worship across our parish and build on our collective skills. Anyone already involved in our services (in any way) as well as those interested in finding out more, will be made very welcome.

**Soup and Sweet:** In support of Christian Aid Week, a Soup and Sweet lunch will be held in Echt Village Hall on Sunday 19th May from 11.30am until 1pm. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church for offers of help. **Christian Aid Week:** The West Church in Inverurie will be hosting a charity Book Sale from the 11<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> May between 10am and 4pm. Donations of books and jigsaws would be welcome.

Plant Sale and Coffee Morning: Chapel of Garioch village hall on Saturday 25th May from 10am until 12 noon. £5 entry in aid of parish funds. (Donations of plants, items for hampers, baking, produce and raffle prizes will all be most welcome. Please hand any donations to the ministers, to the church office or to Stella Gauld at 35 Kendal Road, Kemnay.).
Parish Holiday Club: The club will take place from the 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> August 2024 between 10am and 12 noon in Monymusk Village/public hall. Volunteers are still needed to assist with registration, group time, crafts and to serve refreshments. Help is also needed in the washing up department! Please speak to Elizabeth Watt for more information.



Bennachie Parish Church of Scotland at Kintore

> Seventh Sunday of Easter Ascension of the Lord Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024



# Christian Aid Week: Extraordinary Love

Bennachie Parish Church of Scotland Scottish Charity No. SC014790 www.bennachieparish.church

### 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Ascension Sunday – Christian Aid

A warm welcome to worship at Kintore Church with the congregation of Bennachie Parish Church of Scotland. During the service you are very welcome to stand or sit as you wish or feel able.

Tea and coffee will be served at the close of the service.

God calls us to worship...

Please stand for the entry of the Bible

Call to Worship

#### We draw near to God...

CH4 438 The head that once was crowned with thorns (6vv)

Prayers of Approach, Confession & Assurance of Grace

MP 651 The Kingdom of God is Justice and Joy (4vv)

Our Life Together

## We listen to God's Word...

Christian Aid Intro & Aline's Story

Christian Aid Video

CH4 544 When I needed a neighbour, were you there? (6vv)

From the Bible: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 Matthew 25:31-40

Sermon – Extraordinary Love

# We respond in faith, hope and love...

We offer our gifts (CH4 443 He is Lord – 4vv)

Prayers of the People (including the Lord's Prayer)

# God sends us into the world...

CH4 459 Crown him with many crowns (3vv)

Benediction and Choral Amen (Amen, amen, alleluia, amen.)

Please remain standing as the Bible leads us into the world.

	May Foodbank Wish List
Christian Aid Week – QR Code to	Fruit Juice (1 Litre long-life boxes)
make a donation via e-envelope:	Boxes of cereal (not giant ones,
	please)
	Tinned tomatoes
	Tinned spaghetti
	Tinned custard
	Packets of biscuits
Scan this QR code to see this	Packed cereal bars,
week's notices video:	Currently we have a very good
	supply of pasta, soup, beans &
	porridge oats,
	Thank you for your continuing
	support

## Use these links to watch services online:

Kintore Zoom Link: Meeting ID: 838 9692 5396 Passcode: 712200 Kemnay YouTube & Facebook: <u>https://viewservice.kemnayparish.church</u> Blairdaff/Chapel of Garioch YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/@blairdaffchapelofgariochch7337/live