

CHURCH BULLETIN

We are a congregation of the Free Church of Scotland. We gather each Lord's Day to praise and worship the only true and living God

16th November 2025



WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES TODAY

Today's services will be taken by Rev Calum MacDonald.

At the **11.00am** service, the Scripture reading will be Matthew 7:1-14, and the sermon will focus on verses 13-14.

At the **6.00pm** service, the Scripture reading will be Malachi 3 and the sermon will focus on verses 16-17.

	11.00am Service		6.00pm Service	
1	Psalm 27:7-11	Sing Psalms	Psalm 63:1-8	Scottish Psalter
2	Psalm 11	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 147:7-13	Sing Psalms
3	Psalm 125	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 139:14-18	Sing Psalms
4	Psalm 1	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 84:8-12	Scottish Psalter

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School will meet in the Hall as usual, and the children will go to their classes during the second item of praise. Please remember the teachers and children in prayer.

SERVICES NEXT LORD'S DAY

The services next Lord's Day will be taken by Rev Coiln Macleod (11am) and Mr Joe Macphee (6pm)

PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY

The prayer meeting and Bible study will take place on **Wednesday 19th November at 7pm** in Bragar. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED

The Christianity Explored course will begin on **Thursday 4th December in the Church Hall at 7.30pm**. The course is suitable **for anyone** looking to explore the Christian faith, who Jesus is and why he matters. To find out more about the course visit this link [Christianity Explored](#). The course is usually held in the Church Hall in a relaxed and informal setting. Please be encouraged to attend – you don't have to speak unless you wish to, and you can simply listen in to the discussion.

LADIES NIGHT

The next Ladies Night will be on **Thursday 27th November at 7pm** in the Manse. Shona Macleod from the Stornoway Foodbank will be the speaker.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

The funeral of the late Neil Mitchell Smith, latterly of Glasgow, will take place from Bragar Meeting House on **Thursday 20th November**, with the service of worship commencing at **11.00am**.

PROVIDENCE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PRAYER MEETING

All are warmly invited to a prayer meeting at Providence Christian School on **Monday 17th November at 7.30pm**, led by Rev John Macleod (Rtd). This will be held at PCS (Cearns community Centre, Stornoway). There will be a time of fellowship afterwards over a cup of tea. For those unable to join in person, a Teams option is available through office@providencechristian.school

The Spirit of God is not bound by human borders. He goes where he pleases to glorify Christ
(A.W. Tozer)

PRAYER POINTS 10th NOVEMBER – 16th NOVEMBER 2025

Monday 10th November

Urray and Strathconon

Pray that God would strengthen our church family, and that there would be a clear gospel witness in Muir of Ord.

Tuesday 11th November

Rebecca Tait, OM

Rebecca Tait is serving on the Logos Hope OM Ship, where she will be serving as a teacher to the children of missionaries on the ship, as well as being involved in other ministries onboard the ship. Give thanks a good start to the new school term and for how well the children and I are settling into the school year.

Wednesday 12th November

National Day of Prayer

Each year, we set aside a day to pray for our nation and the work of our denomination in sharing the gospel. Please pray for our national day of prayer on Wednesday the 26th of November, that the Lord would hear the prayers of his people and move mightily across the nation.

Thursday 13th November

Rebecca Tait, OM

Give thanks for all of the people who have experienced the gospel while the Logos Hope has been in the Bahamas even although the stay in Freeport was cut short.

Friday 14th November

Greyfriars

Pray that the Lord would continue to strengthen the unity of the congregation; that members would grow in faithful witness to the gospel in their homes, workplaces, and community.

Saturday 15th November

Urray and Strathconon

Pray that we would influence our local community for Christ. Pray for the Christianity Explored course taking place this month, that many would come to know Jesus as their personal Lord and Saviour.

Sunday 16th November

Rebecca Tait, OM

Pray for our visits to British Virgin Islands, St Kitts & Nevis and Antigua & Barbuda over the next month that there will be lots of visitors to the ship and opportunities for outreach even although our ports are short.

PREACHING PATHWAY WORKSHOPS

Preaching Pathway Workshops - The next meeting of the Preaching Pathway will be on **Monday 24th November from 7pm – 9pm** upstairs in the M.A. Hall, Kenneth St, Stornoway. These workshops are for all men currently involved, or interested in becoming involved, in preaching. All are welcome, even if you were unable to attend previous workshops. (Future workshop dates are scheduled to be held, 26/1/26, 2/3/26, 20/4/26.)

If you seek first to please God and are satisfied therein, you have but one to please instead of multitudes; and a multitude of masters are harder to please than one

Richard Baxter

Revival cannot be organised, but we can set our sails to catch the wind from heaven when God chooses to blow upon His people once again.

G Campbell Morgan