

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.
5th July 2026



WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES TODAY

Today's services in **Shawbost** will be taken by **Rev. Roddy John Campbell & Rev. James MacIver** will take the **Gaelic Service in Bragar at 6pm**. We are grateful to both Rev. Campbell & Rev. MacIver for their continued support during our time of vacancy.

11.00am Service - Shawbost Rev. R J Campbell		6.00pm Service - Shawbost Rev. R J Campbell		
Scripture readings: Esther 2 (Txt 2:15-18) Sermon Title: The Chosen Queen		Scripture reading: Ruth 2 (Txt 2:1) Sermon Title: Ruth meets Boaz		
1	Psalm 8	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 84: 1-5	Scottish Psalter
2	Psalm 37: 1-7	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 115: 9-11	Sing Psalms
3	Psalm 1 (a)	Sing Psalms	Psalm 139: 14-18	Scottish Psalter
4	Psalm 96: 1-5	Scottish Psalter	Psalm 118: 24-29	Scottish Psalter

SUNDAY SCHOOL

There will be no Sunday School today due to the school holiday.

SERVICES NEXT LORD'S DAY

The services next Lord's Day will be at the usual time of **11.00am and 6.00pm**. The preacher for each service is to be confirmed.

TEA & COFFEE

Tea and coffee (juice available for children) will be served after the morning service today. All are very welcome.

PRAYER MEETING AND BIBLE STUDY

The prayer meeting and Bible study will take place on **Wednesday 8th July at 7pm in Bragar**. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The congregational **AGM** will take place on **Wednesday 15th July at 7pm in the Church Hall**. An overview of the audited Congregational Accounts for 2025 will be provided in addition to a property update. Everyone is welcome to attend.

DEACONS' COURT PROPERTY UPDATE

In light of progress made across various property projects over the last year, as well as further works planned for the interior of the Church sanctuary scheduled to commence in August, the Deacons' Court has prepared a property update which is available at the door.

FREE CHURCH YOUTH CAMPS

Kincaig Seniors, Junior Football & Oswestry Seniors – PRAYER POINT

As noted overleaf in the prayer points, the Free Church Camps have commenced into a new week, and we are encouraged to keep this matter in prayer. Please especially remember the children from our own congregation who are attending any of the above camps this week.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES – BRAGAR MISSION HOUSE

The next evangelistic service will be held in the Bragar Mission House on **Tuesday 7th July 2026**. The preacher will be Rev. Alan Blaney, Stormoway Free Church of Scotland (Continuing). Everyone is warmly invited to attend, regardless of denominational affiliation.

PRAYER POINTS 29th June – 5th July

Please note that the prayer points below are received from the Free Church Office on Mondays. Although they reach our intimations sheet with some delay, we encourage you to remember these matters in prayer.

Monday 29th June

Crow Road

Please pray for our summer events: Summer Sunday School, mission outreach at commonwealth games, starting a summer club event. Summer Sunday School runs through July and early August, with general volunteers from the church leading – with some young people getting their first experience. Mission outreach at the commonwealth games is in conjunction with OM and other churches in Glasgow and is taking place from the 25th to 31st of July. Crow Road will be used as a base for the outreach. Pray for volunteers to support the outreach and hospitality of the OM and outreach mission teams. And, lastly, we are running a summer club in the first week of August for children in the Partick/Thornwood area. This is a new venture for us, taking place in the evening. With it being our first attempt, it is very much a "let's find our way." Pray that the Lord will find a way for us!

Tuesday 30th June

Dumisani

Pray for the lecturers at Dumisani who are busy marking Term Two and Winter School assignments and exams. Pray that the lecturers will be given patience and the comments they make will help and guide students in their work and ministries.

Wednesday 1st July

Lochbroom and Coigach

Please pray for courageous faith and witness in the communities of Lochbroom and Coigach as a means to pique the interest of those lost, who are without hope and without God in the world.

Thursday 2nd July

Crow Road

Giving thanks across Helensburgh and Crossbridge church plants and in Crow Road itself for growth in the church, both in numbers and spiritually. We have a large student cohort in Crow Road who are actively involved in serving, which is a great blessing to us all, of all ages. We would request prayer for the next phases of the developments of our church plants and the development of our church facilities here in Crow Road, there is much to be done. Pray that the Lord would continue to work in the lives of those in the church for maturing and deepening of their faith in Him.

Friday 3rd July

Dumisani

Continue to pray for Dumisani Theological Institute, Eastern Cape, SA as it looks to develop two more partnerships, one a BTh with Mukhanyo Theological College and one with AIM.

Saturday 4th July

Free Church Youth Camps

Please pray for Kincaig Seniors, Junior Football and Oswestry Seniors I which head off to camp this week. Please pray for travelling mercies for all campers and leaders, and that each camper would settle in well and build many new friendships. Pray that the gospel would take roots in their hearts and pray for the leaders as they share and witness throughout the week.

Sunday 5th July

Lochbroom and Coigach

Pray for opportunities to evangelise and disciple men to be the next generation of leaders in the congregation and godly leaders in the home and community.

"Called to be saints" – Romans 1:7

"Trust ye in the Lord for ever: for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength" – Isaiah 26:4

Morning & Evening Daily Readings (July 5th) - C.H Spurgeon