



What's on this week at The Steeple

Monday	12noon - 4pm Church Open 14.00 Parish Nursing drop-in
Tuesday	NO Alpha this week
Wednesday	12.30 Midweek at The Steeple
Thursday	10.00 Steeple Men 14.00 Parish Nursing drop-in 18.00 Local Mission Team
Sunday	10.30 Morning Worship

Hall bookings - Helen Fettes and Colin Paterson co-ordinate volunteers to cover external bookings - welcoming groups, serving tea/coffee, etc. If you could help in any way please speak to them.
Helen: info@thesteeple.org.uk
Colin: hallvolunteers@thesteeplechurch.org.uk

It would be appreciated if items for the [notice sheet](#) could be submitted to the church office by 1pm on Thursday. 01382 200031 office@thesteeplechurch.org.uk

Church of Scotland **WORLD MISSION Stamp Appeal** – used stamps can be put in the box at Reception.

Freewill Offering Envelopes - If you would like envelopes speak to Alister Stibbles any Sunday morning or by phone (Tel. 776374). Envelopes can be obtained any time during the year.

ORDER OF SERVICE HARVEST

Gathering

Welcome and prayer
Praise: Come you thankful people come
'Comfort zones and planet earth'
Praise: All things bright and beautiful
Notices

Word

Harvest meditation: 'From a distance'
Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7, Matthew 21: 33-46
Praise: For the fruits of all creation
'Free to Serve and Steward'

Thanksgiving

Offering/Praise: Inspired by love and anger
Film: The Bennetts in Rwanda
Prayer for others - Doug Forbes
Praise: For the healing of the nations

Benediction (You are invited to say...)
To Christ, be Praise!
To the Cosmos, Hope!
To the City, Peace!
To the Church, Courage!
Amen.

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Sunday 8 October

We give a warm welcome to visitors who have joined us today.

THIS MORNING

'My child, give me your heart'

Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7, Matthew 21: 33-46



This Week ...

TODAY

10.30am Morning Worship - This morning we celebrate Harvest. Our offerings this year are for the work of Drs Steve & Catriona Bennett at Gahini Hospital in Rwanda. We will see a short film they have sent from the hospital. Envelopes for the Harvest Offering are available today. Please return envelopes by the end of October. The bible reading is Isaiah 5:1-7 & Matthew 21:33-46 and the theme 'Free to Serve and Steward'

MONDAY 9 OCTOBER

12noon —4pm Open Monday. If you would like to be involved in this area of ministry please speak to Robert Calvert or John Clark.

WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER

12.30—1pm Midweek at the Steeple. This week - 'You are the light of the world!' Tea/coffee available from 12noon. All Welcome.

THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER

The Steeple Church Local Mission Team will meet between 6 and 9 pm at the Roseangle Kitchen Cafe and share a light meal together. All are welcome to join us, but please let John Clark know by Tuesday 10 October if you would like to come.

SUNDAY 15 OCTOBER

10.30am Morning Worship - We continue our series in Matthew's Gospel.

Bob Potter completed the Glasgow Half Marathon last weekend in 1 hour 54 minutes. in aid of **Parish Nursing** at The Steeple Church. It is not too late to donate if you wish <http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/charities/SteepleParishNursingProject>

CROSSREACH Christmas Card brochures, latest **Magazine and Prayer Diary** are all available today on the rack in Haldane, at the back of the church and in the reception area. If you have been collecting round pounds for the Old Pounds, New Opportunities project, details of how to send the proceeds to Crossreach are on the collecting boxes at the back of the church.

Steeple Men meet weekly on a **Thursday morning 10am - 12noon** . We play pool and other games as well as chat over hot drinks. If you would appreciate company you are welcome to join us.

Last week we presented **Cathy Brodie** with a cheque for £75 to mark her ordination, and she is looking for clerical clothes and ministry aids.

Dundee Nativity - Wanted: Actors for the play / Singers for the choir. Rehearsals are on Friday evenings from 7pm to 9pm at Meadowside St Paul's Church Halls Contact Jerry Averill or come along averillcreatives@gmail.com.

The play will be performed in The Steeple Church on the following dates:

Friday 24th November at 7.15 pm
Saturday 25th November at 2.30 pm
Sunday 26th November at 2.30 pm



Coming up ...

Some dates for your diary:

Alpha continues on **17 and 31 October, 14 and 28 November and 12 December**. Could you prepare a meal on one of these six dates before Christmas? A sign-up sheet is at the back of the church.

The Monday evening **English Class for Chinese students** is for those who wish to improve their English Half the time practice in TALKING/ LISTENING in a small group with native English speaker and half the time reading and understanding through answering questions. Also opportunity to improve Writing skills. The class will start properly on 30 October

CALLING ALL CRAFTERS! We are having a **Prepare for Christmas** morning on **4th November** - a morning of creating, making, chatting, listening and preparing for Christmas. Cathy Brodie is our guest speaker this year. Booking forms available today.

Total Recal Choir are giving a Winter Concert in The Steeple on 4 November at 6.30pm. Tickets are available from Rosalind Alexander £10 each (£7 for concessions including school children). Tel. 07879 046 285.

Advance notice: There will be a **CLC Christmas bookstall** at the Steeple on the first Sunday in Advent 3 December and also on 10 December for the DECA annual service at City Church at 7 pm. A good opportunity to support a Christian charity and buy some Christmas gifts.