



What's on this week at The Steeple

Monday	12noon - 4pm Church Open 14.00 Parish Nursing drop-in
Tuesday	19.00 Café Church
Wednesday	12.30 Lunchtime Service 19.30 Kirk Session
Thursday	10.00 Steeple Men 14.00 Parish Nursing drop-in
Saturday	10.00 Family Playgroup
Sunday	10.30 Morning Worship

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

Church of Scotland [WORLD MISSION Stamp Appeal](#) – used stamps can be put in the box at Reception.

[Dundee Foodbank](#) - the collecting boxes in the Reception area - donations are welcome at any time. Urgently needed food items include: Tinned fruit, Tinned puddings (eg rice pudding/custard. sponge puddings), tinned meat (eg spam, ham, corned beef), tinned vegetables, UHT milk (1 litre), coffee, toiletries, tinned fish (eg tuna/sardines)

The latest [World Mission magazine](#) is now available.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome and prayer  
Praise: The God of Abraham praise  
'Entertaining strangers'  
Praise: Give thanks with a grateful heart  
Notices  
Reading: Genesis 18:1-15 - Sara Swanston  
Praise: Holy Spirit we welcome you  
Come to us beloved stranger  
'Hospitality and Hope'  
Offering / Praise: Be still for the presence of the Lord  
Prayer for others – Tom Ramsay  
Praise: God is good we sing and shout it  
Meet the children  
Praise: God is our strength and refuge  
Benediction

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## Sunday 15 April

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

THIS MORNING  
Genesis 18:1-15  
'Hospitality and Hope'



## This Week ...

### TODAY

**10.30am Morning Worship** - Genesis 18:1-15

'Hospitality and Hope'

**12noon** Stated Annual Meeting followed by our monthly church lunch.

Our new Community Engagement Worker **Fiona Dixon** will be with us this morning.

### MONDAY 16 APRIL

**10am - 12noon Connections Café** - details opposite

**12noon —4pm Open Monday.** Details from Robert Calvert, Dona Robertson or John Clark.

### TUESDAY 17 APRIL

**7 - 9pm Café Church.** Prayer - what is it? The evening will include food, film and conversation. Every second Tuesday - April 17, May 1, 15 & 29, June 12 & 26.

### WEDNESDAY 18 APRIL

**12.30—1pm Midweek at the Steeple.** Series: 'Faith in a faithless world' This week 'Daniel: Government Official (Daniel 1-6)' Tea/coffee from 12noon.

**7.30pm Kirk Session** meeting in Wishart

### SATURDAY 21 APRIL

**10am - 12noon Family Playgroup.** Details from Emily or Alan McKay.

### SUNDAY 22 APRIL

**10.30am Morning Worship** - Out guest preacher will be Elaine Duncan, Chief Executive of the Scottish Bible Society .

**Café Church** at The Steeple is on fortnightly (April 17, May 1, 15 & 29, June 12 & 26). Café Church evenings start with a simple meal together and we are looking for volunteers to provide a meal for each week. Please speak to Robert if you would be willing to cook for one of the dates.

Coffee and Conversation at the **Connections Café**

This new project (a joint venture between The Steeple Church, Meadowside St Paul's Church and St Andrew's Church) is open every Monday from 10 -12 at Meadowside St Paul's to provide a safe space for the 'New Scots' and others to meet, to make new friends and practice their English.

If you want to know more, please speak to John Clark or email [ccdundee@outlook.com](mailto:ccdundee@outlook.com).

The latest newsletter (link letter no. 6) from **Steve and Catriona Bennett** is available, and on the table at the back of the sanctuary.

The **April church magazine** is available today.

This year the **Church of Scotland's Stamp Appeal** will support centers for young people with learning difficulties and disabilities in the Ukraine.

Thanks to the centers, young people are given the opportunity to thrive, to make friends, and to take part in a range of activities. Therapists who work at the center offer either individual or group therapies, which include educational activities (writing and reading), massages, games, music, craft work, walks and games. The families of the young people are also given support, and an opportunity to meet other parents who are caring for a child or young person with a disability. Used stamps can be put in the green box on the Reception desk.



## Coming up ...

### Some dates for your diary:

**International Workers Memorial Lecture** Friday 27 April 12.30 - 2pm at The Steeple Church. Speaker: Amy McDonald - 'Feeling Right at Work'. Founded by Amy, Headtorch aims to improve mental health and well-being in the workplace. A finger buffet will be provided. To reserve a place phone 01382 431557 or email [iwml@dundee.gov.uk](mailto:iwml@dundee.gov.uk)

There will be a short **Congregational Board** meeting immediately after worship on **Sunday 29 April**.

**Messy Church** - Sunday 6 May 2.30pm. Activities, songs, food, crafts, games, stories - ideal for families with children up to P7. In May we will be exploring the Fruit of the Spirit.

**Workplace Chaplaincy Scotland** is holding an Introductory Afternoon on Monday 7 May 12.30 - 3.30pm at Beans and Berries coffee shop in Commercial Street. To find out more, get involved or to book a place please contact Geoff Findlay or Chic Lidstone [Geoff.findlay@wpcscotland.co.uk](mailto:Geoff.findlay@wpcscotland.co.uk) 07933 167 480 [Chic.lidstone@wpcscotland.co.uk](mailto:Chic.lidstone@wpcscotland.co.uk) 07814 093 240

**Save the Date - Tearfund Scotland 50th Anniversary Jubilee Concert:** A musical reflection on Jubilee themes of restoration, freedom and love with David Lyon, Yvonne Lyon, Eilyn Oliver and Allan McKinlay. **Saturday 9 June** at 7.30pm at The Steeple Church. More details from Alistair Emslie-Smith. The Jubilee CD will also be available for sale