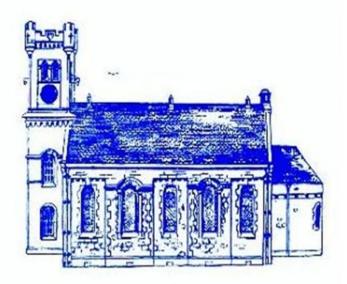
# Spring & Summer 2021





# KIRK NEWS





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#### Pastoral Letter from Rev A Kimmitt

April 2021

#### Hello from the manse!

The first thing I want to say is that I hope as you are reading this, you and yours are safe and well. If ever there was a time when we express that hope as a passing greeting with no real expectation that anyone would be other than well, then we are not in that season now. Whether through isolation, not being able to meet with loved ones, the emotional toll of a year of lockdown, work, financial difficulties, stress, or the physical effects of having had Covid-19, many of us are struggling and often struggling invisibly.

One of our church members updates the Aberlour Parish Facebook page with daily prayer points, and I'm so thankful for these daily reminders to hold different people and different groups of people in my thoughts and prayers. Know that whoever you are, and whatever your situation, in these days there are people – who perhaps you don't even know- thinking of you and holding you in prayer. And as I said in my last letter in the Kirk News (and I'll repeat often!) as a minister I'm around for anybody and everybody – not just 'church folk' – if ever there's a way I or folks from the church can be helpful to you please don't hesitate to be in touch.

I'm writing this is the week after Easter, and my thoughts have been occupied by the idea of 'hope'. Easter is a time and a season in the Christian year where hope is a prominent theme anyway: the hope of Jesus' victory over death in the resurrection, and in the coming weeks in church we tend to focus on bible readings that witness how the hope of that realisation dawns on Jesus' friends and followers, and how they are changed by hope.

Of course, after the year we've had, we are all hoping that we are starting to see not just the beginning of the end, but that the end might be in sight. It feels like we are tantalisingly close (and it's all the more difficult for being just out of reach!) to life being back to something vaguely normal. It seems optimistic, but reasonable, to think we might soon have lives that are not dominated by the shadow of Covid-19.

But my thought is this: that while we often use the words in the same way in our everyday use of them, hope and optimism differ profoundly. Optimism happens when a possible outcome seems possible or likely – optimism is the sort of thing that is dependent on *outcome*, either the thing will come to pass or it won't, but optimism is only fulfilled if it does. Optimism is the sort of thing that fuels a bet at the bookies – and is wasted if the odds don't pull through for you.

I don't think hope is the same. I don't think hope is based on outcome. That's not to say that hope doesn't have an eye on the future, and it definitely has an element of desiring that things will be better in the end. But hope is a here-and-now thing.

And the here-and-now that hope lives in is often a difficult and painful here-and-now. It has been through countless acts of courageous hope that we and our community have weathered the Covid crisis: it's not always been clear that there is much reason to be optimistic,

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and there have been hefty demands met and huge sacrifices made in our response to Covid. Many have died, and some of those have died in the line of serving others. There have been times when optimism would have been crass and inappropriate. But hope turns up, even in the darkness and the shadow and the grief and the pain. If the only thing we can do is to keep putting one foot in front of the other, get through another day – that is an act of hope: an act of determination. The alternative, of course, is hopelessness – when all the fight to keep going leaves us. And no doubt we'll have had our days of that as well.

In the Easter story, some of Jesus' closest friends – the women who are too often forgotten about – go to the tomb where he was laid. They did not go that morning optimistic about what they would find. In fact they went with burial spices to dress his corpse. That, for me, is the first act of hope in Easter. Not the optimism that they might find Jesus gone, or have angels tell them he had risen (even though that is what happened) but the courageous hope that drove them to go and see Jesus anyway, not expecting anything to be miraculously better, but because in the darkest moments it is hope that is willing to keep going at all.

Optimism founders when the outcome isn't good. Hope digs in deeper. Hope doesn't deny the reality of our pains, doesn't gloss over our griefs, and doesn't pretend things are okay when they are not. But hope does keep going, and hope claims the promise that there will be a better day ahead.

For Christians that means hope is anchored in the faith that, because of Jesus, life has won over death, light over darkness, grace over shame, and love over evil. And that, on this side of eternity and the next, we are promised our part in that victory.

I hope that you are given hope in the days, weeks, and months to come.

#### Andrew.

Sunday Services normally take place in both churches: 9.45am in Craigellachie Church & 11.15am in Aberlour Parish Church

Please note Covid-19 protection measures will be in place to safeguard the congregation, including use of face-covering, hand sanitiser and 2 metre distancing both inside & outside church buildings. There will also be restrictions on the numbers able to attend, which will involve pre-booking and providing contact details for Trace & Protect registers. Full details will be provided via the church website, Facebook page & on noticeboards. https://aberlourparishchurch.org.uk/ https://www.facebook.com/AberlourParishChurch/

#### **Parish Register**

#### **Funerals and Memorial Services**

12<sup>th</sup> December 2020 Valerie Henderson lately of Sellar Place, Aberlour

6<sup>th</sup> January 2021 Shiela McPherson lately of Burnside Care Home, Laurencekirk

7<sup>th</sup> January 2021 Jimmy Kelman lately of High Street Aberlour 14<sup>th</sup> January 2021 17<sup>th</sup> March 2021 Hugh Fraser lately of Conval Court, Aberlour

Betty Ogg lately of Victoria Street, Dyce

12<sup>th</sup> April 2021 Jean Burness lately of Windyhillocks Croft, Craigellachie

#### Traidcraft

It isn't possible at present to open the Traidcraft shops in our churches. However there are spring catalogues available in both churches, which you can take away. You can order directly online from Traidcraft, or for smaller orders such as tea, sugar, cookies, chocolate, sweets, dried fruit etc you can contact me by email at:

maureenaanderson@hotmail.com (please note there are two 'a's in the middle!)

I will order for you if you're able to collect items from me. I'm sorry I can't offer to deliver.

Traidcraft continues to play an important role in bringing opportunities of a better life to many disadvantaged producers through fair trade, and has been well supported by our community and church in the past.

Maureen Anderson

#### **AN UNMENTIONABLE WORD?**

"Money" is a word that many of us feel uncomfortable discussing. However, in the last year there has been much talk about money—The Economy, Furlough, bank-ruptcy etc. Without money, life for all of us becomes a problem—a problem that our church structure is not immune from either.

Apart from a few weeks, our churches have had to remain closed for public worship for over a year, and this of course has had an impact on our financial situation. We are fortunate that the church, being a charitable organisation, is able to claim an additional 25% from HMRC on what we give in the form of our offerings. There are two schemes in place to enable us to claim this rebate—The Gift Aid Small Donation Scheme (GASDS), and the Gift-Aid (G/A) scheme.

The GASDS enables us to claim an extra 25% on "open plate" giving up to a maximum claim of £2000 for EACH church. This scheme is designed primarily for those who donate and are non tax-payers. In the financial year ending April 2020, this rebate amounted to an extra £1830 for both churches. Unfortunately this year's figure will be substantially less due to our churches being closed for most of the period.

For those who are tax-payers, the G/A scheme also enables the church to claim an additional 25% on their giving, but with this scheme there is no cap on the amount that can be claimed. Our rebate from HMRC for 2020 was £4700, and this is a typical annual figure. The reason this figure did not drop in 2020 is that most folk who use G/A use a standing order from their bank to make their donations, and continued to do so during church closure, as did those who give by annual cheque. Also, many of those who use the envelope system to make their offerings have made "one-off" donations to cater for the Sundays when the churches have been closed. On behalf of our church, I would like to thank everyone who has contributed in any way during this difficult period, and wish everyone well as we look forward to brighter times. If anyone is a tax-payer and is not using G/A to make their offerings, please contact me—my details are in the front of the magazine-and I don't mind talking about that unmentionable word in relation to Gift-Aid!



# CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 10th to 16th MAY

Christian Aid is one of the most highly respected development agencies in the world. Their work begins from the insight that every single human being is equal in the eyes of God and

they seek to eradicate extreme poverty by tackling its root causes. Christian Aid works *with* individuals and communities as partners, and offers aid equally regardless of faith, race, or any other 'label'.

Each year Christian Aid Week is an opportunity to raise funds and awareness for the work of Christian Aid. This year it runs 10<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> May, and the focus of Christian Aid Week is around how Climate Change affects access to clean water across the world.

This year the focus is on Kenya, where covid is tackled with few resources and the dramatic effects of climate change are experienced in the form of drought. Remember underdeveloped countries like Kenya have done little to cause climate change, yet suffer its consequences severely. Rose, for example, has to walk miles to carry water home for cleaning, drinking and for watering her crops.

Christian Aid are helping people like Rose build better earth dams to harvest more water and sow drought tolerant crops; also by demanding climate change justice at the highest level.

Here in Scotland we are privileged that access to water is something we can take for granted. In our beautiful corner we also have the Spey which, aside from its beauty and ability to provide so much enjoyment through leisure, also provides much prosperity to our area through Distilleries. It would be difficult to prove conclusively, but it seems reasonable to imagine that the Spey provides water that is exported probably more widely than any other single source of water in the world. There are not many places in the world where you're very far away from at least one bottle of Speyside malt!

So, with the emphasis of Christian Aid Week 2021 being on helping ensure people around the world have access to the water they need, Churches in and around the Spey are looking to you to help us raise awareness and fundraise. We are communities that form the world capital of Whisky, or if you prefer *usquebae* – *'water of life'*. Let's help communities around the world have the water they need *for* life as well as exporting our 'water of life'.

Our fundraising this year takes the form of teaming up with Churches and Christian Aid Supporters to join forces in a sponsored attempt to walk the entire Spey – source to sea – between us all. From Laggan to Spey



Bay, anyone is welcome to sign up for a wee bit of the route (with chunks ranging from a couple of miles to, well as far as you want to go!) and across the crowd the whole Spey will have been traversed during Christian Aid Week.

In addition – and in a foolhardy act that he's beginning to regret– our minister, Andrew Kimmitt, is planning to traverse the *whole* course of the Spey in a day. He'll run 15km from Loch Spey to Garva Bridge, cycle 135km to Fochabers, swap bike for kayak and paddle the last stretch to Spey Bay. It's one way for a new minister to get to know the area....

Please consider signing up for a bit of the walk, and to giving generously this Christian Aid week.

For details, and to sponsor folk doing the big Spey in May trek, go to

www.aberlour.video/CAW2021 or

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/christianaid-spey-in-may

### **Christian Aid Week envelopes**

You should have received a Christian Aid Week envelope with this copy of Kirk News. We invite you to support Christian Aid's work by placing a donation in the envelope and returning it to The Manse, Mary Avenue; or to Gammack's shop on the High Street in Aberlour; or to Alex Tweedie, Cuil Sith, Brickfield Court, Craigellachie before the end of May. If you are housebound or unable to make your way to any of these points, please phone Alex Tweedie 871515 (Craigellachie) or David Anderson 871906 (Aberlour) and we will arrange for your donation to be collected.

Alternatively you can give online (go to caweek.org). Thank you for thinking about this, and even more so if you decide to give.

#### SCIO CRAIGELLACHIE VILLAGE COUNCIL SCO18399

For those who have been out walking around the village recently, you will have noticed that there are some new seats and trees in our village. We were successful in obtaining a grant from "Scotland Loves Local". This allowed us to replace the seat at the top of the 100 steps, complete with a replacement commemoration plaque, as well as a seat opposite the junction of Spey Road and Leslie Terrace. The final seat will go near the Craigellachie Bridge once a tree root has been dealt with. We planted four crab apple trees on the bank leading to the football pitch, three cherry trees in the spaces on the pathway above tennis courts and two cherry trees in the Brickfield Playpark. Hopefully, the trees will provide beautiful blossom, fruit and colour in the years to come. Thanks to the volunteers who assisted with installation of the seats and planted the trees.

You may also have noticed that the fences have been replaced at the Highlander Playpark and at the football field. We have applied to Berryburn Community Fund for funds to replace the nets at the tennis courts, and if successful we hope to have new nets in time for the busy summer months.

In the meantime the tennis courts themselves could do with a wee spruce up, while some of the older cherry trees on the bank above the tennis courts need to be trimmed. Another item on our "wish list" of improvements is to repair the timber surrounding some of the play equipment in the Highlander Playpark. Any offers of help with the aforementioned tasks would be gratefully received and anyone interested can get in touch via our Facebook page or by contacting Brenda Cooper or Jane Tweedie.

We recently held our AGM via zoom and were delighted to welcome several new members. However more members are still needed, so please do not hesitate to contact us if you feel you would like to support us and share in making our village a fantastic place to live and to visit.

At the time of going to press, due to covid restrictions, the school are our only village hall user group. However, the hall has been booked as a Polling Station for the Scottish Parliament Elections and we are liaising with Moray Council to ensure the safety of both the schoolchildren and members of the public. It is hoped that in time we will be able to open up our village hall and tennis pavilion to individuals or groups, but this will depend on the covid guidance in place at the time.

At the last meeting of the village council, it was agreed we would continue to provide summer floral displays around the village. However the ongoing Covid pandemic has meant we have been unable to host any fundraising events to cover the cost of plants and, whilst we intend to purchase the majority of bedding plants from our cash reserves, we are appealing to members of our community to donate any surplus bedding plants they may have, which will make the village as colourful as possible throughout the summer. If you have any surplus bedding plants, or even suitable surplus veggie plants, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Similar to last year, we will also require volunteers to help plant up, maintain and water the displays. Please let us know if you are able to "adopt" a tub or an area near you.

Brenda (Secretary)

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#### The Rothes Way

2021 Is definitely going to be an important year for the Rothes Way. G & A Construction, part of The Forsyth Group, had hoped to start the path from The Bulwark down to Rothes in January but mother nature had other plans! We now have to wait for the ground and materials to dry out properly but the hope is to start soon, so perhaps by the time this article is printed, work will already be underway.

Funding for our path is also going well. We have been awarded £25,000 from The Berry Burn Community Fund. This will go a long way towards the cost of the second section of the path, from The Bulwark up to just before Dandaleith, where the old railway line runs out. We are also applying to other foundations and trusts and will keep you updated on our progress. Our aim is to have this two mile stretch of path completed by the end of 2021 and have plans in place for the final section up to the Craigellachie bridge.

There have also been donations from Inverhouse Distillers and Tamdhu Distillery which are very much appreciated.

Our website is now up and running. Check it out on <a href="www.rothesway.com">www.rothesway.com</a> where we will post all our up to date news. We also have a Facebook page, therefore hopefully, everyone will be able to keep up to date with our progress.

We are now looking to invite members to formally join the Rothes Way Association. If you are interested in showing support, you can download an application form at <a href="https://www.rothesway.com">www.rothesway.com</a>

As you will be aware, we have been busy organising a whisky auction, which will be hosted by Speyside Whisky Auctions, based in Forres. The response we had to our appeal for bottles of whisky was fantastic and we wish to take this opportunity to thank all who donated. We will post the actual date of the auction on our Facebook page and website, so anyone who wants to check out how much each bottle went for can do so.

Exciting times indeed for our long awaited path!

Pat Flynn

# Volunteer needed to help deliver the Kirk News in Craigellachie.

The Kirk News magazine is delivered free of charge to each household in the parish of Aberlour, which includes Craigellachie, Edinvillie, Benrinnes and outlying areas. The willingness of many volunteers enables us to produce and deliver the magazine to each household four times a year. We are currently looking for a volunteer to deliver to homes in the Victoria Street and Croft Place areas of Craigellachie. If you are able to help out please contact Jane Tweedie (Tel 871515 or email jane871515@outlook.com).

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