



WE WILL REMEMBER THEM

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Message from Keith



Dear Friends

In November we and countless others across the Church and society, will continue to remember the cost of World War 1. Countless lives lost and lives changed forever as the result of atrocities witnessed.

All across Scotland young men and women left the safety and comfort of home to join the effort to win a war and protect peace.

When we remember 1918 we reflect on a time of great sadness for our country and the world but also a time of great hope. We recall our part in the horrors of war and the darkness that drives humanity to violence. However we also remember the promise of peace.

The Archbishop of Canterbury reminds us in the introduction to the special publication '100 Days of Peace and Hope' that on 4 August 1918 many in this country came together with King George V to pray for peace. One hundred days later the Great War ended.

Our God is one who brings peace to hearts and calls us not only to stop violence but to seek reconciliation. The Bible calls us to approach difference with curiosity and compassion rather than fear and begin to flourish together in previously unthinkable ways.

This kind of reconciliation is incredibly rare. Sadly we see conflicts and fragile co-existence all around our world today. Just as the prayers of the people paved the way to peace in November 1918 so may we be reminded of the power of prayer to change the world we live in. Violence, war and terror will be banished and justice, equality and kindness will take their place.

As we prepare for our own acts of remembrance let us never forget those whose lives were sacrificed so that others might live in peace.

Keith

BLESSING

Bless, loving God, our nation,
and every nation;
bless those who rejoice, and
those who mourn;
bless those whom I fail to love,
bless my friends and bless my enemies,
now and forever.

AMEN.

Acknowledgement :This extract is taken from "Word of Life : Pray Now " and is used with permission.

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Poppy Scotland Appeal



There will be a retiring collection on Remembrance Sunday for the Poppyscotland Appeal.

Gift Aid envelopes will be available.

THURSDAY FLY CUP



8 November
Mannofield Church

2.00 – 3.30pm
Costing only £2.50

Come along this month to meet some special guests from the animal world!

EVERYONE WELCOME

Need transport?

Call the church office 01224 310087 to arrange.

We look forward to seeing you.

Next month, Thursday 13 December – a special Christmas afternoon.

TABLE TOP SALE

Saturday 24 November
10 am - 12 noon
Balmanno Hall

ADMISSION FREE

Contact: Sandy 01224 311261



CHURCH CALENDAR

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

Sun 4	10am	Morning Worship
Wed 7	10.30am	Midweek Service
Sun 11	10am	Morning Worship Remembrance Sunday
	6pm	Festival of Remembrance, Mannofield Church to mark the 100th Anniversary of the ending of the first World War
Wed 14	10.30am	Midweek Service
Sun 18	10am	Morning Worship
Wed 21	10.30am	Midweek Service
Sun 25	10am	Morning Worship
	3.15pm	Craigielea Service Led by Mannofield Guild
	4pm	Sunday@4 a new monthly worship service Craigiebuckler Church
Wed 28	10.30am	Midweek Service
Sun 2 Dec	10am	Morning Worship Family Communion 1st Sunday of Advent
Wed 5 Dec	10.30am	Midweek Service



FLOWER CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

4 Mrs N. Anderson
11 Miss F. Walker
18 Miss A. Farquhar
25 Miss M. Milton



Chrysanthemum
November's
Flower

DECEMBER

2 Mrs M. Hunter

MANNOFIELD GUILD DIARY

November / Early December

Sat 17 Nov Christmas Coffee Morning
10am-12noon
Thurs 6 Dec Coffee Morning



Congregational Register

Baptism:-

30 Sept Andrew David Morrice

Weddings:-

14 Sept Nicole Gordon to
Dmytro Levkovsky
29 Sept Laura Jamieson to
Bjarne Hoglund

Disjunctions:-

M. Cruickshank
M. P. Munro

Deaths:-

3 Oct George Thomson
6 Oct Sheila Reid
9 Oct Rev George Goldie

New Members:-

A & E Wotherspoon

MANNOFIELD LUNCH CLUB

Thursday 15 November

Balmanno Hall

Lunch served 1pm
Entertainment 2-3pm
Cuppa at 2.30pm
Cost: £5

All welcome

Need transport?

Contact: Lynn Allan

☎ 01224 323206



NOTE

The deadline for the
December Parish InSpire is
8 NOVEMBER

Festival of Remembrance

Sunday 11th November 2018

Mannofield Parish Church – 6pm



A special event to mark the 100th Anniversary of the ending of the First World War, organised by Craigiebuckler, Cults, Holburn West, Kingswells, Mannofield and Peterculter Parish Churches.
All Welcome.