

INTIMATIONS CONTINUED

GREENOCK PHILHARMONIC CHOIR GET SINGING! - A VOCAL WORKSHOP FOR ALL

Greenock Philharmonic Choir will be holding an Open Training Day on Saturday 24th August in Old Gourrock & Ashton Parish Church. 10-30am to 5pm. The cost is £15, and all music is provided plus tea, coffee and home baking! All welcome.

For singers at any level. Explore the rich world of choral music ranging from Brahms' Requiem to non-Western traditions to build your confidence as a singer.

Further info on the choir's website and Facebook page.

Email - info@greenockphilharmonic.co.uk, or contact Lynne on 07802 780468.

Gardening Party - There will be another "Gardening Party" at SWB Church on Tuesday 20th August (weather permitting) from 10am to work on the front and North area of the Church. Stay as long as you like, and any help would be appreciated. Tea/coffee etc. will be provided.

The Church of Scotland Stamp Appeal 2023/24

We gladly accept all postage stamps in support of World Mission. How to contribute:

Inverkip - Please pass on your used stamps to Joyce Brown, leave them at the Church Door or in the Church Hall.

There is a collection box on the shelf at the back of the Skelmorlie and Wemyss Bay Hall.

Foodbank & Starter Packs Collection

For anyone unable to come along to the monthly collections at Inverkip Church Hall, there will now be a box at each church to allow anyone to drop off their donations for these wonderful charities on any Sunday. Their role is even more important in these trying times and your ongoing support is much appreciated.

SWB are now collecting at church on a Sunday for those who want to make a donation, but are unable to go to Inverkip. If you would like to donate money for either the Foodbank or the Starter Packs, please put your donation in the envelope at the

end of your pew at SWB Church and mark it for the Foodbank or Starter Packs.

If you would like to donate food for the Foodbank or things for the Starter Packs, Inverkip Church Hall will be open on Tuesday 20th August from 6pm to 7pm and on Wednesday 21st August from 1pm to 3pm.

Smartie Tubes - Vision Ministries

Vision Ministries has been supported by members of Skelmorlie & Wemyss Bay Church for a number of years by filling Smartie tubes with 20p pieces. They are a Scottish charity who work with churches in Kenya eg building a Children's home, Schools support, Water Guard and Prison ministry and all money raised goes to the charity. Smartie tubes are available at Inverkip Church door and at the back of SWB Church. You are encouraged to take one and return when filled with your 20p pieces to help support the work of Vision Ministries. Thank you.

Tea & Coffee: Please join us for tea and coffee in the church hall after this morning's service.

Door duty rota for next Sunday:

Inverkip: Jimmy Law and Kathleen Miller

S&WB: Iain Jackson and Sheila Kerr

Tea and Coffee Rota - Anne Organ, Gladys Black and Lyn Wilson

Intimations: Please email all intimations by Wednesday midday.

Inverkip: for Sunday 25 August, please email Anne Skedd at alison.skedd@gmail.com

S&WB: email Ella Wright at ellawright551@gmail.com or Tel: 310669

