

# Daily Prayer

## MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup>

- **Pray** for all those who will teach from God's word through this week, our Explore/Awesome leaders, our small group leaders, our Sunday school teachers, and those preaching on Sunday. **Pray** too for one another, that we would teach and encourage each other from God's word.

## TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup>

- As our small groups bible studies meet this week, **pray** that the Lord would use them to deepen our love for Him and for one another. **Pray** that these groups would equip us to live for Him.
- **Pray** for the advertising for Dumisani Theological Institute's Summer School to be held in November on the topic of Cults in Africa. **Pray** that many local pastors attend this course.

## WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup>

- North Uist, Grimsay & Berneray Free Church held 'Back to church Sunday' services on the 8th September, **pray** for those who came along - that they would keep coming back and that their hearts and lives would be transformed by the good news of the Gospel. **Pray** for those in church to be encouraged to keep inviting friends and family along.

## THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup>

- **Praise God** for our Interim Moderator (Donald Martin), and our Elders (Peter, Chris, Paul & Alan), **pray** that God would uphold and sustain them in their service of Him and His church here in Burghhead.

## FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup>

- **Pray** for the Sudanese prison ministry, supported by Barnabas Fund, which helps Christian women jailed because they have been sharing the Gospel or have broken sharia rules. **Praise God** that this ministry continues to be allowed to function and **pray** that it will continue to enable the women to grow in Christ-likeness through their suffering (Romans 5:3-4).

## SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup>

- **Pray** that we would **grow** to be a **vibrant, all-age** church of **100 disciples**, all seeking to know Jesus and make Jesus known.

## SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup>

- **Pray** as we gather to worship today that guests and newcomers would join us, feel welcome and want to know more about Christ.



## NOTICES

*Intimations for the coming week/s*

### Christianity Explored

Our daytime course continues this week (Thursday 11am). It's not too late to invite friends to join us. The course lasts six weeks and is an informal opportunity to explore the life and claims of Jesus.

### Ladies' Meetings

Our fortnightly Ladies' Meeting restarts on Tuesday 1st October at 7:30pm. All ladies are welcome for a time of fellowship & hearing from God's word. Termcards will be available soon.



## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

*Intimations for the coming week/s*

### Sunday 22<sup>ND</sup>

11<sup>AM</sup> Morning Service - Peter Turnbull | Nahum 1.1-6

6<sup>PM</sup> Evening Service - Peter Turnbull | 1 Peter 3:8-17

### Monday 23<sup>RD</sup>

10<sup>AM</sup> - Vision and Mission Prayer Meeting

3:05<sup>PM</sup> - Explore / Awesome after school clubs

### Tuesday 24<sup>TH</sup>

10.30<sup>AM</sup> - Ladies' Daytime Small Group

### Wednesday 25<sup>TH</sup>

7.30<sup>PM</sup> - Small Group Bible Study (Hopkinson/Turnbull)

### Thursday 26<sup>TH</sup>

11.00<sup>AM</sup> - Christianity Explored (finishes 12.15pm)

7.30<sup>PM</sup> - Small Group Bible Study (Harris)

### Sunday 29<sup>TH</sup>

11<sup>AM</sup> Morning Service - Peter Turnbull (Nahum 1.7-15)

6<sup>PM</sup> Evening Service - Ian Hamilton



## FOR THE DIARY

*Looking further ahead*

### SUNDAY MORNINGS (11am)

- 29th Sept. - Peter Turnbull (Nahum 1.7-15)
- 6th Oct. - Peter Turnbull (Nahum 2.1-13)

### SUNDAY EVENINGS (6pm)

- 29th Sept. - Ian Hamilton
- 6th Oct. - Robin Gray (TBC)

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# welcome

to **BURGHHEAD FREE CHURCH** | 22<sup>ND</sup> SEPT 11<sup>AM</sup>

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**Welcome** (Peter Turnbull)

**Call to Worship** (from Psalm 145:8-11)

**LEADER:** The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. The LORD is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.

**ALL:** All your works praise you, LORD. Your faithful people praise you: we will tell of the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might.

**Song: O Worship the King**

O Worship the King all-glorious above;  
O gratefully sing his power and his love:  
our shield and defender, the Ancient of days,  
pavilioned in splendour and girded with praise!

O tell of his might! O sing of his grace,  
whose robe is the light, whose canopy space!  
His chariots of wrath the deep thunder clouds  
form,  
and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

O measureless Might! O infinite Love!  
While angels delight to praise you above,  
your ransomed creation, with glory ablaze,  
with true adoration shall sing to your praise!

**ALL IN** (Children's Address)

**Song: For God so Loved**

*For God so loved the world,  
He gave his only Son,  
that whoever believes in him  
shall not die but have eternal life.*

L is for the love that he has for me,  
I am the reason he died on the tree,  
F is for forgiveness and now I am free,  
E is to enjoy being in his company.

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**Prayer** (Thanksgiving & Confession)

----- **KIDS leave for groups** -----

**Reading:** Nahum 1:1-8, 1 John 4.7-16 (p937, p1227)

**Prayer** (Intercession)

**The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. **Amen**

**Notices & Offering**

**NB** - An opportunity to give money to the work of the church. If you're visiting us please don't feel under any obligation to give

**Song: Psalm 19 v1-4,7-8** (Scottish Psalter p223)

- 1 The heav'ns God's glory do declare,  
the skies his hand-works preach:
- 2 Day utters speech to day, and night  
to night doth knowledge teach.

- 3 There is no speech nor tongue to which  
their voice doth not extend:
- 4 Their line is gone through all the earth,  
their words to the world's end.
- 7 GOD's law is perfect, and converts  
the soul in sin that lies:  
GOD's testimony is most sure,  
and makes the simple wise.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are right,  
and do rejoice the heart:  
The LORD's command is pure, and doth  
light to the eyes impart.

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**Sermon: "God in the Storm" (Nahum 1:1-8)**

Peter Turnbull | Series: "Nahum: The Whirlwind & the Storm" | Notes

1. GOD: The Bringer of the Storm of Judgement (v1-6)

A) The **character** of God the storm-bringer (v1-3)

- the GOOD jealousy of God

- the GOOD anger of God

B) The **power** of the storm-bringer (v3-6)

2. GOD: A Refuge from the Storm of Judgement (v3, v7-8)

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**Song: Psalm 103v1-4, 8-11** (Sing Psalms p135)

- 1 Praise God, my soul! With all my heart  
Let me exalt his holy name.
- 2 Forget not all his benefits;  
His praise, my soul, in song proclaim.
- 3 The LORD forgives you all your sins,  
And heals your sickness and distress;
- 4 Your life he rescues from the grave,  
And crowns you in his tenderness.
- 5 He satisfies your deep desires  
From his unending stores of good,  
So that, just like the eagle's strength,  
Your youthful vigour is renewed.
- 6 The LORD is known for righteous acts  
And justice to downtrodden ones.
- 7 To Moses he made known his ways,  
His mighty deeds to Israel's sons.
- 8 The LORD is merciful and kind,  
To anger slow, and full of grace.
- 9 He will not constantly reprove,  
Or in his anger hide his face.
- 10 He does not punish our misdeeds  
Or give our sins their just reward.
- 11 How great his love - as high as heaven -  
Towards all those who fear the LORD!

**Closing Prayer**

*Please stay for tea and coffee*