

# CentrePost

Diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney

September 2018

## Bishop's Diary

includes

### September

- 2 Sunday  
*St Mary's, Cove*  
6.30pm Installation of Rev Neil Brice as Canon  
*St Andrew's Cathedral*
- 3 to 10 Monday to Monday inclusive  
*On retreat, Glenstal Abbey, Co Limerick*
- 15 Saturday  
2.30pm Institution as Rector of Rev Capt Gerry Bowyer, *St Devenick's church, Bieldside*
- 16 Sunday  
*Confirmation, St Ninian's*
- 21 Friday  
10.00am to 4.30pm. *Pilgrimage Conference, St Margaret's, Aberdeen*
- 22 Saturday  
*Bishops' Reflection Group (ordinands and trainee readers)*
- 23 Sunday  
*am St James', Holburn, Aberdeen*  
4.00pm 175th anniversary, *St James', Cruden Bay*
- 27 Thursday  
7.30pm *Institution as Rector of Rev Terry Taggart, St Mary's, Carden Place*
- 28 Friday  
*Finance and Property Board, Standing Committee*
- 30 Sunday  
*St Andrew's, Alford*

### DOORS OPEN DAY ABERDEEN CITY

Saturday 8 September

Includes the Cathedral, St John's and St Margaret's.

### DOORS OPEN DAYS ABERDEENSHIRE

Saturday/Sunday 15/16 September

Includes St Congan's, Turriff.

### DIAMONDS ABERDEEN

Saturday 1 September 7.00 to 9.00pm

Kings Community Church, 312 King St, Aberdeen

To encourage and inspire girls of secondary school age. <https://diamondsscotland.org.uk>

### EVENING OF PRAISE

Sunday 2 September 6.00pm

St Thomas's Church, Aboyneg

Lots of hymns for the congregation, readings, solos, and four anthems sung by the St Thomas's Augmented Choir, conducted by well-known soprano Lucy Bailey. Light refreshments afterwards.

### INSTALLATION OF REV NEIL BRICE AS CANON

Sunday 2 September 6.30pm

St Andrew's Cathedral, King Street, Aberdeen

### ABERDEEN UNIVERSITY FRESHER'S WEEK 3 TO 7 SEPTEMBER

For a daily prayer email contact AU Christian Union secretary, Bethan, email [aucusecretary@gmail.com](mailto:aucusecretary@gmail.com)

### FLOWER FESTIVAL

Saturday 8 September 10.00am to 4.00pm

St Mary's hall, Ellon

### CRAFT FAIR

Saturday 8 September 10.00am to 3.00pm

Westhill Community Church

The Sandpiper Trust will be present, providing information and demonstrations on how to do CPR.

### ANNUAL SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING AND REMEMBRANCE

for all who have died or have been cared for in Roxburghe House or hospital

Sunday 9 September 3.00pm

Queen's Cross Church, Aberdeen AB10 1YN

The service is organised and conducted by Aberdeen Healthcare Chaplains. Further information from chaplains 01224 553 316.

### INSTITUTION AS RECTOR OF REV CAPT GERRY BOWYER

Saturday 15 September 2.30pm

St Devenick's Church, Bieldside

### MESSY CHURCH AT BIELDSIDE

Sunday 16 September 3.30 to 5.00 pm

St Devenick's Church hall, Baillieswells Road, Bieldside

Bible based activities, food and fun.

### MOTHERS' UNION PRAYER CIRCLE

Tuesday 18 September 2.30 to 3.30pm

St Mary's Church, Carden Place, Aberdeen

The group is available for anyone in your congregation or known to you, who has a need for prayer because of illness, accident, bereavement or any other need. All are welcome to come.

### PILGRIMAGE CONFERENCE

Friday 21 September 10.00am to 4.30pm

St Margaret's Church, Gallowgate, Aberdeen

Contemporary approaches to faith, heritage and the issues of time. Cost £5. Contact: David Atkinson, [atkinson390@btinternet.com](mailto:atkinson390@btinternet.com) Booking at [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/pilgrimage-contemporary-approaches-to-faith-heritage-and-the-issues-of-the-our-times](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/pilgrimage-contemporary-approaches-to-faith-heritage-and-the-issues-of-the-our-times)

### ABERDEEN CITY-WIDE PRAYER GATHERING

Friday 21 September 7.30 to 9.00pm

Woodside Parish Church, 46 Church St, Aberdeen

### SAINT ADAMNAN SERVICE

Saturday 22 September 11.00am

Meet at Forvie Sands, Newburgh

### 175TH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE

Sunday 23 September 4.00pm

St James-the-Less, Cruden Bay

### LUNCHTIME FELLOWSHIP

Tuesday 25 September 12.30 to 1.30pm

St Mary's, Carden Place, Aberdeen

Short service with harvest theme, followed by light lunch. Meets in Choir Vestry. Please use side door.

Contact Mary McKinnell, email:

[tofficer@aberdeen.anglican.org](mailto:tofficer@aberdeen.anglican.org)

### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR EARLY PREGNANCY LOSSES

Wednesday 26 September 10.45am

Memorial Hall, Aberdeen Crematorium, Skene Road, Hazlehead, Aberdeen

The service is conducted by one of the hospital chaplains. Contact, email [nhs.g.chaplaincy@nhs.net](mailto:nhs.g.chaplaincy@nhs.net) or 01224 553 316.

### INSTITUTION AS RECTOR OF REV TERRY TAGGART

Thursday 27 September 7.30pm

St Mary's Church, Carden Place, Aberdeen

### OPEN DOORS AT BUCKSBURN

Friday 28 September 10.00am to 12 noon

St Machar's Church, Bucksburn

Come in for quiet reflection, have a look around, a friendly chat and/or to enjoy a cup of tea or coffee or juice with some of our congregation. All welcome.

### 'IGNATIAN TRADITION – LISTENING TO GOD'

Saturday 29 September 10.00am to 12.30pm

Credo, John Street, Aberdeen

Reflective Day with optional personal quiet space in afternoon. For further information, contact Carole Phelan, [carole.phelan@talk21.com](mailto:carole.phelan@talk21.com)

### PARENTALK ROADSHOW

Saturday 29 September 10.30am to 1.15pm

Deeside Christian Fellowship, Binghill Drive, Milltimber, Aberdeen

A Care for the Family event. The roadshow is aimed at both those who have run Parentalk courses already and those keen to get started. The aim is to enthuse, encourage and inspire you to run Parentalk in your community with local parents. It's completely free but there are only limited places so please register as soon as possible:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parentalk-roadshow-aberdeen-tickets-48163228513> Light refreshments provided and free parking onsite. If you have any questions, please get in touch with the Care for the Family Scotland team on 0131 600 0150 or email [scotland@cff.org.uk](mailto:scotland@cff.org.uk)

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