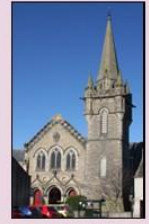




# West Moray Urban Church

## Notices & Order of Service

### Sunday 20th April, 2025



#### Welcome to West Moray

A warm and friendly welcome to this morning's service of worship for Easter Day, which will be led by our Assistant Minister, Rev Cleopas Takavada

If you are visiting this morning or here for the first time, we hope that you will feel at home and we pray that together we will enjoy God's blessing.

The words of the hymns will be displayed on the large screens situated on either side of the pulpit.

The words of the Scripture reading will also appear on the screens. Today's Scripture Reader is Pat McLennan.

As you will have noted, the offering plates are available for contributions in the vestibule and west transept.

After the service you are invited to move through to the hall for a time of fellowship over a cup of tea or coffee.

NB Prior permission must be obtained to take photos or videos of church activities.



#### What's On This Week

**Monday 21st, Wednesday 23rd & Friday 25th April**

**10.00 - 12 noon**

**Tuesday 22nd and Thursday 24th April**

**2.00 - 4.00pm**

Open Church at St Laurence

**Tuesday 22nd April**

**12.30 - 1.30pm**

Light Lunches in St Leonard's Hall

**7.00pm**

Urban Elders' Meeting in St Laurence

**Wednesday 23rd April**

**12.00 noon**

Prayer Time in St Leonard's Portacabin

**Thursday 24th April**

**11.00am**

Dwelling in the Word in St Leonard's Portacabin

**12.30pm**

Bite and Blether Lunch Club in St Leonard's Hall

**Sunday 27th April**

**10.00am** (note earlier start time)

Joint Service in Kinloss Church

Rev Charles Finnie (Interim Moderator)

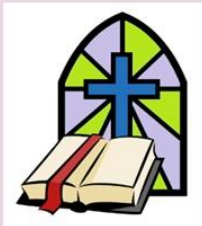
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## Order of Service



Welcome and Intimations

**Choir 123:** Listen to the words of the risen Christ

**Choir 125:** See what a morning gloriously bright

**CH4 410 :** Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia

Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer

**Scripture Reading:** Matthew ch.28 vs.1-15 (*NIV Pg.1000*)

**CH4 325:** The Saviour died but rose again

Prayer of Intercession (*Roy Anderson*)

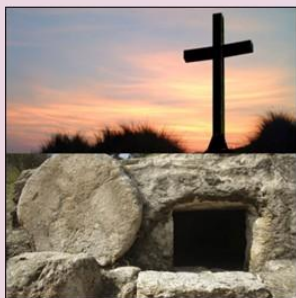
**CH4 421:** Our Lord Christ has risen

Takavada Family Singing

**Sermon:** He is not here, for He is risen

**CH4 419:** Thine be the glory

Benediction (**CH4 822**) and Celtic Blessing (**CH4 786**)



### Benefits Advice Session

A Money and Benefits Advice Session is being held tomorrow (Monday) from 2.00 to 4.00pm in St Laurence. All are welcome to get free one-to-one advice from fully trained advisers on claiming benefits and maximising income. Tea and coffee is also available throughout.

### Alpha Course

Alpha is a ten-week course that explores the basics of the Christian faith in an open, friendly and fun environment. A course is beginning in Dallas Mission Church this Wednesday at 6.30pm when all present will enjoy a lovely free meal in Dallas Village Hall. All are welcome to go along - further information from 01309 676769.

### St Laurence Forres Trust

A meeting is being held in St Laurence this Tuesday at 7.00pm to highlight progress in forming the Trust. It is now at the stage of recruiting members and forms will be available at the meeting - membership is free and will assist in securing grant funding. Further information from Norman Thomson.

### Midweek Worship

This week's midweek online service is led by Colin Stafford and can be accessed in the usual places.

### Stated Annual Meeting

This important meeting takes place after the Joint Service at Kinloss next Sunday. Copies of the Treasurer's Report are available to pick up in the vestibule and the hall after this service.

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