



West Moray, St Leonard's Notices & Order of Service Sunday 20th September, 2026



Welcome to West Moray

A warm and friendly welcome to our worship service, which will be led by retired Minister, Rev Peter Robertson.

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 screens on either side of the pulpit.

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

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

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

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



What's On This Week

Monday 21st September

2.30pm

The Guild in St Leonard's Hall
(*'Beyond Possibilities'* - Karen Darke)

Tuesday 22nd September

12.30 - 1.30pm

Light Lunches in St Leonard's Hall

Wednesday 23rd September

12.00pm

Prayer Time in St Leonard's Portacabin

Thursday 24th September

11.00am

Dwelling in the Word in St Leonard's Portacabin

12.00 - 12.30pm

Hamish Napier, Singer/Story Teller - St Leonard's Hall

12.30pm

Bite and Blether Lunch Club in St Leonard's Hall

Friday 25th September

7.00pm

Induction Service for Rev Stuart Finlayson
in St Leonard's
(*followed by fellowship and refreshments in the hall*)

Saturday 26th September

11.00am - 3.30pm

Findhorn Bay Arts Culture Day Events (see over)

Sunday 27th September

10.30am

Morning Worship in St Leonard's
Rev Stuart Finlayson

Prayer requests can be made online by using the following email address:

prayerrequest@westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk

Total confidentiality is assured at all times.

Visit our Website: www.westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk
and Facebook Page: facebook@westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk



Order of Service

Welcome and Intimations

CH4 512: To God be the glory

Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer

CH4 457: All hail the power of Jesus' name

Introduction

CH4 543: Christ be our light

Scripture Reading: Verses from Hebrews chs.8 and 9 (*NIV Pg.1206*)

Sermon: Jesus changes things

CH4 463: Fairest Lord Jesus

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

CH4 458: At the name of Jesus

Benediction (**CH4 822**)

Celtic Blessing (**CH4 786**)



Midweek Worship

This week's midweek online service will be led by Gill Mitchell from Dyke. It can be accessed from our West Moray website -

www.westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk or our Facebook page - West Moray Church of Scotland. It can also be found on You Tube.

Intimations

Any intimations to be included in the Sunday bulletin should be sent to Roy no later than Wednesday lunchtime.

Harvest Thanksgiving

This year's Harvest Thanksgiving service takes place on **Sunday 4th October** and will be led by our new Minister, Rev Stuart Finlayson. This year we will be collecting donations of non-perishable food items for The Pantry at the Town Hall next door. Please bring your donations to the service on the 4th.

Findhorn Bay Arts Festival

The above festival is taking place at venues across West Moray from 24th September until 4th October. Our Church Hall is one such venue housing a number of events. Before our lunches on **Thursday 24th and Tuesday 29th September** Hamish Napier, a well-known Scots singer and story teller, will be entertaining the 'diners' from 12.00 - 12.30pm. Then on **Saturday 26th** (Culture Day) Forres Rotary is organising teas and creative drop-in activities for children in the hall (12.00 - 3.00pm) as part of its 75th anniversary. Either side of that there are a couple of Improvised Shows at 11.00 and 3.00pm. Our church will also be open to visitors in the afternoon.

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