

West Moray Church of Scotland

SUNDAY WORSHIP

St Leonard's, Forres • Sunday 18th October 2026

WELCOME TO WEST MORAY

A warm welcome to our worship service at West Moray Church of Scotland here in Forres.

Whether you are here every week or visiting for the first time, we are glad you are with us.

We gather to worship God, hear His Word, pray, and encourage one another as we follow Jesus together.

Grace and Peace to you.

TODAY

Worship Leader: Rev Peter Robertson

Scripture Reader: Roy Anderson

Reading: Hebrews 12: 1-13 and 28

Theme / Sermon: Faith for Life

DURING & AFTER WORSHIP

Hymns & readings: Words are displayed on the screens. Printed copies are available on request.

Giving: Offering plates are available at the entrance vestibule and next to the kids' area in west transept.

Refreshments: Please join us after worship for tea, coffee and fellowship in the church hall.

Photography: Please ask permission before taking photographs or video during church activities and services.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

MONDAY

2.30 pm – The Guild in Hall
(Topic: *Reaching Out to Others*
and *Bring and Buy Sale*)

TUESDAY

12.30 pm - Light Lunches in Hall

WEDNESDAY

12.15 pm - Prayer Time in Cabin

THURSDAY

11.00 am – Dwelling in Word in Cabin
12.30 pm - Bite & Blether Lunches in Hall

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 25th October 2026

10.30 am

Rev Stuart Finlayson

Sacrament of Holy Communion

PRAYER & PASTORAL CARE

Prayer requests may be sent in confidence to:

prayerrequest@westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk

For pastoral support, speak to a member of the ministry team after the service or contact the church during the week.



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FURTHER INFORMATION

MIDWEEK WORSHIP

Gill Mitchell from Dyke will lead this week's midweek online service.

It can be accessed from the West Moray website:

www.westmoraychurchofscotland.org.uk

or visit our Facebook page - West Moray Church of Scotland.

It is also available on YouTube.

INTIMATIONS

Please be upstanding when the Bible is brought into the sanctuary.

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

ORDER OF SERVICE

Bible comes into the sanctuary

Welcome and Intimations

CH4 459: Crown Him with many crowns

Opening Prayer

Introduction

CH4 561: Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine

Scripture Reading

Hebrews 12: 1-13 and 28

Praise: Turn your eyes (on video)

Sermon

CH4 180: Give thanks with a grateful heart

Offering received during the **Doxology (CH4 807)**

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

CH4 249: We have heard a joyful sound

Benediction

Amens (CH4 822)

Aaronic Blessing (GWA 85)

Bible leaves the sanctuary

LATEST NEWS

- We are looking for a few folk to join our Welcome Teams at the door on a Sunday morning – please speak to the Session Clerk if you would like to find out more.
- The next meeting of West Moray Kirk Session will take place on Wednesday 28th October at 7.00pm in our church hall.
- On Saturday 31st October the church will be open from 10.00am – 12.00pm as part of the Church of Scotland's National Day of Prayer. The theme this year is Light in the Darkness. All are welcome to drop in any time and join in informal collective prayer or simply pray on your own if you prefer. Please let others about this significant opportunity.



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