WEST MORAY
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

SUNDAY WORSHIP

St Leonard's, Forres • Sunday 15th November 2026

WELCOME TO WEST MORAY

A warm welcome to our Annual Guild Week 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.

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.

TODAY

Worship Leader: June Machray, Guild Leader

Scripture Readers: Pat McLennan and Linda Nicol

Readings:

Luke 10: 25-37, Matthew 28: 16-20

and 1 Peter 4: 10-11

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

2.30pm – The Guild in Hall

(*Biscuit Decoration – Helen Robertson*)

TUESDAY

12.30-1.30 pm - Light Lunches in Hall

WEDNESDAY

12.15 pm - Prayer Time in Cabin

THURSDAY

9.45am – Man to Man in Vestry

11.00 am – Dwelling in Word in Cabin

12.30 pm - Bite & Blether Lunches in Hall

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 22nd November 2026

10.30 am

Rev Stuart Finlayson

Theme: The Story We Live In

Sermon: The King who will restore all things

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

Colin Stafford 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 can also be found on You Tube.

The Guild

This year's Guild Theme is 'Beyond the Wall' and discussion topic is 'Reaching Out to Others', which encourages members to look at the role they play in the Guild and the role that the Guild plays in the wider church.

Members are also encouraged to consider ways in which they can offer service individually and collectively, remembering that the Guild and Church exist to serve.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome and Introduction

CH4 198: Let us build a house

Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer (*June Machray*)

CH4 724: Christ's is the world in which we live

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Reading: Luke 10: 25-37 (*NIV Pg.1042*)
(*Pat McLennan)*

CH4 547: What a friend we have in Jesus

Offering to be brought forward

Offering Prayer (*Doreen Grant*)

Readings: Matthew 28:16-20 (*NIV Pg.1001*) and 1 Peter 4:10-11 (*NIV Pg.1220*) (*Linda Nicol)*

CH4 544: When I needed a neighbour were you there

Guild Address: Projects – Bibles for Bairns and Bear Necessities (*June Machray*)

CH4 522: The church is wherever God's people are praising

Prayer of Intercession (*Karine Carson)*

CH4 251 – I, the Lord of sea and sky

Benediction

Amens (**CH4 822**) and Aaronic Blessing (**GWA 85)**

LATEST NEWS

- Elders are reminded of the **interactive workshop** taking place in **Dyke Church** this **Tuesday (17th November)** at 7.00pm.
- Our next **Evening Service** will be held on **Sunday 29th November** at 6.00pm – all are welcome to come along.
- A four-week **Advent Bible Study**, 'Behold the Saviour', begins in the Cabin on **Tuesday 26th November** at 7.00pm and continues over the next three Thursdays (3,10 and 17 December) – all are welcome to attend. Refreshments will be served.
- The **Bite and Blether Christmas Lunch** takes place on **Tuesday 1st December** at 12.30pm. Prior booking is essential.

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