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Presbytery Prayer Rota

**Please pray for the following congregations and their Ministers/Interim Moderators:
Sunday 6 December 2020-3 January 2021**

It is my intention to catch up on holidays missed and will be taking the last 2 weeks of the year as well as reducing my hours in the first two weeks of December. I am therefore producing the Presbytery Prayer Rota from now until 3 January.

Sunday 6 December 2020

Jura: Interim Moderator – Margaret Jacobsen

Iona: Minister – Rev Jenny Earl

Please also pray for our ministers within Presbytery.

Sunday 13 December

Netherlorn: Interim Moderator- Mrs Alison Hay

Please pray for those working in the Farming, Forestry and Fishing industries

Sunday 20 December 2020

Lochgilthead: Minister – Rev Hilda Smith

Kilchrenan and Dalavich: Minister – Rev Tom Telfer

Sunday 27 December

Kilfinichen, Kilvickeon & Ross of Mull: Minister – Rev Jenny Earl

Kilfinan: Minister - Rev David Mitchell

Please pray for the Kirk Session and congregation as we contemplate reopening our buildings in the New Year and long for the time when we can sing our praises and greet each other in fellowship.

Please pray for Community Councils within the bounds Presbytery.

Sunday 3 January

Saddell & Caradale: Minister – Rev Steve Fulcher

Barra: Minister – Rev Lindsay Schluter

Pray for peace & justice in Israel/Palestine.

Intimations

Please find attached the Principal Clerk's Update on Presbytery Reform.

Children's Ministry and School Chaplaincy

The group appointed by the Business Committee to consider ministry/chaplaincy in Primary schools feels there is a need for some dialogue with members of congregations and ministers to take this issue forward.

"We have lots of ideas and resources we would like to share, and also to hear what other folk are doing too.

We are aware that current restrictions make things more difficult at

present, but also wish to talk about some solutions.

We would also like to make preparation for this important ministry for the future when this pandemic does not rule our lives.”

To this end, we would like to invite anyone with an interest in Children's Ministry to join a forum for discussion and sharing by Zoom on Tuesday 8th December at 7.30.

Anyone wishing to participate in this meeting should contact Marilyn Shedden on marilyn.shedden@btinternet.com to register their interest.

**The Presbytery Clerk's phone number has changed.
I will now be able to be contacted on 07775926541**

Anyone wishing an intimation posted should inform the clerk no later than Wednesday each week.

- **Rev Owain Jones, Moderator of Presbytery invites presbyters to weekly prayer together on Wednesdays at Noon. Prayer will be circulated and posted on the Presbytery Website.
It can also be viewed on the following link
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPXtlED6SuGHrf7DYJtMj8w>**
- **Presbytery Facebook Page:** If anyone wishes something posted on the Presbytery Facebook Page **please contact
Liz Gibson (egibson@churchofscotland.org.uk)**
- **Online services available from Argyll**

Online services are being provided for local congregations and those who wish to log in from places further afield:

The United Church of Bute – Rev Owain Jones - <https://www.unitedchurchofbute.org.uk/>

The Shore Kirk – Rev Janet MacKellar –

<https://sites.google.com/view/theshorekirk/home>

or <https://www.facebook.com/groups/345399762209092/>

[Service is available by Phone on 01369 510 932](https://www.ardchattanchurch.org.uk/)

Ardchattan Iw Coll Iw Connel – Rev Willem Bezuidenhout <https://www.ardchattanchurch.org.uk/>

West Cowal – Rev David Mitchell

<https://www.westcowalchurches.org.uk/>

Netherlorn Churches Worship Team

<http://www.netherlornchurches.org.uk/>

West Kintyre

westkintyreandgighachurchofscotland.org

Kilmore and Oban: Rev Dugald Cameron

www.obanchurch.com

Barra and South Uist : Rev Lindsay Schluter(audio only)

Can be accessed via telephone (01871-200336) or the South Uist website (www.southuistchurchofscotland.com)

eXp facebook page: - a worship and discipleship resource for young people.

<https://www.facebook.com/expdunoon/>

Daily Hope line

It is introduced by the Archbishop of Canterbury. There are three options, you can:

1. Listen to a well-known hymn being sung then listen to a reflection on it, about 15 minutes.
2. Listen to well-known hymns being sung and sing along.
3. Listen to a prayer relevant to today's world

This service is called Daily Hope, the phone number is **0800 804 8044** Phone calls are free.

Keep Safe

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Clerk to the Presbytery of Argyll

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