

Diocese of Brechin: News Bulletin

1st June 2023

Linden Quartet in All Souls' Invergowrie

Enza Gibson reports: It was a delight to have the Linden Tay Quartet performing in All Souls, Invergowrie, last Tuesday, 23rd May 2023. The Quartet played a programme of Mozart and Schumann. The event was well attended and all present loved the performance!



The quartet perform in the beautiful church space
(Photo: All Souls' Facebook)

Double Celebrations in Carnoustie

There were double birthday celebrations last week for choir members at the Church of the Holy Rood, Carnoustie! Caitlyn was 18 years old and Edna was 85 years young!



Birthday celebrations as the cake is cut
(Photo: Holy Rood Facebook)

St Martin's Dundee Try 'Café Church'

A great time trying out some Cafe-Church Style worship for Pentecost this morning at St Martin's. The first half of the Pentecost Service was Cafe-Church Style. The congregation was thinking about their gifts and how they use them, and what is exciting in the life of the church. "Different but enjoyable!" remarked one of the congregation.



The St Martin's congregation try 'Café style'
(Picture: St Martin's Facebook)

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The congregation joined in congratulating both and celebrating with a beautiful birthday cake.

Upcoming Musical Events in Brechin Diocese

There is a wide range of excellent musical events coming up in churches of the Diocese in the next few weeks. Details below:

Tayside Opera: The Elixir of Love: 31st May to 3rd June at The Space Dundee. Tickets are available through the box office at 07591010179 or online at www.taysideopera.com/tickets.

9th June : Lunchtime Concert at St. Paul's Cathedral, Dundee. Come and enjoy the music of the Kathleen White (soprano) & David Mowle (piano). Concert begins at 1pm with coffee/tea and cake, hosted by the Friends of St Paul's, served afterwards giving the audience the chance to meet and chat with the performers. Tickets are £5 for adults and £3 for students.

14th June: Music at St. Mary Magdalene's—The next Wednesday lunchtime concert at St Mary Magdalene's Church will be on 14th June at

12.30pm. Guitar and mandolin music of Fleein' Fingers. Admission is by donation and tea and coffee will be available from 12.15pm. You are welcome to bring your own lunch to enjoy with the music.

Please share any other details of musical or other events that would be interest to all in the Diocese.

Experiences of the Camino Frances de Santiago: illustrated talk, 7th June



St. Mary's, Broughty Ferry on Wednesday 7th June at 5pm will host a talk on the Camino Frances de Santiago. **Rev. Mark-Aaron Tisdale** and **Dr Lis Thoms** have recently separately journeyed along the 'Way of St. James', via the Medieval English route across Northern Spain to the final resting place of St. James the Great in the ancient city of Santiago, Galicia. The talk will have Audio and Visual presentation. All very welcome!

Dundee Pride March 10 June 2023

Dundee Pride will take place on June 10 & 11 this year. The mission of Dundee Pride is to take a positive stance against discrimination and violence against the LGBTQ+ community, and to progress equality and inclusion within Dundee and the region.

There will be a group of people from the diocese taking part in the Pride March at 12pm on Saturday 10th June. If you would like to be part of that group, then you're welcome to come to the Cathedral from 11am for (optional) facepainting and to grab some placards before we head off together to take part in the march!

Rev'd Roxanne Campbell (she/her)

16 July: The Great St Drostan's Picnic and BBQ IS ON AGAIN THIS YEAR!

SUNDAY 16th July 2.00pm until 4.30pm

Free Tea/Coffee Soft Drinks and the FAMOUS ST DROSTANS FREE BURGERS. Rounding off with a

"Songs of Praise". A fantastic afternoon in beautiful Tarfside by the retreat house and church. For more information contact Rev Jane Nelson 01569 730967.

YEEK 'The Quest'—An unmissable summer experience for teens! Book by 1st July!

"Yeek" is the new name for the Scottish Episcopal Church's annual Youth Week, held at Glenalmond College in Perthshire. This year's theme is "The Quest" – there will be team challenges, adventures and more! Places on Yeek 23 are filling up fast, and booking remains open until 1 July.



Yeek welcomes all teenagers who are connected to the Scottish Episcopal Church, so please encourage any young members of your congregation to find out more. We strive to be a welcoming, inclusive and supportive place where young people can make friends and explore their faith. For further details and booking, visit yeek.scot Questions? Contact Claire Benton-Evans, who is part of the Yeek team, at youth@brechin.anglican.org

Cost of Living Crisis: Info and Projects

The Cost of Living crisis continues, so we have placed information and resources to help with living costs on a new page on the Diocesan website. The page can be found here: Cost of Living Crisis page [here](#).



Any news to share in the Bulletin?

If you have details of upcoming events, stories and photos of events around the diocese, please email Elliott Scarfe in the office on office@brechin.anglican.org