

Congregational Roll

When I first came to St Margaret's, (January, 2005) the choir had two men singing with them, sadly both now gone. Bill McAllister died in 2007 and Bob Aitken has also died just after the last issue of the magazine in February. Two other stalwarts have left us, Mrs Isobel Watson and Donald Maclean, both well known and deeply involved members of our church.

Many years ago, as a new man on the door at morning service I suggested to Isobel as she approached the turret door aided by her two sticks, that she might find it easier, as I had done recently, if she were to enter on the level via the choir door. She responded and I never suggested it again, to anyone!

I am pleased to welcome in print four new members to the congregation. Miss Elizabeth Johnston, Goldberry Avenue and Mr Mark Dingwall, Rotherwood Avenue joined by Profession of Faith on 21st February. Both were no strangers to us and it's great to have them on the roll.

Also joining us on certificates of transfer from Ruchill Kelvinside Church are Mr John and Mrs Mima Smith of Fulton Street. The Kirk Session were happy to add their names to the roll at our meeting on Tuesday 17th May, and I ask you all to get to know them and make them feel welcome, as indeed they are.

David Adams,
Roll Keeper.

CHURCH REGISTER

“The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God and no torment shall ever touch, they are at peace”

Bob Aitken*	13 th February 2016	
Norma Beaton	22 nd . February 2016	80
Sean Milligan	1 st . March 2016	50
Isobel Watson*	12 th . March 2016	94
Donald Maclean*	19 th . March 2016	90
Alex Gemmell	8 th . April 2016	80
Jean MacDonald	20 th . April 2016	84
John Malcolm	25 th . April 2016	81
Ann Walker	6 th . May 2016	61

* Denotes Member

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A LIFETIME

Someone has calculated how a typical lifespan of 70 years is spent. Here is the estimate:

Sleep.....	23 years.....	32.9%
Work.....	16 years.....	22.8%
TV.....	8 years.....	11.4%
Eating.....	6 years.....	8.6%
Travel.....	6 years.....	8.6%
Leisure.....	4.5 years.....	6.5%
Illness.....	4 years.....	5.7%
Dressing.....	2 years.....	2.8%
Religion.....	0.5 years.....	0.7%
Total.....	70 years.....	100%

Makes you think!

FLOWER CALENDAR 2016

Flower Calendar has been placed in the vestibule of the Church for anyone wishing to donate flowers, there are quite a few vacant dates. Please either fill in the dates or speak to myself. I should like to thank everyone who either donates flowers or gives through the Flower Fund, and to the Pastoral Care Committee who take to delivering the flowers after the service to the sick or bereaved.

Aileen Campbell

Flower Convener.

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News from the Homes

Only news from Homes is that regular services have been taking place. Sadly we

lost Isobel Watson.

We are coming into the summer ventures, Fayre,
Outings etc.

Catherine (Elder to Homes and Hospitals)

Ways & Means

We are now at the end of our Session, and would like to thank everyone who has supported all our ventures. We had a great programme of Coffee Mornings, Special Nights etc. which raised quite a sum of money. There was a great atmosphere at all the events.

Shortly we will be getting together to organise next session events. WATCH THIS SPACE !!!!!

A Prayer for Today

Creator God heighten our awareness of your greatness. Remind us of all the wonderful things made by your hands for us to enjoy, the beauty of a sunrise or sunset, the moon reflecting on the sea, the greatness of the hills and valleys. You made each of us in your Image giving us gifts that we can use to help each other. Encourage us to be good listeners so that we can be there for those who need us. Remind us that we are all brothers and sisters in Christ and as such should love and care for one another. Help us to look outwards and equip us so that we are prepared to reach out and help those around the world who are depending on others for their wellbeing.

We come to Church to worship your Holy name, may the Holy Spirit fire our imagination so that we can go out and begin to serve others in your name. Father make us the true disciples you have called us to be so that all we say and do may be pleasing in your sight.

Amen

Organ Voluntaries for June, July and August 2016

5th June Pie Jesu – A. Lloyd Webber
(Communion) Communion – WS Lloyd Webber

<u>12th June</u>	Prelude and Fugue in G minor – JS Bach A Wedding Tune for Ann – Vaughan Williams No.1 from ‘A Little Organ Book’ – Parry Trumpet Voluntary – Stubbley
<u>19th June</u>	Prelude – WS Lloyd Webber Aria – WS Lloyd Webber Triumphant March – WS Lloyd Webber
<u>26th June</u>	Pie Jesu – Faure Rigadoon – Handel Voluntary in D minor (3 rd Movement) – Stanley
<u>3rd July</u>	Panis Angelicus – Franck 3 Interludes – Goodwin Processional (St. Anthony Chorale) – att. Haydn
<u>10th July</u>	Prelude – Sumsion Offertoire – Chauvet Alla Marcia – Gordon Jacob
<u>17th July</u>	Chanson de Matin – Elgar Andante Semplice – Tomlinson Choral March – WS Lloyd Webber
<u>24th July</u>	Visiting Organist
<u>31st July</u>	Largo in G – Handel Musette – Handel Allegro from an Organ Concerto – Arne
<u>7th August</u>	Intrada – Ireland The Holy Boy – Ireland Alla Marcia – Ireland
<u>14th August</u>	Tune in E – Thalben-Ball Largo – Festing Flute Piece – Hine
<u>21st August</u>	Theme from 2 nd Movement of Symphony No.9 – Dvorak Air – Mozart March – Haydn
<u>28th August</u>	Priere – Suite Gothique – Boellmann Musette – Boellmann Gavotte – Suite Gothique – Boellmann

The Furnish Family would like to thank the Congregation of St. Margaret’s Church for their kindness, concern and good wishes on the safe arrival of Duncan Iain Furnish on 22nd March at

the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital.

Shona Gillespie is also very grateful to the Congregation of St. Margaret’s Church for their concern and kindness shown to her at the time of her recent operation.

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**Holiday Club June/July 2016**

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This year the Holiday Club will take place between Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June and Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July from 10-12 noon in St. Margaret’s Parish Church. As in previous years the children will enjoy games, craft activities and fun and this year the theme is linked to sport and to the Bible story of David. We do hope many children will join us at this time. We are also looking for helpers and so if you think you would like to come along please speak to Margaret Lang or Christine Furnish.

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**Family Fun Day**

A family fun day will be held on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at the end of the Holiday Club Week and we hope you will come along and join in the fun whatever your age!

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**FLOWERS**

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| <b><u>JUNE</u></b>   | 5th  | <b>COMMUNION</b>                                      |
|                      | 12th | <b>Church Choir</b>                                   |
|                      | 19th | <b>Mrs C Furnish—Scotstoun</b>                        |
|                      | 26th | <b>VACANT</b>                                         |
| <b><u>JULY</u></b>   | 3rd  | <b>Miss M Kelly—Knightswood</b>                       |
|                      | 10th | <b>Miss C Keith—Scotstoun</b>                         |
|                      | 17th | <b>VACANT</b>                                         |
|                      | 24th | <b>Mrs W Macaulay—Bearsden</b>                        |
|                      | 31st | <b>Miss A Campbell—Knighswood</b>                     |
| <b><u>AUGUST</u></b> | 7th  | <b>VACANT</b>                                         |
|                      | 14th | <b>Mr &amp; Mrs W Smith (In Memory of Eric Baker)</b> |

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|           | 21st            | Miss B Alexander—Knightswood |
|           | 28th            | Miss A Campbell—Knightswood  |
| SEPTEMBER | 4th, 11th, 16th | VACANT                       |

**COFFEE DUTY**

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| JUNE      | 5 <sup>th</sup>  | COMMUNION                         |
|           | 12 <sup>th</sup> | MRS KIRK – MRS HERON              |
|           | 19 <sup>th</sup> | MRS MILLER – MRS BUNTIN           |
|           | 26 <sup>th</sup> | MR WILLIAMS – MRS WITHER          |
| JULY      |                  | MRS JANET HALL & MS. LIZ JOHNSTON |
| AUGUST    | 7 <sup>th</sup>  | MRS KIRK – MRS HERON              |
|           | 14 <sup>th</sup> | MRS MILLER – MRS BUNTIN           |
|           | 21 <sup>st</sup> | MR WILLIAMS – MRS WITHER          |
|           | 28 <sup>th</sup> | MRS KIRK – MRS HERON              |
| SEPTEMBER | 4 <sup>th</sup>  | COMMUNION                         |
|           | 11 <sup>th</sup> | MRS MILLER – MRS BUNTIN           |

