

Mure Memorial Church

Sunday 15th December 2024



Please stand as the Bible enters the Church

Welcome & Intimations

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Prayer

MP 114: O come, O come Emmanuel (v1 and chorus)

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Reading : John 1, verses 1-18

Nativity with Carols

The holly and the ivy

312 : Away in a manger

296 : While shepherds watch their flocks by night

302 : It was on a starry night

310 : See him lying on a bed of straw

MP 740 : We three kings of Orient are

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Concern

320 : Joy to the world

Blessing

Please remain standing as the Bible leaves the Church

We extend a warm welcome to anyone who is visiting with us this week and hope that you enjoy worshipping at Mure Memorial. Please join us for tea and coffee in the hall after the service.

INTIMATIONS

The Guild

A reminder that there is no meeting this week. Our meetings will resume following the Christmas break on **Thursday 9th January at 2pm.**

Flower Calendar 2025

The calendar for next year is now available at the front of the church. Please complete for any special dates for which you wish to provide flowers.

Gift Sunday Donations to FARE

A huge thanks to everybody for your very generous donations to FARE Easterhouse!

I can assure you that the staff and volunteers were delighted and deeply grateful to our response to their Christmas Appeal. I think we donated roughly about 90 carrier bags and many of the bags contained 2 gifts so that was a lot of presents!! In addition you made cash donations amounting to £190.

My personal thanks to Elizabeth, Myra, John and particularly Aileen for assisting me.

Again thank you so much for your kindness and demonstrating the true Christmas spirit by thinking of others.

Christmas Greetings - Jean McVittie

Since I have decided, again this year, to contribute the money I would spend on cards and postage to charity, I take this opportunity to send you all my best wishes for a Happy Christmas and blessings for the New Year.

Christmas Services

A quick reminder of the upcoming special Christmas services. Please find all the details below

Date	Service	Location
22 nd December @10am	Lessons and Carols	Mure Memorial
Christmas Eve @6.30pm	Family Service	St Andrew's
Christmas Eve @ 11.15pm	Watchnight Service	Mure Memorial
Christmas Day @ 11am	Joint Service with St Andrew's	Mure Memorial
29 th December @11am	Cafe Church -Joint Service	St Andrew's

Future Intimations

Intimations can be submitted for inclusion in the Order of Service and on www.mure.org by emailing **intimations@mure.org**.

Just to make everyone aware, that when you request an intimation via intimations@mure.org, to be put in Order of Service, this also goes to the website and Facebook. Please let us know if you do not want the information on all platforms. It may also be that you wish to adjust intimation for each platform.

If your intimation is not electronic, please supply a copy to **Christine Imrie** or **John McMillan**.

It would be appreciated if any intimations for the following Sunday could be submitted by Wednesday evening.