

## Regular Church Groups

### Friday

- The '**1<sup>st</sup> Troqueer Boys Brigade & Girls Association**' meet weekly in the Church Hall, Church Street. Times:- P1-P6: 6-8pm & P7 upwards: 7-9pm  
Taking girls and boys age 5-7, 8-11 and 12+ in our 3 sections

### Friday

- The '**Youth Fellowship**' meet weekly in the Centre from 7.30 – 9.30pm  
P7-S6 come & find out more about what Jesus can mean in your life today.

## Small Groups

These groups exist to enable us to grow in our faith through fellowship, study and discussion of God's Word, prayer and sharing together.

### Monday (Full to capacity)

- Meeting at 7.30pm

### Tuesday

- Meeting at 7pm

### Thursday (Full to capacity)

- Meeting at 7.45pm

**Many of the groups stop during school holidays and over the summer.**

## Church Contacts

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**A registered charity, Troqueer Church and Troqueer Parish Church are operating names of Troqueer Parish Church of Scotland, Dumfries, SC000973**

## Intimations and Events

### **Rwanda £1 Appeal**

**Pop a £1 coin in the baskets at either side to assist with rent costs.  
£251 was collected in December – 'thank you'**

### **THIS WEEK**

#### **Prayers for Christian Unity – Sunday 19 January, 3pm (*Max West*)**

Join us for a short service of worship, prayer and inspiration. All welcome.

#### **SU Day of Prayer – Wednesday 22 January, 9am-6pm (*Baptist Church*)**

A day of thanksgiving and prayer for the work of Scripture Union locally, nationally and internationally. Refreshments available, come when you can, leave when you need.

### **NEXT WEEK**

#### **Prayer Breakfast – Saturday 1 February, 8am (*Manse*)**

Share fellowship, enjoy breakfast and pray together. All welcome.

### **Confident Christianity Conference Saturday 1 February, 10.30am-1pm (*Baptist Church*)**

Sharing the gospel in an age of tough questions with speaker Andy Bannister, Director of Solas. Cost £5 (pay on the day). Three sessions:

- 1) How to talk about Jesus without looking like an idiot. (*Practical tools*)
- 2) What does it mean to be human? (*Why Christianity offers the best foundation for rights, dignity and justice*)
- 3) Did Jesus rise from the dead? (*The powerful evidence for the resurrection*)

**To register: sign the sheet at the pulpit side of the church.**

### **ADVANCE NOTICE**

- Sunday 2 February, 11am            Family Service (*Church*)
- Tuesday 4 February, 7.30pm        Guild Meeting – Musical Evening (*Church*)  
**Tickets available from Guild members: £5**
- Saturday 22 Feb, 10am-1pm        Christian Aid Gathering (*St George's Church*)

**Check Centre notice board regularly for other interesting events further afield.**

**Sermon Notes**  
**The Team That Will Change the World**  
**Revelation 21:1-5**

*One of those days Jesus went to a mountainside to pray, and spent the night praying to God. Luke 6:12 (TNIV)*

1. Living in community is ..... for everyone.
2. Simon Peter was first in ..... but also first in .....
3. James and John were .....

*When the disciples James and John saw this, they asked, 'Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to destroy them?' Luke 9:54 (TNIV)*

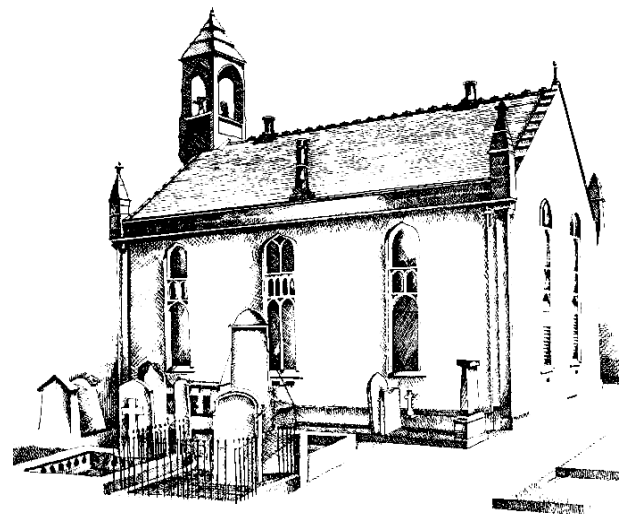
4. You're Andrew, Simon Peter's .....
5. Philip, ..... with Peter, Andrew, James and John.
6. Thomas was a bit ..... and was always .....

*Then Thomas (also known as Didymus) said to the rest of the disciples 'Let us also go that we may die with him' John 11:16 (TNIV)*

7. Simon the Zealot was a .....
8. Simon meet my disciple ..... he's a tax collector.
9. Judas Iscariot .....
10. What makes Christian communities Christian, isn't the presence of Christians, .....

Community is that place where the person you least want to live with, always lives. And when that person moves away, someone else rises to take their place. Parker Palmer.

19 January 2020



**Troqueer Parish Church, Dumfries – 19 January 2020**

**Minister – Rev John Notman**

**Tel: 01387 253043**

Welcome to our Sunday Worship Services particularly if you're visiting.  
Join us for refreshments at the close of the service – in the Centre.

Children leave for the '**Powerhouse**' after the first part of the service  
and meet in the Centre where they can be collected at the end.  
There's also a crèche available for babies / children under 3 years.

Our Bible passage is Revelation 21:1-5 read by Jim.  
Colin will lead us in our intercessory prayers.

**6.30pm** Evening Service led by Christopher.  
John N will preach on Habakkuk 1.

**Next Sunday – 26 January 2020**

**11am** Morning Service, Christopher will preach on Luke 15:1-31.

**6.30pm** Evening Service led by Margaret.  
Sheila will preach on Habakkuk 2.