

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go (Joshua 1:9)

# WELCOME TO DOWANVALE

Our vision is to be: A place of God-centred worship, uncompromising in its adherence to biblical truth; A growing congregation that is as diverse as the surrounding community; A welcoming place characterised by well trained, sacrificial leaders where ongoing training, mentoring and mutual support is available through bad times and good; A compassionate place towards those in need, both materially and spiritually.

# Today: Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2024

**11.00am Morning Service Rev. Iain Morrison** Sunday Club meet downstairs after second singing (pre-school to S3). Creche also available.

Tea & Coffee served after service

#### Next Week: Sunday 21st January 2024

11.00am Morning Service Rev. Iain Morrison 6.00pm Evening Service David Trimble

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Kirk Van der Swaagh

Welcome Team Next Week: Colin & Donna Macdonald, Angus Macleod, Heather & Ryan Mackenzie

#### THIS WEEK AT DOWANVALE

Tuesday	Top Tots	Church hall	10am – 11.30am
Wednesday	Prayer Meeting	Church hall	7.30pm – 8.30pm
Thursday	Glasgow International Café	Church hall	7.30pm – 9pm

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### GET INVOLVED

Become a member: Join a Home Group: Donate: Serve: Contact Kenny/lain or one of the Kirk Session Speak to Kenny/lain to find your nearest group Check out <u>dowanvale.org/donate</u> or get in touch with the Treasurer Speak to Kenny/lain to find out about different opportunities to serve

# **CHURCH NEWS**

**'A Joyful Noise':** Everyone warmly invited to come together on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February from 7-9pm for a night of live music and worship in the downstairs church hall to raise money for the projects supported by Women for Mission 23/34. Invite friends and family along to join us for what's sure to be a great evening!

**Church Treasurer needed:** We are looking for someone to take over the role of Church Treasurer. If you or someone you know would be willing to serve in this way, please speak to Kenny/lain or one of the office bearers.

**The Record:** if you would like to continue your subscription in 2024 or begin a subscription let Carina know.

**Pastoral Issues & Support:** at this time while Kenny is off if there are any issues that you would like prayer and support for, please don't hesitate to reach out to lain or one of our elders.

**Welcome Teams:** We are looking for more volunteers to take part in welcoming people at the church door. We would be particularly keen for students and young workers to get involved. Please speak to Rod Morrison or Eoghan Smith or email church Admin

**Glòraich:** We have the aim to produce contemporary Gaelic worship music resources and we would like to invite you on the 28<sup>th</sup> January to a Gaelic Service at 9.30am (Free entry), and a worship event (£10) at 7.30pm at St George's Tron. Tickets can be purchased here: <u>https://tinyurl.com/4ycrn3br</u> (or link available through our website).

**Monday Club** our weekly youth outreach ministry is taking a pause over the next few months in order to plan and reform a vision for future, weekly as well as holiday club outreach, through the church. The Monday Club core group would love to take on some new members. If anyone with a passion for youth outreach who would be keen to be involved in a planning and organising team for youth outreach please speak to either; Claire Bennett, Anna MacAra, Katie McEwan, Eoghan Smith or Carina MacIver.

**New Student & Young Worker Bible Study:** will be starting tomorrow (22<sup>nd</sup> Jan) and meeting fortnightly at Iain & Liana's from 7.30pm. Over the next 5 sessions we'll be looking at 1 Peter together. More information via the young adults whatsapp group (scan QR code to join)

