

Congregational Board

St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm

Tuesday 16 February

Wednesday 24 March Congregational Annual Meeting

Tuesday 20 April

Tuesday 15 June

Other Important Dates

Fridays - Old High : Church Open for Reflection from 11.30am to 1.30pm Help for Church sitting would be most appreciated -Contact Margaret Sutherland .

Sunday 23 May Pentecost

Education Evenings on same Sex Relationships

The General Assembly Special Commission on Same-Sex Relationships and the Ministry has circulated a letter to all churches advising of the forthcoming procedures for discussing and reporting to the Committee. Session agreed to hold two events of identical content, Kirk Session led, chaired by the Minister, with strong encouragement for wide participation by all members and adherents of the congregation. The importance of attendance was stressed so that Session Members would be more informed when the matter was debated in Session before reporting back to the Committee. The dates set are :-

Tuesday 16 March *St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm*

Wednesday 14 April *St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm*

School Term Dates

Open Monday 11 January Close Friday 26 March

Open Monday 12 April Close Friday 2 July

For more information on any of the events please call

The Minister , Rev Peter Nimmo Tel 250802 or

The Session Clerk, Ken Cantlay Tel 231298

The Church of Scotland

**OLD HIGH ST STEPHEN'S
INVERNESS**



Church Diary from January to June 2010

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Scottish Charity No. SC035073

Communion Services

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| 31 January | Old High Church 11.15am |
| 7 February | St Stephen's Church 7.00pm (Shorter Service) |
| 28 February | St Stephen's Church 10.00am |
| 30 May | Old High Church 11.15am |
| 6 June | St Stephen's Church 7.00pm (Shorter Service) |
| 20 June | St Stephen's Church 10.00am |

Other Services

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| 24 January - | Ecumenical Service for Christian Unity Evening Venue and Time TBA |
| Easter Week: | Times and Venues to be confirmed |
| 28 March | Palm Sunday Choral Service Old High 8.00pm |
| 29 to 31 March | Holy Week Services |
| 1 April | Maundy Thursday Communion |
| 2 April | Good Friday |
| 4 April | Easter Sunday Early Morning Walk Start Old High at 7.00am Communion at Old High 8.00am Followed by Breakfast |
| 2 May | Old High Church 8.00pm Joint Service of Inverness Presbytery Rt Rev William Hewitt, Moderator of General Assembly, to Preach |
| 27 June | All Age Moving On Services |

Signing For The Deaf:

Margaret Kinsman will be signing for the deaf on the following dates at the St Stephen's morning services

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| 7 February | 7 March |
| 4 April | 2 May |
| 6 June | |

Other Events:

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| 18 to 25 January | Week of Prayer for Christian Unity | Various | See Advertised Activities |
| 23 January 7.30 for 8.00pm | Burns Supper | Recreation Hall Raigmore | Tickets from Christina Cameron |
| 20 February | Organ Fund Raising Day | Old High 11.00am to 4.00pm | Offers for Church sitting would be appreciated. |
| 21 February To 21 March | Sundays in Lent | Possible Academy Style Events | See Advertised Activities |
| 23 April to 3 May | Moderator of C of S General Assembly Visit | Inverness Presbytery | See Advertised Activities |
| 9 to 15 May | Christian Aid Week | Parish | Volunteer Collectors Required |

Kirk Session Meetings

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| Tuesday 19 January | <i>Old High Church Hall at 7.30pm</i> |
| Tuesday 3 February | <i>St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm</i> Elder Training Evening with Steve Aisthorpe |
| Wednesday 10 March | <i>St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm</i> |
| Tuesday 18 May | <i>Old High Church Hall at 7.30pm</i> <i>Additional Meeting to Prepare Response on Same Sex Relationships</i> |
| Wednesday 9 June | <i>St Stephen's Hall at 7.30pm</i> |