

Following the congregation's involvement with Future Focus and the Kirk Session's prayerful review of the outcomes, a vision statement for Callander Kirk has been approved, based on Matthew 28: 18-20 and Jeremiah 29: 11-13.

*"To be a flourishing, Gospel-centred church that, through discipleship, seeks to follow where God leads."*

Please pray for all those who will be involved in planning the Kirk's journey towards this vision.

**Can we help in any way?**

Please feel free to contact the minister, or one of the office bearers.

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**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2020**

**This week's prayers –**

We pray for those families struggling with financial difficulties and hardship at this time.

We think of the homeless who have now been given support with shelter and food during this crisis.

We give thanks for Mears care team on the frontline in our community.

*(Kindly prepared for us by Sarah Gold)*

### Church Notices

**Callander Kirk Church Office is CLOSED until further notice, due to staff furlough.**

Please check out

[www.callanderkirk.org.uk](http://www.callanderkirk.org.uk), YouTube and facebook

to keep up-to-date with news, view Services and join in with Messy Church

### Online Giving during Lock down

During this difficult time when we are not able to meet together on a Sunday and not able to give via the offering plate then there are different ways that you can give.



One way is to set up a standing order through your bank and if you need more information to do this then please contact the treasurer, Fiona Murphy on 01877 330101.

You can also give securely and directly through give.net using the following link.

[Callander Kirk \(Church of Scotland\)](#)

Even though the doors of our buildings are closed the church is still open - we are the church.

## **Message from StartUp Stirling**

We're keeping busy and continuing to support all our clients by providing their food parcels by home delivery.

We would welcome any support at all you can give us reminding people to continue to donate food via our donation stations at supermarkets, as we have discouraged donations to the warehouse due to the social distancing requirements.

You can also make donations directly to our bank account:

The sort code is 08 92 99

Account code is 65723500

With thanks again for your continued support, which is greatly appreciated.

Kind regards, Glenda McWatt, General Manager

For further information please contact StartUp Stirling on 01786 561027 or email: [mail@startupstirling.org.uk](mailto:mail@startupstirling.org.uk).

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