

Intimations:

St. Ninian's Friendly Corner is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00am – 1:00pm in the Beith Hall (access from St. John's Road and through the church). There is tea and coffee, biscuits, friendship, and a warm welcome for everyone. Drop in anytime. **The church is also open on Tuesdays** 11:00am – 1:00pm for quiet reflection.

Douglas Ramsay and family would like to express their gratitude to everyone who supported them in their recent bereavement. They would also like to say many thanks for the donation that was collected for Alzheimer's Scotland, that amounted to £800.

Can you help? The **National Guild has a link to Guilds in Malawi**; they are looking for **contributions to send to them**. The list includes buttons, thread, zips and needles. They would be pleased to receive any that you, our Church congregation, can spare. I shall be pleased to collect them on **Sundays 4th, 11th and 18th May** as they will be taken to the Guild Big Sing on Tuesday 20th May. Many thanks. Valerie Thomson, Guild contact.

The Lit meets on **Monday 5th May at 7.45 pm** when Eric Melvin will give a presentation on "*Why there was a need for the New Town*" with comparisons between the Old and New.

Rock Trust: Between January and March 2025, **464** items of food and toiletries were delivered to the **Rock Trust**. *Many thanks* for your continuing generosity which is greatly appreciated. All types of tinned and packet foods are welcome.

Conversazione, the Men's Conversation Group, will meet **next Wednesday, 30th April, at 12:30pm** in the Lounge. Meet up for great conversation. Please bring along your own lunch. If you are intending to come along, please let Douglas Ramsay know on 334 5599.

The **Care Van** will be going out on **Wednesday 30th April**. Please remember the team in your prayers.

Thank you to everyone who has donated clothing recently to the **Care Van**, it is very much appreciated by all the clients who use the service. We also **always need sleeping bags/blankets/duvets** if anyone has any they could donate. Cash is also welcome so we can buy new underwear etc. or anything else where our supplies are short of requirements. Any donations of any kind marked "Care Van" always reach us - *Thank You from The Care Van Team*

If anyone has any **contributions for the next issue of the Quarterly**, please send them to Simone Hislop at simone_hislop@blueyonder.co.uk **by the end of April**.



MYANMAR EARTHQUAKE APPEAL - Corstorphine St Ninian's Church of Scotland raised **£1025.65** for the Christian Aid emergency appeal for the earthquake in Myanmar.

ST NINIANS MEETS STRICTLY- Saturday 10th May, 2- 4pm

Girls in Fellowship Together (GIFT) are holding an **Afternoon Tea**, which will feature a demonstration of Latin American and Ballroom dances from Hilary and her partner, from the Afton Dance Club. There will be an opportunity for some participation, so remember to bring your dancing shoes.

Everyone of all ages is welcome, and **tickets can be purchased** from Gillian Higgins, Penny Gordon, Fiona Coutts, Donna Short, Christine Waugh, Sheonagh Richards, Morag Black, and Marion Campbell. We will also be in the Crush Hall, selling tickets after the service. Adults £4 Children £2.

We look forward to seeing you. and joining in the fun, -GIFT

**Cross the Forth Road
Bridge for Christian Aid!**



By this date, St Ninian's & St Anne's should have done the **Forth Road Bridge**

Sponsored Walk in aid of Christian Aid. See next Sunday's Intimation for the amount raised.