

# WELCOME

24TH DECEMBER



## TODAY

### 9.45am & 11.30am

Alasdair Black will be speaking on 'The Star of Bethlehem.'

**Readings** Matt 2: 1-12 Num 24: 14-19

Communion will be served at the 9.45am service.

### 11.15pm Watchnight Service

Rab Donald will be preaching.

There will be no 6.30 service today, please join us at 11.15pm

## SUNDAYS

The **prayer team wear yellow badges** and will be available at each door at the stewards' stations during worship and at the end of the services.

For urgent prayer requests call Janette Buick on 07931 927414 or email [prayerchain@stirlingbaptist.co.uk](mailto:prayerchain@stirlingbaptist.co.uk).

If you are new to SBC please stop by the welcome area which sits beyond the information desk. Members of the **welcome team wear blue lanyards.**

Come and enjoy a coffee and a chat. If you know anyone who would appreciate pastoral support or prayer, please contact Rosey McFarlane. 07894 503 174

## NEWS

Sarah Laing's December Update  
Copies of Sarah Laing's December newsletter can be found on the information desk on the middle floor.

Office Hours over Christmas  
The Church office will be closed from Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December to Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January (inclusive).

## FAMILY NEWS

Please pray for the family of Elizabeth Berrie who died on Thursday morning. Pray for her daughter Henri and son-in-law Mike.

## UNDER 25'S

We run a range of programmes for 0-25s throughout the week. Check out the website for more info.

### KIDS (0-12yrs)

9.45 - History Makers and Bubbles meet in Taylor Room. McCallum room is available for parents with 0 - 2s. All Kids programmes will relaunch on the 7<sup>th</sup> Jan.

### YOUTH (12 -18)

All of our usual youth programmes are taking a break over the Christmas period, meeting again on the 7<sup>th</sup> January.

## *faith at home*

Discuss with your children how they could share their faith with others, remembering what they have learnt about the Nativity story. Spend some time challenging your young people to think about how they can remember the real reason for Christmas.

## COMMUNITY

Thanks to everyone who donated hampers, food and packing materials. We made 23 hampers that will now be given out to families connected to the Haven and other ministries. Thank you!

## PASTORAL STAFF

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## GIVING

Stirling Baptist relies on the generous and faithful giving of the fellowship. If you would like more information, please contact our Finance Manager in confidence at susie.  
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