

TAIN + FEARN FREE CHURCH



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SUNDAY 16th AUGUST 2026

Hilton at 10.00am and Tain at 11.30am:

Mr Patrick Symonds

IS ANYTHING TOO HARD FOR THE LORD?

Genesis 18: 1-15 – p.17

Hilton at 5.00pm and Tain at 6.30pm:

Mr Rev Alasdair MacAulay

THE ECLIPSE

Psalms 19: 1 – p.552

Tea and Coffee are served in the hall at rear of the church after the morning service. If you are visiting, please join us.

*You make known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy
in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.
Psalm 16: 11*

WHAT'S ON IN TAIN AND FEARN THIS WEEK

Mon	6.30pm	Office-bearers gathering, Rod's steading
Tue	11.30am 7.00pm	Ladies Bible Study, Julie's Road to Recovery, Tain
Wed	7.30pm	Congregational Prayer Meeting, Tain
Thu	7.00pm 7.30pm	Deacon's Court, Tain Ladies Bible Study, Tain Manse
Fri	11.00am 12.00pm	Pray for New Church Project Tain Lunch Club
Sat	2-4pm	All-Church Barbeque, Balintore Pitch
Next Sunday	AM PM	Rev Alasdair MacAulay Dr Luke Stannard



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the congregational calendar
or future events

WOMEN FOR MISSION CONFERENCE

'When Strivings Cease - Learning to Pause in a world of Unrest'
The Women for Mission conference will be held in Smithton Free Church on Saturday, September 12th 2026, from 9:30am-3:30pm. The speakers are Cathy Steed and Mairi Smith. There will also be stalls selling books and crafts. The tickets cost £20 for adults, £15 for students and £10 for under 18s. This covers lunch, catering, and a goody bag. Any queries please speak to Donella Ferrier.

HOLIDAY SUNDAY SCHOOL

There is holiday creche provision for pre-school and primary children in Hilton and worksheets available at the entrance to both churches for children who wish to stay in the service.

OFFICE BEARERS GATHERING

There will be a get-together for the office bearers on Monday at 6.30pm. Meet at Rod MacKenzie's farm steading.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

The ladies' Bible studies resume this week at Julie's and Mairi's, looking at Ch.9, *Anxiety & Frustration*. Please note the new time of 11.30am for the Tuesday morning group. Emma's group resumes on Thursday 27th August where they will continue their study in Mark. Anyone is welcome, please just come along or ask one of the ladies for more details.

TAIN LUNCH CLUB

Tain Lunch Club resumes on Friday 21st August.

ANNUAL ALL-CHURCH BARBEQUE

The annual BBQ will take place at the Balintore Football Pitch on Saturday 22nd August from 2pm-4pm. There are sign-up sheets at both ends of the congregation if you are able to help.

SEABOARD GALA FUNDRAISER

Please speak to Emma if you are able to help at all with the Gala tea-tent on Saturday 29th August, either with baking or serving on the day. It is a busy event so several helpers are required.

HILTON CHURCH CLEANER

There is an opportunity to help clean the Hilton Church. If you feel able to serve in that way, please speak to David Merrick.

LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come.
Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever,
Amen.*

If you would like a visit from the minister or an elder,
please let us know.

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