**BREATHE ON ME, BREATH OF GOD**
 Breathe on me, Breath of God,
fill me with life anew,
that I may love what thou dost love,
and do what thou wouldst do.

 Breathe on me, Breath of God,
until my heart is pure,
until with Thee I will one will,
to do and to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
till I am wholly Thine,
until this earthly part of me
glows with Thy fire divine.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
so shall I never die,
but live with thee the perfect life
of Thine eternity.
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*I seek you with all my heart; do not let me stray from your commands. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.* ***Psalm 119:10-11***



FREE CHURCH

GLENELG AND INVERINATE

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 29th September 2024

Services at 12.00 noon in Inverinate Hall

and

6.00pm in Glenelg Church of Scotland

We warmly welcome you to this service of worship and would love you to join us for tea, coffee and refreshments

*Because of the Lord’s great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.* ***Lamentations 3:22-23***

**NOTICES**

**Today’s Services:** We are delighted to have Rev. James Blackwell leading us in worship today from Genesis 2:1-25, Sermon – The Breath of life, in Inverinate. Then from 1 Thessalonians 4:1-18, Sermon - A Lesson in Life this evening in Glenelg

* **Praise:**

Sing Psalms 8:1-9 (page 7) – *In all the earth, O Lord our Lord*

Sing Psalms 126:1-6 (page 171) – *When Zion’s fortunes God restored*

Sing Psalms 16:7-11 (page 17) – *I’ll praise the Lord my God*

Hymn – Breathe on me, breath of God. *(See back page)*

* **Next Sunday 6th October:** Rev. James Blackwell will lead us in worship at the 12.00 noon Harvest Service at Inverinate Hall and the 6.00pm Service in Glenelg. **There will be a retiring collection in aid of the Skye and Lochalsh Foodbank.**Please give generously to this worthy local cause if you are able.  Our Harvest Service will be followed by our congregational lunch.
* **Sunday School:** Sunday School and The JaM Group will run as usual today during our 12.00 noon service. There is also a creche for the very little ones.
* **Online Studies:** Our Ladies Study Group are continuing their Two-Year Bible Read Through study. Our Men's Study Group will begin a new study on John's Letters on Monday 30th September, so this would be a great time to join the group. If you are interested in joining either group please speak to Moira, Barbara or Colin.
* **Wednesday Bible Studies:** Our Dornie Bible Study runs at Colin and Vivienne MacKenzie’s home at 7.30pm and our Glenelg Bible Study runs at Jon and Megan MacDonald’s home, also at 7.30pm. A warm welcome awaits you if you can come along and join us.

**•    Prayer for One:**  If you received a Prayer for One invite card today or last Sunday please do use it to pray for someone you would like to invite to our Harvest Service and Lunch, then you can use the card itself as an invite to ask them along. There are more cards at the back of the church if you didn’t get one or if you want to ask more than one person.

* **Upcoming Dates:**

**Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th November** - Communion Weekend (Rev James Blackwell conducting all services)

Saturday 16th November - Evening Service at 7.00pm at Inverinate Hall

Sunday 17th November 12 noon - Communion Service at Inverinate Hall - followed by congregational lunch

6.00pm Evening Service in Glenelg Church

* **Praying for One Another:** Please add the following prayer points to your prayer diaries.
* **Govan**Give thanks for the induction of Rev. David MacPherson to Govan at the weekend. Please pray for David and Martha as they settle into the congregation, that the Lord would bless their ministry in Govan. Please pray that the Lord would build up the congregation in Govan and strengthen each member, Please pray the Lord would bring many people in the community to the faith in Christ through the witness of the Christians in Govan
* **Dumisani**

Commit to the Lord in prayer the decision of the Dumisani governors to now move forward about the possibility of acquiring another house to incorporate into the campus. This would primarily provide additional male accommodations and make for a very unified campus. Pray for the speaking tour of Dr Chipenyu later in October, talking about Dumisani and its expansion plans. May he be kept safe and in good health.

* **Healthy Gospel Church**

Pray that as a denomination, the Lord would equip us for evangelism and to reach our communities with the good news of Jesus Christ. Pray that we would encourage and build one another up in the faith.

* **UFM**

Pray for Ruairidh as he prepares to take a small team out to Sicily 19-28 October, to do some outreach work with mission partners there.  Please also pray that the UFM Thanksgiving Evening on 4 Oct in Glasgow would be a blessing and an encouragement to those who attend. More information at: [ufm.org.uk/events](https://freechurch.us6.list-manage.com/track/click?u=bfe4fb815ef2db28dab25b8e1&id=25b271b4b4&e=900926e1df)