

**Reader**      **Readings**

Sun 7 May	Alan Waddell	Acts 2: 42-47; 1 Peter 2: 19-25 <i>(John 10: 1-10)</i>
Sun 14 May	Veronique Malcolm	Acts 7: 55-80; 1 Peter 2: 2-10 <i>(John 14: 1-14)</i>
Sun 21 May	Mike Baxter	Acts 17: 22-31; 1 Peter 3: 13-22 <i>(John 14: 15-21)</i>
Sun 28 May	Russell Malcolm	Acts 1: 6-14; 1 Peter 4: 12-14; 5: 6-11 <i>(John 17: 1-11)</i>
Sun 4 June	Alan Waddell	Acts 2: 1-21 or Numbers 11: 24-30; 1 Corinthians 12: 3b-13: or Acts 2: 1-21 <i>(John 20: 19-23 or John 7: 37-39)</i>

**Please arrange to swap if unavailable for allotted date**



*If I were a butterfly,  
I'd thank you Lord, for giving me wings,  
And if I were a robin in a tree,  
I'd thank you Lord, that I could sing,  
And if I were a fish in the sea,  
I'd wiggle my tail and I'd giggle with glee,  
But I just thank you, Father,  
for making me "me".*

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**ST MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

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## **Notes from St Margaret's**

May, in Western Europe, marks the end of the harsh winter months. Colourful spring flowers signal the arrival of summer. It is the time for growth as old plants and seedlings thrive without the fear of a late frost.

Here, at St Margaret's, our lovely church garden is cared for by Ronnie and Margaret and provides a colourful image of our continuing faith to Tayport.

Our Christian witness flourishes under the spiritual guidance of visiting clergy. In April we were inspired from the joy of our Easter worship but now we eagerly await the coming of Pentecost in order to refresh our spiritual growth.

Best wishes, Margaret Gray



*You are only here for a short visit*

*Don't hurry, don't worry*

*And be sure to smell the flowers along the way.*

## **St Margaret's Mission Statement**

The mission of St Margaret's church is to worship together, reach out, with the other churches, to those in the community and beyond, offering them welcome and hospitality wherever they are on their spiritual journey.

## **May Services Diary**

Wed 3 May 10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 7 May 10.30am	Fourth Sunday of Easter. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 10 May 10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 14 May 10.30am	Fifth Sunday of Easter. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 17 May 10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 21 May 10.30am	Sixth Sunday of Easter. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 24 May 10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 26 May 10.30am	Seventh Sunday of Easter. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 31 May 10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 4 June 10.30am	Day of Pentecost. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall

## **May Events**

Fri 12 May	12.30-3.30pm	PVG training at St Catherine's Church Hall, Blairgowrie
Wed 21 May	7.00pm	Area Council meeting at All Saints, St Andrews
Sat 27 May	9.30-4.00pm	The Gathering, St Ninian's Cathedral, Perth
Sat 27 May	7.30pm	"Nabucco" Verdi's rousing opera performed by Tayside Opera and starring our very own Russell Malcolm
Sun 4 June	6.30pm	Songs of Praise service at Tayport Parish Church Organised by CATT

## **May Rotas**

### **Reception**

Sun 7 May	Christine Barker
Sun 14 May	Mike Baxter
Sun 21 May	Margaret Redpath
Sun 28 May	Janette Turvey
Sun 4 June	Christine Barker

### **Offering**

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