



High Free Church  
Stornoway

*Showing the greatness of Jesus Christ  
within our community and beyond*

*Sunday 15 February 2026*

***Welcome to our services today. We pray that you may know.  
God's presence with us as we gather to worship in His name.  
We extend a warm welcome to any visitors and pray  
God's blessing for all.***

## **This week's Services**

**11.00 am English Service in Sandwick Hall – Rev Andrew Macleod**

**Sermon Title: “The Offering”**

**Sermon Text: Leviticus 1 and Exodus 38: 1-8**

*Sunday School and Crèche will meet during this morning's service.*

*There will be brunch after this morning's service. All are very welcome to stay behind and enjoy a time of fellowship together*

**6.30pm: English Service in The Seminary – Rev Andrew Macleod**

**Sermon Title: “The Invitation”**

**Sermon Text: Exodus 25: 1-22**

*There will be fellowship after tonight's service where Rev Macleod will be sharing about the Lord's work in his life. All are very welcome to stay behind and enjoy some time together. Any donations of baking are welcomed.*

**Both services will be livestreamed on the Church's YouTube channel**

### **Prayer meetings**

*All prayer meetings will be held in the Fàilte Centre, Bayhead at 7.30pm, unless otherwise stated. Please contact us for Zoom details if you are unable to attend in person.*

**English Tuesday 17 Feb – Rev Hugh Ferrier.**

**Gaelic Thursday 19 Feb – Rev Hugh Ferrier**

**English Saturday 21 Feb – Zoom meeting**

**Services for Sunday 22 February 2026 are as follows:**

**11.00am: English Service – Sandwick Hall – Rev Hugh Ferrier**

**6.30pm: English Service – The Seminary – Rev Hugh Ferrier**

### **HFC Toddlers**

Toddlers will meet on Thursday 19 February from 10am – 11.30am in The Failte Centre. Mums, Dads, carers, babies, and all pre-school children are welcome to come along.

### **Deacon's voting Papers.**

Please remember that Tues 17th is the last day to return completed and signed voting papers. If you have not yet collected one, please ask at church door today.

### **Skye Spring Mission - An Invitation From Duirinish**

Dear brothers and sisters of the High Free Church

We are so grateful to you all for your partnership in the gospel and for the encouragement and the support that you give to us. Our congregation is small and fragile in many ways but we have faith in an almighty God to change lives and build up His cause here. We hope to have Jeff Townend (Highland) and Steve Walker (Ipswich) of the Faith Mission lead an outreach which will include a leaflet drop by Royal Mail, a personal visitation of the whole parish beginning 16<sup>th</sup> March, nightly gospel services with praise, testimony and preaching, a kid's club in the afternoons and a coffee morning on the Monday.

We are so grateful to you for the offer of help. What needs to be done? We need help visiting the homes of the parish over the two weeks 16<sup>th</sup> March to 28<sup>th</sup> March. Jeff will give some basic training in door to door visitation. We need musicians to help with the praise and volunteers to give testimony. We need help staffing the kid's club led by Jeff and Steve. If you can help over even part of the time then that would be great. Accommodation will be in the manse in Dunvegan and with members of the congregation.

As you come to sow gospel seed it is our prayer that there will not only be a harvest of new believers here but also a spiritual harvest in our own lives as we experience the joy of serving together our great Saviour Jesus

### **Weekly freewill envelopes**

The new issue of weekly giving envelopes will be ordered soon. If you **no longer wish to receive envelopes** and plan to give via online banking, please let Chris Martin know so envelopes are not ordered unnecessarily. Alternatively, If you would like to begin donating to the congregation using weekly giving envelopes, please add your name to the list on the clipboard at the door.

### **Mailing List**

*Each week our notice sheet is emailed to the congregation in addition to Prayer Points and Zoom links for the Prayer Meetings. If you would like to be added to the mailing list, please speak to Hugh*

### **Ladies' WhatsApp group**

*Our Ladies WhatsApp group "Hope In Challenging Times" provides information, news, prayer requests etc and is a great way to keep in touch with what's going on in the congregation. It is available for any of the ladies so if you who wish to be added to the group speak to Natalie Ferrier or Margaret Macleod*

### **Men's WhatsApp Group**

*Our Men's WhatsApp group "Men Do Pray" similarly provides information, news, prayer requests etc and is a great way to keep in touch with what's going on in the congregation. It is available for any of the men so if you who wish to be added to the group speak to Hugh or David Morrison.*

### **2026 YOUTH CONFERENCE.**

*Looking for a weekend to step away from the noise, deepen your faith, and reconnect with God's people? Join us for a weekend of worship, teaching, and fellowship at Lendrick Muir, from Friday 13th to Sunday 15th March 2026. This conference is created for young adults aged 18–30 and is always a special time of encouragement, renewal, and meaningful connection with others from across the church.*

### **Main Speaker**

*We're delighted to welcome Rev Cory Brock from St Columba's Free Church of Scotland, who will be speaking about the Holy Spirit.*

### **Key Information**

- **When:** Friday 13th – Sunday 15th March 2026
- **Where:** Lendrick Muir
- **Who:** Ages 18–30

### **What to expect**

*Across the weekend, you can look forward to:*

- *Christ-centred talks*
- *Times of worship and prayer*
- *Seminars and testimonies*
- *Space to relax, reflect, and connect*

- *And, of course, great food, thanks to our fantastic team of cooks who have served us so well in recent years!*

Book your place here

- [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdDIhs32t4X76muFqO643112prtW891DaXNn\\_d8QVTxXhPmzA/viewform?fbclid=PAZXh0bgNhZWOCMTEAc3JOYwZhcHBfaWQMMjU2MjgxmDQwNTU4AAAGnxoCyuD\\_ZrnU9IPCw/CeGzKhGSSCaB1zD1wHKD5FUqvUEIDpRusW2Gzpeg0Y\\_aem\\_POkcYTA9i2nTIDr2bkQ4ww](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdDIhs32t4X76muFqO643112prtW891DaXNn_d8QVTxXhPmzA/viewform?fbclid=PAZXh0bgNhZWOCMTEAc3JOYwZhcHBfaWQMMjU2MjgxmDQwNTU4AAAGnxoCyuD_ZrnU9IPCw/CeGzKhGSSCaB1zD1wHKD5FUqvUEIDpRusW2Gzpeg0Y_aem_POkcYTA9i2nTIDr2bkQ4ww)

### ***PRISEIL LADIES CONFERENCE 2026***

*The Conference will take place this year on Friday 12th (7:30-9:00pm) and Saturday 13th June 2026 (10:00-4:00pm) in the Rev. M.A. Macleod Memorial Hall, Kenneth Street, Stornoway. The speaker will be Paula Buchel*



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Save the date

*Priseil  
Ladies Conference*

**Friday 12th June 2026 (7:30-9:00pm) & Saturday 13th June 2026 (10:00am-4:00pm)**

**With Paula Buchel**

## **Save the Date**

**Ladies Testimony Evening – Newton Centre – Weds 4 March at 7.30pm (more information to follow)**

**Preaching Pathways Workshop – 2/3/26 and 20/4/26**

**Youth Conference – 13-15 March 26 – Lendrick Muir (Kinross)**

**Priseil Ladies Conference – M A Macleod Hall – 12<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> June**

### **Schedule of Communion Services: 19th – 22nd February 2026**

#### **Shawbost Free Church**

*Thursday 19th February 2026*

*Gaelic Service at 7.00pm in Bragar Rev James Maciver*

*Friday 20th February 2026*

*English service at 7.00pm in Church Rev Matty Guy, Dingwall Free Church*

*Saturday 21st February 2026*

*English service at 11am Rev Matty Guy, Dingwall Free Church*

*Bilingual Prayer Meeting 6pm, Church Hall led by Elders*

*Lord's Day 22nd February 2026*

*Communion Service at 11.00am Rev Matty Guy, Dingwall Free Church*

*Service at 6.00pm in the Church.*

*There will be a fellowship after the Sunday evening service where Rev. Guy will share his testimony.*

**South Harris Free Church**

*Friday 20th February*

*Gaelic 12 noon Rev Callum Macdonald*

*English 7.00 pm Rev Murdo Campbell*

*Saturday 21st February*

*Gaelic/English 12 noon Prayer Meeting*

*English 6.00 pm Rev Murdo Campbell*

*Lords Day 22nd February*

*English 12 noon Rev Murdo Campbell*

*English 6.00 pm*

*There will be a fellowship in the hall after the evening service*



**Ladies' Testimony and Praise  
Evening  
Wednesday 4th March  
Newton Community Centre  
7:30pm  
All welcome**



## Youth/Congregational Worker

The High Free Church, Stornoway is a growing and vibrant congregation. To support the ongoing work of the congregation, we are now seeking to appoint an energetic and enthusiastic individual with a passion for working with young people and encouraging them in their Christian faith.

Applicants must have previous experience in youth/pastoral work, will be self-motivated and able to work on their own initiative. They will have the ability to build trusting relationships and possess good organisational, IT and communications skills.

The post holder will be implementing decisions integral to the furtherance of the congregation's mission, there for it is essential that applicants are sympathetic to the mission and ethos of the Free Church of Scotland.

**In accordance with the Equality Act 2010, there is a Genuine Occupational Requirement that the job holder is a practising Christian with an active Christian faith.**

**Details of the post are;**

**Salary:** £22,064 pro-rata

**Working Hours:** 17.5 hours per week

**Contract length:** 1 year with the possibility of annual renewal

**Location:** Stornoway

**Closing Date:** 22 February 2026

**To apply:** To request a full job description and application details, email [chrismart3@gmail.com](mailto:chrismart3@gmail.com)

**Applications must be submitted by the closing date above.**

Presbytery

# SCALADALE KIDS CAMP

P6 – P7

27th – 30th March

Cost: £50

Booking Form goes live  
8am Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February

<https://forms.office.com/r/DnkHmTcdn1>



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**Spangy Murray – Interim Sunday School Team Leader** -

**Any items for the bulletin should be forwarded to our email address before 4.00pm on Thursdays. Thank you.**

**[intimations.highfreechurch@outlook.com](mailto:intimations.highfreechurch@outlook.com)**

### **First Aid Kit and Evacuation Chair**

*If required, a first aid kit and wheelchair are to be made available in the following locations:*

**Sandwick Hall:** First Aid Kit - In the kitchen area inside the door nearest to the main entrance. Wheelchair - In the crèche room to the right as you enter the building.

**Seminary:** First Aid Kit - Kitchen area next to the exit door behind the pulpit.

Wheelchair - In the storage room through the exit midway down the sanctuary on the left-hand side.

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**Church Services can be found on YouTube:**

<https://www.youtube.com/@highfreechurchstornoway6602>

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