



High Free Church
Stornoway

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

Sunday 13 September 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 Hugh Ferrier

Sermon Title: “Abraham’s Encounter With The Covenant Making God”

Sermon Text: Genesis 15: 7-21

Crèche and Sunday School will be available during the service.

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

Sermon Title: “Nothing And No One Better”

Sermon Text Hebrews: 1- 1-4

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 15 Sept – Rev Hugh Ferrier

Gaelic Thursday 17 Sept – Rev Hugh Ferrier

English Saturday 19 Sept– Online meeting

Services for Sunday 20 September 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 17 September from 10am – 11.30am in The Failte Centre. Mums, Dads, carers, babies, and all pre-school children are welcome to come along.

Smartie Tubes

A huge thank you to all those who have already returned their full Smarties tubes to us. If you haven't yet returned yours do not worry, there is still time. Please return them by Sunday the 20th of September 2026.

The Record

The revamped Record arrives this weekend. It's free for existing subscribers and the church has also provided five free copies to each congregation to allow you to sample it for yourselves.

The magazine will be dealing with a lot of topical cultural issues and seeks to help believers respond spiritually to the cultural crisis of our times.

If you want to become a subscriber, please indicate that to the person responsible in your congregation so that future magazines can be ordered for you.

Light Lunch

There will be a Soup and Pudding Light Lunch in aid of Christian Values in Education (Scotland) held in the Rev M.A Macleod Hall on Kenneth Street on Saturday 3rd October 2026 from 12-2:00pm. If you feel strongly about our schools having Christian values and good quality Christian resources, please do come along and support this worthy cause. You can help by providing a soup, a pudding, or some baking, come along to help on the day or indeed come along to have lunch with us. Bring a friend or two with you as well and enjoy some fellowship over lunch. If you wish to find out more about CVE (Scotland) please speak to Kirsteen and she would be happy to provide you with more information.

CHURCH CALENDAR

*It is that time of year again when the Fundraising Committee are looking for your photographs in order to compile the church calendar for 2027. Please send any photographs you wish to be considered for inclusion to Angela MacLennan on bookingskingfishercottage@gmail.com or Kirsteen J Maclean on kjmozart@btinternet.com **Photographs should be submitted by Friday 18th September 2026.***

Providence Christian School – Headteacher and Primary teacher. 2 x fulltime posts

Providence Christian School is an independent, non- denominational, reformed Christian Primary School on the Isle of Lewis (Scotland). They are currently seeking applications for a Headteacher and Primary Teacher at the school. The closing date for advertised position is Friday 2nd October 2026. For more information and to request an application pack please contact office@providencechristian.school. We also welcome further enquiries and you can contact the school at this email to discuss the role.

Save the Date

Soup & Pudding lunch – 3 Oct – MA Macleod Hall

Schedule of Communion Services – 17th to 20th September 2026

Carloway Free Church	
Friday 18 th September at 7.30pm	Rev Callum Macleod
Saturday 19 th September at 7.30pm	Rev Alasdair Macleod Smithton
Lord's Day 20 th September at 11.00am & 6.00pm	
There will be a fellowship after the evening service.	

Scalpay Free Church

Thursday 17 th September	7.00pm	English	Rev Calum Macdonald
Friday 18 th September	12.00 noon	Gaelic	Rev Calum Macdonald
	7.00pm	English	Rev Calum M Smith
Saturday 19 th September	8.30am	Prayer Meeting	Elders
	12.00 noon	English	Rev Calum M Smith
	6.00pm	Prayer Meeting	Visting Elder-Bi-lingual
Lord's Day 20 th September	8.30am	Prayer Meeting	Elders
	12 noon	English	Rev Calum Macdonald
	6.30pm		Rev Calum M Smith
There will be a short prayer meeting after the Sabbath evening service.			

Barvas Free Church

<i>Friday 18th September</i>	<i>7.30pm</i>	<i>English</i>	<i>Rev John Macleod</i> <i>Allander Evangelical Church</i>
<i>Saturday 19th September</i>	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>English</i>	
<i>Lord's Day 20th September</i>	<i>11.00am</i>	<i>English</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>English</i>	
<i>There will be a fellowship meeting in the hall after the Sabbath evening service.</i>			



**The Lord is close to the broken hearted
and saves those who are crushed in spirit.**

Psalm 34:18

**PRAISE NIGHT AND TALK FROM HEBRIDES ALPHA RESIDENTIAL
REHABILITATION PROJECT**

North Harris Free Church Sunday 27th September 2026 at 7:15pm

You are invited to attend an informal worship service and learn more about this Christian project. The work of Hebrides Alpha in our community is under great pressure and there is a real need for upholding the project, the staff, current and prospective residents in prayer. We will learn about the work of the project, hear testimony about lives changed, prayer points and other ways we can support them.

Rev. Hugh Ferrier - Minister - h121ferrier@googlemail.com 01851706788 / 07981082012

Christopher Martin - Session Clerk - chriscmart3@gmail.com 706143

Roddy Ferguson - Clerk to the Deacons Court - roddyf1@hotmail.com

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Deputy - Murdo Fraser - murdofraser@live.co.uk / 07772940487

Deputy - Katy Macleod - katymacleod@icloud.com / 07772514429

Margaret Macleod – Women's Pastoral Support Coordinator –

mmacleod@doctors.org.uk - 07733263642

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.

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First Aid Kit and Evacuation Chair

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

Sandwich 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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