THE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

NEWTON MEARNS PARISH CHURCH SUPPLEMENT

NOVEMBER 1974

Minister: Rev W. MURRAY MACKAY, M.A., SThe Manse, Ayr Road.		M. 2747
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Property Convener: Mr. J. A. McKELVIE 11 Lauderdale Avenue.	639	4171
Church Officer: Mr. WILLIAM G. R. DINSMOR 2 William Mann Drive.		2777
Sabbath Services—9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.		
Sabbath School—Primary: 11.30 a.m. Junior and Senior: 10 a.m.		

B.B. Bible Class, 10.15 a.m. Youth Fellowship, 7.45 p.m.

REGISTER

Baptisms:

Debbie Louise Boult, 20 Logan Avenue.

Michael William Openshaw Smith, 2 Stuart Road,
Bishopton.

Barry Fletcher Scott, 5 Fowlis Drive.

Jane Grant McLaren, 18 Broomcliffe Flats.

Alistair Stewart Kirkwood, 34 Corrour Road.

Claire Christina McLeod, 55 Rodger Avenue. Sheena Hill, 9 Wigtown Avenue. Juliette Elisabeth Black, 20 Harvie Avenue. Gordon Samuel Stewart, 24 Abercorn Road.

Hilary Susan Morrison, 18 Walton Avenue.

Marriages:

Elizabeth P. Stewart and Alan J. Watson. Muriel Clyde Russell and Colin Blake. Thia Niven and Douglas Keiler.

Deaths:

Mrs. A. Brown, 71 Hazelwood Avenue. Miss Flora Hunter, 23 Larchfield Avenue. Mrs. Nora Ford, 3 Broomvale Drive.

NEW MEMBERS

Profession of Faith

Mrs. Margaret Hart Kirkwood, 34 Corrour Road. Miss Moira Coldwell, 34 Eastwoodmains Road.

Certificate

Mr. Kenneth Nicholson, 2 Doune Crescent.
Mr. and Mrs. William Spence, 1 School Road.
Mr. and Mrs. R. Gourlay Black, 20 Harvie Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hill, 9 Wigton Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. R. Halbert, 4 Rodger Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. Alan Duncan, 63 Rodger Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Bradley, 7 Walton Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart J. M. Robertson, 18 Wickham

Mrs. J. S. Clubb, 27 Crookfur Cottages.
Miss Agnes Somerville, 28 Crookfur Cottages.
Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd, 10 Eddington Drive.
Mrs. Margaret B. Cochrane, 65 Fruin Avenue.
Miss M. M. Cochrane, 65 Fruin Avenue.
Miss J. W. Cochrane, 65 Fruin Avenue.
Mrs. Jean Smith, 28 Arisdale Crescent.

OFFICIALS OF THE CHURCH ORGANISATIONS

The Woman's Guild

President: Mrs. W. Dinsmor 639 2777
Vice-President: Mrs. A. M. R. Russell 639 1658
Secretary: Mrs. J. Roach, 14 Eddington
Drive. 639 2829

Treasurer: Miss M. Meikleighn, 74 Larchfield

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The Guild meets on Monday evenings at 7.30.

Young Wives' Group

President: Mrs. Avril Hulley, 2 Eaglesham Road. 639 2631

Secretary: Mrs. J. Scrimger, 8 Walton Avenue 639 6342

Treasurer: Mrs. Smith, 60 Kinloch Road. 639 5674

The Group meets in the Upper Hall on alternate Monday evenings, from 7.45 p.m.

The Sunday School

Superintendent: Mr. J. McKerral, 46 Newtonlea Avenue. 639 3655

Treasurer: Mr. Robert Hodgins, 46 Cheviot Drive. 639 3795

Drive. 639 3795 Pary: Mr. Alan Paterson, 46 Rodger

Secretary: Mr. Alan Paterson, 46 Rodger Avenue. 639 4972

The Youth Fellowship

President: Mr. Ian Clark, Humbie 639

Secretary: Miss C. Prime, 53 Newtonlea Avenue. 639 2572

The Boys' Brigade—79th Glasgow Company

Captain: Mr. Hugh Ross, 31 Kinloch Road. 639 5598

The Company meets in the Hall on Friday evenings at 7.30.

The Junior Section, The Boys' Brigade—79th Glasgow Company

Leader: Mr. Martin Ogilvie, 1 Glebe Lane. 639 2493

The Company meets in the Hall on Friday evenings at 6.30.

The Girl Guides—2nd Mearns Company

Captain: Mrs. A. Pelosi, Glencairn, Rysland Crescent. 639 2830
The Company meets in the Church Hall on Thursday evenings at 7.30.

3rd Mearns Company

Captain: Miss Muriel Russell, Netherfield, Glebe Lane. 639 1658

The Company meets on Thursday evenings at 7.30, in Mearns School.

2nd Brownie Pack

Brown Owl: Mrs. R. Booth, 17 Gordon Crescent. 639 4234

This Pack meets in the Church Hall on Thursday evenings at 6.00.

7th Brownie Pack

Brown Owl: Miss Simmie, 30 Windsor Avenue. 639 3177

This Pack meets on Tuesday evenings at 6.15, in Eastwood High School.

3rd Brownie Pack

Brown Owl: Miss Joyce Neil. 639 5293

This Pack meets on Tuesday evenings at 6.15, in Eastwood High School.

The Badminton Club

President: Miss Moira Fraser. 429 5354
Secretary: Miss Elspeth Simpson, 10 Arisdale

Crescent. 639 2432

Treasurer:

Club meets on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 7.30.

Sparks—Boys 5-7 Years

Leader: Miss Shirley Howie, 51 Beech Avenue. 639 2661

The Sparks meet on Wednesday evenings between 6.30-7.30.

The Next Supplement will be available for distribution on Sunday, 9th February, 1975. Material should be handed in 14 days in advance.

THE CHOIR

New members are needed in the Choir, and I appeal to all who can help to come forward. Only with an enlarged number can we render some of the Church music that we wish to include in the praise of the Sanctuary. It may be that you are unable to come to the practice during the week and so are reluctant to come in on the Sunday. I would be pleased if you would come and have a talk with me after a Church Service.

THE BADMINTON CLUB

The Badminton Club resumed on 10th September. The Club have entered mixed doubles teams in both the Langside and East Kilbride leagues, and a team in the Gents' League. Anyone interested in joining the Club is invited to come to the hall any Tuesday or Wednesday evening.

It is hoped to restart the Junior Section later in the season.

J. A. Littlejohn.

Elspeth M. Simpson.

YOUNG WIVES AND MOTHERS' GROUP

The session is now in full swing, and we are delighted to see some new faces amongst us. Our Annual Coffee Morning is being held on Saturday, 7th December. Donations for the Stalls, Cake and Candy, Soft Goods, etc., will be gratefully accepted.

BOOKSTALL

Music editions are now in; available to all who have spoken to me concerning them. The re-print price is now £1.80. Words only will be available as soon as possible. Please come and look at the bookstall. It is for you and all queries and suggestions in the Lord will be most welcome.

Kathleen A. Warnock.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Brown, 71 Hazelwood Avenue died on Tuesday, 3rd September, 1974. She took ill on holiday abroad, but through the kindness of friends was able to make her way home, but died shortly after her arrival. She had been resident in the district for many years, and a faithful attender of the Church. Attractive in personality, she was a great favourite in company, and had many friends in the district. To her son and daughterin-law we extend our deepest sympathy.

Miss Flora Hunter died on Thursday, 3rd October, 1974. It has come as a great shock to us to learn of her death, as it was not so long ago that she was in her usual place among the contraltos in the choir. She was a teacher of Primary children and rose to the highest rank of Infant Mistress. She had a gracious presence and children came to love her. Music was another of her accomplishments and she was a member of more than one Choral group in Glasgow. She was a most faithful member of the Church Choir and was rarely absent on a Sunday. She proved herself through the years to be a very valuable member of her home—as a daughter who looked after her parents and as a sister and Aunt. To Margaret, her sister, and all her nieces and nephews we extend our loving sympathy.

Mrs. Nora Ford, 3 Broomvale Drive died on 23rd October, 1974. It is not long since her husband died and she had been confined to bed since then. At the same time it would be true to say that she was very ill before he died. She had great determination of will and this it was that enabled her to look after him till he died. Her busy life made great demands on her, but she never flinched from her task. She had a good business head and with the aid of her husband built up a flourishing trade in her newsagent shop. She took time for relaxation and her life was a full one and a happy one. To her sons and daughters-in-law and grandchildren we offer our deep sympathy.