



Announcements For Week Commencing Sunday 26th October



WEEK AHEAD:

Sun 26th Oct: Sunday Morning Service: 11:00am. Pastor Robert will be with us as he continues the series based on "I AM: The Identity Of Jesus In His Own Words" with a message titled I AM The True Vine John 15:1-9

Mon 27th Oct Tots & Toast: Celebrates it's 4th Birthday, 10am-12 Noon,

Tue 28th Oct: Lunch Club: 12:30pm, Join us for soup, sandwiches and a time of fellowship together, a warm invitation is extended to all.

Wed 29th Oct: Early Morning Prayer Meeting: 7:30am on Zoom Join us as we seek God together before the day begins! Let's unite in prayer for our church, community, and one another. Come expectant. Come prayerful. Come together. for login details speak to Robert

Bible Study: Bible Study continues at 7:00pm. We will continue working through A Journey Through Habakkuk from September to November. Session 5 is : [A Prayer in the Midst of Trouble](#)

Pastor On Leave: Robert will be on leave from Thursday 30th October until Tuesday 4th November anyone requiring Pastoral assistance is asked to contact the deacons in the first instance

Thurs 30th Oct: Praise practice at 7:30pm in the sanctuary

Fri 31st Oct: Community Food Larder: Continues from 10:30am -12 Noon.

Sun 2nd Nov: Sunday Morning Service: 11:00am. International Day Of Prayer For Persecuted Church

Cafe Church: IDOP Prayer Event 7:15pm- 7:30pm

FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Church's Monthly Financial Target: For **September** our income was **£6,100** with expenditure of **£4,200**. The revised Monthly Income target going forward is **£7,800**. Current income figures would equate to a **forecast shortfall** of around **£10,000** against this year's budget. Financial contributions: If you'd like to start contributing to ABC via envelopes/bank transfer (Gift Aiding - adding 25% to your donation through tax refund to church) please let us know by contacting our Treasurer, Angus Macleod, or email treasurer@alnessbc.org.uk. **See Page 2 for Details**

Autumn Preaching & Activities Guide: Is now available at the back of the Church, detailing where we are going from Sept - Nov.

Community Food Larder: We are looking for volunteers to help in the manning of the larder and provide some tea & coffee. If able to help sign up sheet for the month of **November** at back of church.

Baptist Union Of Scotland : Prayer Calendar - this week please pray for the following; Dumfries Baptist Church; Duncan Street Baptist Church; Dunfermline West Baptist Church; Dunoon Baptist Church More information available at www.scottishbaptist.com/prayer

SHOEBOX APPEAL Nov 2nd Return Date Shoeboxes are to be returned during the morning service of **Sun 2nd Nov.** **If you wish to obtain the Hat, Scarf, Gloves, Socks Packs they are £8 each and ones with drawstring bag are £8.50 and available from Pastors Office, speak to Robert Or Stuart .**

Wed 5th Nov Outreach Opportunity: Fireworks Display: We are hoping to be providing Tea, Coffee & Hot Chocolate at the fireworks display from 5:30pm (Set Up) - 8pm Teardown if you are able to help please speak to Robert or Stuart

CHANGE OF DATE FOR HOUSE GROUP: HOUSE GROUP WILL TAKE PLACE ON THURSDAY 6TH NOVEMBER @ STUART & PAULINE'S HOME, AVERON RD Session 5 Resilient: Your Choices

Sun 9th Nov: Remembrance Sunday:

10:45am: Cenotaph Service, join us at Alness Cenotaph as we as a Town gather for a short service of Remembrance

11:30am: Morning Worship: Remembrance Sunday including an Act Of Remembrance, Pastor Robert will bring a message titled 'The Battle Belongs to the Lord' - Psalm 46

NATIONAL BUS 24/7 PRAYER WEEK: Pray For The Nation: 7 – 14 NOVEMBER 2025 book your slot at <https://scottishbaptist.com/prayer/praythenation/>

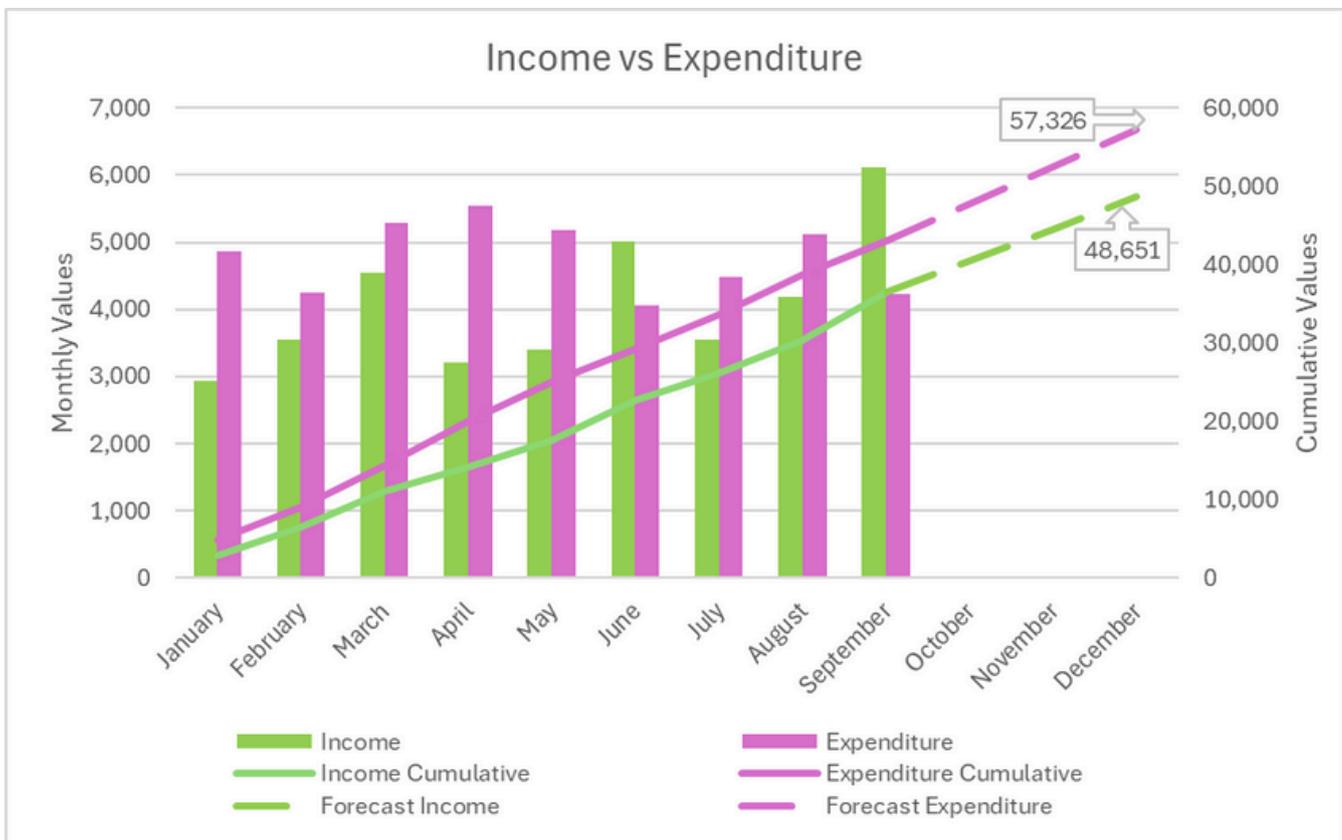
Sat 15th Nov: Alness & District Churches Collective Prayer Breakfast: 8:00am- 9: 30am Rosskeen Free Church

:TEARFUND BIG Quiz Night: 7:30pm @ ABC, 6 Per Team, £5 Per Person

Mon 17th Nov: Deacon's Meeting 7:30pm In The Pastors Office

Wed 19th Nov.: QTR Church Members Meeting: Anyone wishing to add anything to the agenda for the meeting is asked to speak to Stuart or Robert before Sunday 9th November.





Columns in graph show income and expenditure per month read against the values on the left hand side. The solid lines show our income and expenditure for the year so far. The dotted lines show forecast values to year end based on our year to date figures. All line values should be read against the values to the right hand side.