

# Welcome to Stonehaven Fetteresso



## Prayer focus for March 2025

Listen to his Voice

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Then he said to them all, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it.....

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem.....

Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!'

Luke 9:23, 24, 28-31,35.

Last month in our prayer focus we concentrated on Hope. Lately in our Sunday worship we have been studying the children of Israel as they were led by Moses out of captivity and slavery in Egypt through the desert to the promised land. The first Exodus. As we enter March we come to Transfiguration Sunday, when Jesus met with Moses and Elijah on the mountain top. Jesus in this encounter was being prepared for his death and his departure from earth.

The journey to Jerusalem stretched out before him. In the new Exodus Jesus will lead his people out of captivity, and the slavery of sin and death, to their promised inheritance with him in the new heaven and earth, where God will make all things new and will wipe away every tear.

In the transfiguration, Jesus was being equipped for the journey. As the disciples witnessed the transfiguration they heard the voice of God telling them to listen to their Jesus. How well do we listen to Jesus voice ?

*My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand.*

*John 10: 27*

As we enter the period of lent, the invitation is to slow down, to journey with Jesus through lent to the cross and his resurrection. To take time to listen for his voice. It is then we will receive the equipping we need to bring Gods message of hope to a needy world and receive the strength we need for the remainder of the journey to our promised inheritance with Christ.

**With the theme “Listen to his voice “ we offer a focus for your prayers each day this month.**

1st. The Presbytery prayer event at Fetteresso.

2nd. Ruth Davies and the work in Romania.

3rd. Those in hospital, or who have recently returned home, and their recovery.

4th. All who mourn.

5th. Our children and young people.

6th. Those struggling in the storms of life.

- 7th. The World day of prayer. The Cook Islanders. Unity of believers around the world.
- 8th. Glorious women's conference in Aberdeen.
- 9th. Applicants for the position of minister and youth worker at Fetteresso.
- 10th. Scripture union as they meet in the Schools and openings in Schools with no SU.
- 11th. For Bible Alive to be available and welcomed in our schools.
- 12th. The community café, those who serve & all who come to it.
- 13th. Wisdom for Session as they meet.
- 14th. Alpha training today for leaders and helpers.
- 15th. The Alpha away day.
- 16th. Those in care homes and all who look after them.
- 17th. St Patrick's day. The people of the Republic of Ireland and the people of Northern Ireland.
- 18th. Your neighbours.
- 19th. Local councillors, Our Government, World Leaders.
- 20th. District nurses and midwives.
- 21st. All enduring war. Peace for places of conflict
- 22nd. Suresh and the work of India village ministries.
- 23rd. All who struggle with depression and anxiety.
- 24th. Those who foster or adopt and look after children.
- 25th. Guild project - Home for good- seeking homes for all children.
- 26th. Those undertaking the Bible course.
- 27th. Children in care.
- 28th. Those who long for a family of their own.
- 29th. The Haven as it meets today.
- 30th. Mothers.
- 31st. Refugees/ asylum seekers.

**Amen**

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## Small Groups at Fetteresso



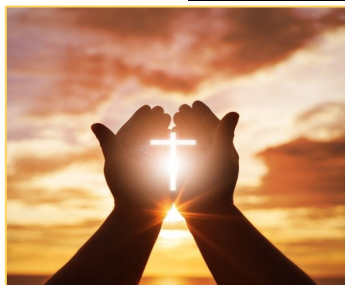
As well as prayer groups in Fetteresso, we have small home groups that meet on different days. If you are interested in running or being part of a small group, please get in touch with James Dickinson or the office.

## Place to Pray...

Monday  
1:15pm - 2:15pm

There will be a time to come together for prayer. For more details please speak with Roseanne Shewan or the office.

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Prayer requests for the prayer chain can be emailed to:

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As always all prayer requests will be treated confidentially.