



# UP FRONT 145

4 December 2024

REV GARY BARCLAY, MINISTER, 586282

JOHN MARTIN, CLERK TO BOARD, 815817

JEAN HASTINGS, TREASURER, 811225

JOHN CROSS, SESSION CLERK, 818254

## CHRISTMAS POST BOX

We are not operating Murrayfield Christmas Post this year to raise funds for the church by delivering Christmas cards throughout Bannockburn. However, if you are in the habit of bringing cards to church to hand out to fellow members, for the next two Sundays there will be a post box in the Hub for you to deposit your cards to save you wandering round everyone. They will then be delivered free of charge by the Murrayfield Posties. No need to add an address – just make sure the recipient's name is on the envelope!

## COMMUNITY QUIZ NIGHT

Our last community quiz night of the year will be held on Friday **6<sup>th</sup> December** in the Hub at 7.30pm. Admission is £5 including refreshments.

## CHRISTMAS LUNCH

A warm invitation is extended to all members of the Congregation (and family and friends) to join us for our annual Christmas Lunch at The Gallery Restaurant, Forth Valley College, Stirling on Wednesday **11<sup>th</sup> December** at 12.30pm. The cost of the lunch is £28 (£25.95 plus a tip). Please let Ann (Lomax) or Jean (Hastings) know if you would like to come along. Please also let Ann or Jean know if you require transport.

## CHRISTMAS JOURNEY

Led by Gordon Roy from Scripture Union, we are again presenting the Christmas story to Bannockburn Primary pupils in the Allan Church hall from 9.30-11.30am on Tuesday **17<sup>th</sup> December**. We are looking for a few volunteers who don't mind dressing up (costumes provided) and perhaps reading a short script. Please speak to Gary if you are available and willing to help out.