

# 2025 Calendar & Bin Rota

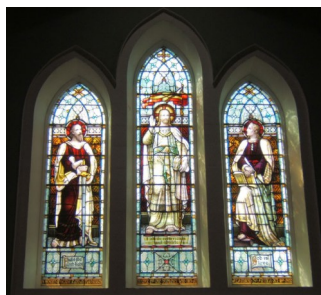
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Do you believe this?"

(John Chapter 11 verse 26—Bible text on middle window)



January		February	
30 Burns Supper	Wed 1	Sun 5	Sun 2
31 Community Lunch	Wed 8	Wed 15	Wed 5
	Sun 19	Wed 22	Sun 16
	Wed 29		Wed 26

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March		April	
4 Stacks of Pancakes	Sun 2	Wed 5	Wed 2
28 Community Lunch	Wed 12	Sun 16	Wed 9
30 Clocks go forward	Wed 19	Wed 26	Sun 13
	Sun 30		Wed 23
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May		June	
18 Christian Aid Big Brekkie	Wed 7	Sun 11	Wed 4
31 Highland Games	Wed 14	Wed 21	Wed 11
	Sun 25	Wed 28	Sun 22
			Wed 18
			Sun 25

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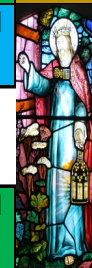
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July		August	
Church services in Braco at 10am	Wed 2	Sun 6	Sun 3
Friday Toddlers in the school park	Wed 9	Wed 16	Wed 6
	Sun 20	Wed 23	Wed 13
	Wed 30		Sun 17
			Wed 20
			Wed 27
			Sun 31

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September		October	
6 Flower Show		Wed 3	Wed 1
	Wed 10	Sun 14	Sun 12
	Wed 17	Wed 24	Wed 15
	Sun 28		Wed 22
			Sun 26
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November		December	
9 Remembrance	Wed 5	Sun 9	Wed 3
13,14 In-service days	Wed 12	Wed 19	Sun 7
	Sun 23	Wed 26	Wed 10
			Wed 17
			Sun 21
			Wed 24
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## Monthly Groups

**Music Club:** Final Thursday, Church, 8pm  
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 Second Thursday, Church, 7:30pm  
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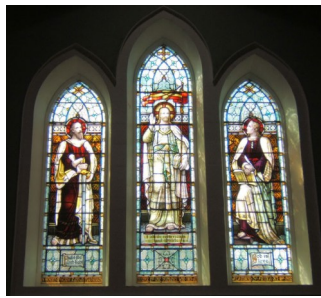
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30 Burns Supper		
31 Community Lunch	Mon 6	Mon 13
	Sun 19	Mon 20
	Mon 27	

February		Sun 2
11 School assembly		
12 In-service Day	Mon 3	Mon 10
28 Community Lunch	Sun 16	Mon 17
	Mon 24	

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	Sun 30	Mon 31	

April		Mon 7
4 End of school term		
6 Gala Duck Race	Sun 13	Mon 14
18 Good Friday		
20 Easter Day	Mon 21	Sun 27
23 Pupils back to school		
25 Community Lunch	Mon 28	

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May		Mon 5	Sun 11
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	Sun 25	Mon 26	

June		Mon 2	Sun 8/22
8 Gala Week starts			
13 Community Lunch	Mon 9	Mon 16	
15 Gala Day			
26 End of school term	Mon 23	Mon 30	

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11 Holiday Club Week		
19 Pupils back to school	Sun 17	Mon 18
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	Mon 15	Mon 22
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October		Mon 6
10 End of school term		
12 Harvest Service	Sun 12	Mon 13
23-26 Music Festival		
26 Clocks go back	Mon 20	Sun 26
	Mon 27	

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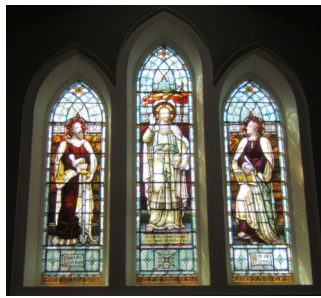
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