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Dear Member

I'm writing to you as the new minister of North Carrick Parish Church of Scotland. I was inducted on the 9th of September 2025.

I feel honoured to serve as the minister of North Carrick Parish with its beautiful towns, villages and farms. I'm already in love with the green Carrick hills and excited to get to know the area and its people better. Thank you for the warm welcome I have already received.

I am from South Africa and was a minister there for 13 years, before coming to Scotland in May 2024. I did my familiarisation at Letham St Mark's Church of Scotland before I was inducted as the minister in North Carrick. I am married to Hennie Becker, an electrical engineer.

I lead worship in Crosshill, Kirkoswald and Maybole on alternate Sundays. Everyone is invited and welcome to come to our church services. I am also available to give spiritual and pastoral support, so please contact me if you need any help in these areas.

I believe we are all called to serve in our community and to share the love of Jesus Christ. I take Ephesians 4 as my guide: *"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all."*

So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ."

Blessings in Christ,

Rev Karlien Becker

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