

**At Millport, and within the Parish Church of Cumbrae on Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> 2005, which place and date the Presbytery met *in hunc effectum* for the setting apart of Mrs Nicola Smith as a Reader and was constituted with prayer.**

SEDERUNT: The Revds M H Mackay (Moderator), JR McKay (Clerk) N Cruikshank, AF McGurk, SW Smith, Ministers; MG Kellock, R Lavalette, JT McGillAK Saunderson, Elders.

APOLOGIES were received from RJ Grahame, B Oxburgh, FC Ross, ERL Watson, Ministers; A Buick, R Jarvie, G Ross, Elders.

AUTHORITY TO MEET: There was laid on the table the minute of September 6<sup>th</sup> appointing this day for the setting apart of Mrs Nicola Smith.

SETTING APART: The presbytery proceeded to the Church where worship was conducted by the Moderator, assisted by the Clerk. Revd Norman Cruikshank, Convener of the Ministries Committee, preached the sermon.

The Moderator put to Mrs Nicola Smith the appointed questions which were answered satisfactorily, and Mrs Smith signed the Formula, whereupon the Moderator set her apart and admitted her as a Reader of the Church. She presented Mrs Currie with a copy of the Bible.

Following worship the Presbytery retired to the vestry.

ROLL OF PRESBYTERY It was moved, seconded and agreed that Mrs Smith's name be added to the Roll of Readers and to the list of corresponding members of Presbytery, and that the Clerk be instructed to send an extract minute to the Ministries Council and to *Life and Work*.

THANKS Thanks were expressed to all who had taken part in the service.

**The Presbytery adjourned to meet for the conduct of ordinary business on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October for the conduct of ordinary business**

CLOSED WITH PRAYER

Moderator

Clerk