



Our aim is to draw closer to God and to each other so that, through us, He can make known to all people the joys and challenges of following Jesus.

Sunday 8th September 2019

Theme: The gift of serving
Reading: Romans 12:4-13 (page 1139)
Preacher: John Young

Morning Worship Call

9.30am Service

This is the day that the Lord has made

We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good

His love endures forever.

173 Sing to God new songs of worship
603 For the gift of God the Spirit
608 Spirit of truth and grace
352 O for a thousand tongues to sing

11am Service (with Sunday Clubs and Crèche)

769 Santo (Holy, holy, holy)

Sheet Father, we thank thee for the night
(t: Duke Street)

Sheet I'm going to give

Sheet The splendour of the King

Sheet Holy Spirit, living breath of God

374 From heaven you came, helpless babe

Organ music for offering

543 Longing for light

Dresden Amen ('Amen means 'let it be so')

(Retiring offering after both services in aid of the Big Idea - Messy in the Park)

- *Children are welcome throughout the services. Sound is also piped into the church vestry (toys available).*
- *We have a loop system for those who use a hearing aid.*
- *Please check that your mobile phone is switched off.*
- *Large print Bibles, hymnbooks & hymn sheets are available on welcome desks.*

Teas and coffees will be served in the Halls Foyer after both services.

2.30pm SEECAT AGM in Foyer

Evening Worship at 7pm in the Kirk (Refreshments from 6.30pm)

Theme: God's promises – The devil's days are numbered
Speaker: Jonny Clipston

Prayer Changes Things

If you would like someone to pray with you at the end of the service, please make your way to the Prayer Corner at the East Door or to the back of church. Also please use the Prayer Tree, or the boxes provided, for your prayer needs and requests.

WEEKLY DIARY

Monday 9th September

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Tuesday 10th September

7.30am – 7.30pm Upper Room Time (see back page)

9am-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 11th September

9am-2pm, 6-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

7-7.45pm Foyer Minister Available

8pm Kirk Gathering for Praise

Thursday 12th September

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

2pm Anderson Hall Senior Citizens – Auld Spice

Friday 13th September

10.15am-12noon McD Room Friday Fellowship

(For details of other link groups take a leaflet from the side tables)

7pm Halls Messy Weekend starts with the

Big Birthday Bash and Fischy Music (see church notices)

Saturday 14th September

1pm – 7pm Park next to Goodtrees Centre in Moredun –
5 a side football then from 3pm Messy in the Park crafts, and
celebration with 'Those Scottish Campers', 4.30-5.15 BBQ,
5.30pm into the Goodtrees Centre for 'Moredun's Got Talent'

Sunday 15th September

Morning Worship at 9.30am

and 11am Service (with Sunday Clubs and Crèche)

Theme: The gift of sacrifice

Preacher: Jonny Clipston

10.20am *Prayer Time* in the Elders' Room (All welcome)

Joint Evening Worship at 7pm Tron Kirk Moredun

Theme: Messy Weekend Celebration

Speaker: Cammy MacKenzie

TODAY

Flowers - the flowers in the church are in memory of Ivy Jameson.

Sermon CD – Downloads – available from www.libertonkirk.net or contact the church office.

The Big Idea, Messy in the Park – 13th – 15th September. Sign-Up sheet for the Friday Evening Event (here) on the West Door Welcome Desk, titled Andy's Big Birthday Friday Bash (flyers on side tables and Halls entrance). Stewards required for Saturday at Moredun from 1.30-7.30pm. Please see sign-up sheet on the West Door Welcome Desk.

Alpha at Liberton: We are planning to begin our Autumn Alpha Course on **Thursday 26th September**. If you are interested in coming or bringing someone else along, please add the details to the sign up list at the West Door of the church. (For more details contact John - 664 3067 or jyoung@churchofscotland.org.uk)

CHURCH NOTICES

M.O.P.S needs you! We are looking for volunteers for our creche, and Mentor Mums to support the Mums who come along. We meet every second Friday morning. If you have a spare few hours for every meeting or once a month we'd love to have you. For more information please contact Laura Skinner 07557282793 or mops.liberton@outlook.com

Bethany Care Van Urgent request - new male (boxer style) and female underwear and clean/new socks, they would be very much appreciated. There is a box in the Offering house where things can be left.

Harvest Thanksgiving, Sunday 29th September. You are all invited to join the Sunday Clubs in bringing non-perishable foods (unopened and still in date) to the services for distribution to the Syrians. Alternatively you can contribute to

Self Help Africa - Envelopes for harvest gifts are available on welcome desks or Foyer notice board for return in Offering bags on 29th September or by end of October.

The Guild resumes on Monday 7th October. Copies of the new syllabus will be available next Sunday from both the East and West doors of the Church and from the shelf just inside the entrance door of the Kirk Foyer. Please feel free to take a syllabus. There might just be a speaker or subject that interests you.

Thought & Trot - Saturday 14th September: We leave from Liberton Kirk at 9am or 10am at NTS car park above St Abbs. For more information please check the Liberton Kirk website or contact Andrea Wilson (07910471174), if you need a lift.

Liberton Northfield holiday club 14th – 18th October needs volunteers to help out. If you are able to help out even just for a few days or are interested in finding out what is involved contact Jenny at jenthomasi@yahoo.co.uk.

South East Edinburgh Food Banks – boxes in Offering House. Further information, such as special arrangements for uplifting, available from David Lamb - 0131 664 3059 or email david@dlamb.co.uk

Fresh Start/Bethany Christian Trust – leave goods in Offering House as marked.
Spectacles /Stamps – boxes in the Offering House and Halls Foyer.

Upper Room Time (Tuesday 7.30am – 7.30pm)

A quiet place for anyone who wants to spend some time with God. Includes the following times together: Morning Prayers 7.30-8am, Midday Prayers 12.00 noon-12.30pm, Contemplation 2.45-3.45pm, Evening Prayers - 7.00pm - 7.15pm

Sermon Notes

1. What is the difference between a 'fan' and a 'disciple'?
What is the plural of 'disciple'?

2. For the Church to be effective, what two things need to be happening?

3. Which of the gifts mentioned in Romans 12 do you relate to most?
Can you add any others to the list?

4. What three things does JNY suggest might prevent us from using our gifts as part of the Body of Christ?
Can you think of any other reasons?

5. What has God been saying to you today and what are you going to do about it?

Our theme for 2019 – (John 15:14). "I have called you Friends"

Church website www.libertonkirk.net

Follow our Youth Work at <https://twitter.com/YouthKirk>

To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact Jacqui Tait (by Thursday) on jacqui.tait1@btinternet.com or text 07743478468.

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Office hours Tuesday 10.30-11.30, Thursday 8.45-11.25, Friday 8.45-12noon

To book halls, etc. contact Chris Aitcheson (Facilities Manager) on Mobile: 07960644206 Office: 0131 664 8264 or email libertonkirkfm@gmail.com

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