



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 9th February 2020

Theme: The Word heals our past
Reading: John 4:1-30; 39-42 (p.1066)
Preacher: Fiona Devoy

**Morning Worship
Call**
(Isaiah 55)

9.30am Service

Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters;

And you who have no money, come, buy and eat!

21 Lord, teach me all your ways

603 For your gifts of God the Spirit

718 We cannot measure how you heal

540 I heard the voice of Jesus say (tune: Kingsfold)

11am Service (with Sunday Clubs and Crèche)

Sheet I'm accepted

466 Before the throne of God above

Sheet Here's a little story

Sheet Living waters

Sheet And can it be

722 Spirit of God, come dwell within me (offering)

622 We sing a love that sets all people free

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

- *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 Kirk Centre Foyer after both services.

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

Theme: Essentials 4 – God's covenant with Noah
Speaker: David Hill

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 10th February

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Tuesday 11th February

7.30am – 7.30pm Upper Room Time (see below)

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 12th February

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

2.15pm Small Hall Guild – Speaker Janet Philp
Theme - “Burke and Hare”

8pm Kirk Gathering for Praise

Thursday 13th February

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

2pm Anderson Hall Senior Citizens’ Club – Honeysuckle Swing

Friday 14th February

10.15-12noon McD. Rm Friday Fellowship

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

Sunday 16th February

Morning Worship at 9.30am

and 11am (with Sunday Clubs and Crèche)

Theme: The Word, healing and belief

Preacher: John Young

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

2.30pm SEECAT business meeting at St Barnabas’ Church

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

Theme: Essentials 5 – The tower of Babel

Speaker: Nikki Kirkland

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.

TODAY

Life & Work February (£2.80) spare copies available from the office.

Crosstalk – the latest edition of the SEECAT newsletter is available from the Welcome Desks or in the halls entrance, or on the website www.seecat.org

Lent Study Groups (SEECAT) – 5 weeks commencing 2nd March, studying a York course “Daring to see God now”. Small charge for the course booklet. A chance to join people from other local churches. Four groups to choose from (3 daytime and 1 evening). Sign-up sheets at the West Door - names needed by 23rd February please. Any queries to Ruth Davies r.davies335@btinternet.com or 664 3608.

Flowers in the church are in memory of Ivy and William Jameson.

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

NOTICES

The Guild “Bannocks and Blood” event raised £355 for the Guild projects. Thank you to everyone who helped raise this wonderful amount.

Claverhouse Conversation at Liberton Northfield - Saturday 7th March. 9am for breakfast and 9.30am for conversation between John Sturrock and Elaine Duncan, Chief Executive of the Scottish Bible Society. For the Society’s 2020 vision see’ <https://scottishbiblesociety.org/2018/06/introducing-bible-2020> All welcome to join breakfast and/or conversation - please RSVP to fionasturrock@gmail.com if you'd like to come along (for catering purposes).

Link group discussion evenings **Agnostic Anonymous – The major belief blockers of our time.** The Thrive link group joins up with the recent Alpha group for a four week video and discussion series in January / February to address major stumbling blocks to faith, such as Suffering, Science and God, the Supernatural, and Exclusive Faith. The series is intended for believers and agnostics alike. If interested, please get in touch with Andrea Wilson (andrea.doeschl@gmail.com or 07910471174). We are also grateful for prayer support.

Safe Families for Children has a training day on 22nd February from 9.30-4pm at Davidson’s Mains Parish Church, 1 Quality Street, EH4 5BB. Please contact 0131 603 8430 or scotland@safefamiliesforchildren.com for info.

Fresh Start – leave goods in Offering House as marked.

Spectacles /Stamps – boxes in the Offering House and Halls Foyer.

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

Sermon Notes

1. What kind of person was the woman at the well?
2. What was the living water Jesus talked about?
3. What kind of things do we do to avoid facing difficult issues?
4. Where do we need living water in our lives?



Be part of the adventure

MOPS (alternate Friday mornings) needs crèche helpers.

**Contact Laura Skinner -
laura@libertonkirk.net**

Wheel-chair pushers needed to enable a Guthrie House Resident to attend church on Sunday. For more information please contact Eleanor Grieve - ellie.57@hotmail.co.uk

OUR THEME FOR 2020

"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path"

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 Wednesday) on jacqui.tait1@btinternet.com or text 07743478468.

Office phone number 0131 664 8264.

Open on Thursday 9am-11.30am, Friday 10am -2pm.

Chris Aitcheson (Facilities Manager) to book halls

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