



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 25th October 2020

Theme: Good News Bringers 5
Philip the Deacon
Reading: Acts 8:26-40
Preacher: John Young

9.30am **Short morning Service in the Kirk** for those who can't manage Zoom or have no internet access. Numbers restricted. If you wish to come please contact John Young on 664 3067.

11am **Morning Service via Zoom.** All those with internet access should contact Gary Ross (rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net) for details if you are not already receiving them.

Prayer Requests can be left in the box in the Kirk Centre Entrance

Bible Verse for the week

Since we are receiving a Kingdom that is unshakeable, let us be thankful and please God by worshipping him with holy fear and awe.

Hebrews 12 verse 28

WEEKLY DIARY

Daily Reflections are available via the website or facebook page

Sunday 25th October

9.30am Kirk Short Morning Service) see front page
11am via Zoom Morning Service)

Theme: Good News Bringers 5 – Philip the Deacon
Preacher: John Young
Reading: Acts 8:26-40

10.15-10.40 via Zoom Prayer Time
Contact: Alastair Cameron on alastairfree@hotmail.com

Monday 26th October

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café (restricted menu)

Tuesday 27th October

7.30am – 7.30pm Upper Room Time (see church notices)

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café (restricted menu)
7.30pm via Zoom Congregational Prayer Gathering

Contact: Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

As well as listening to God and bringing our prayers of lament this month.....we shall take time to focus on our nation in these days and as we approach the time of Remembrance ...as well as a time of praying for each other. Please have paper and pen to hand.

Wednesday 28th October

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café (restricted menu)
2-3.30pm via Zoom Bring Your Own Cuppa and a voice to chat
Contact: Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

Thursday 29th October

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café (restricted menu)
7.30pm via Zoom Sharing God's Word (see back page)
Contact: Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

Sunday 1st November

9.30am Kirk Short Morning Service) see front page
11am via Zoom Morning Service)

Theme: Good News Bringers 6 – Lydia
Preacher: John Young

10.15-10.40 via Zoom Prayer Time
Contact: Alastair Cameron on alastairfree@hotmail.com

6.30 for 7pm Morrisons Big Idea Drive in Service (see back page)

CHURCH NOTICES

November magazines – now on the church website. Copies available from the shelf in the Kirk Centre Entrance for those with no internet access.

Life & Work 2021 – new arrangement with home delivery and direct debit payment. Please contact Jacqui before 8th November if you would to subscribe.

Shoebox Christmas Appeal – due to the complications of Covid-19, there will be no collection of shoeboxes at Liberton Kirk this year. Blythswood are still glad of donations via their website <https://blythswood.org/donate-to-shoe-box-appeal>

The Word for Today – For the next few months there will be well-known Bible passages around the church building with thoughts and prayers for passers-by to read. On view now until the end of the month: Matthew 6:25-34 “I tell you, do not worry.” The starting point is the Offering House.

Care Team – Do you have some free time? Your help would be appreciated to care for members of our Kirk family and community. Can you help with shopping, providing meals, collecting prescriptions, chatting or doing odd jobs? Contact Linda on 07850411596 or Eleanor on 466 6484 or email ellie.57@hotmail.co.uk

Memorial Service – Lynne Baxter is planning a display of pressed autumn leaves in the church around the time when we hold our annual memorial service in December. If you want to help, please gather up some colourful autumn leaves and press them in a book between sheets of kitchen roll or blotting paper. More details next week.

Guild – meeting Monday 2nd November, 7.30pm, on Zoom. Sailors' Society – A Chaplain for our Ports (A National Guild Project). Speaker: Pauline Robertson. All welcome – zoom access details from Gary Ross (theguild@libertonkirk.net).

Remembrance 2020 On Sunday 8th November our second service will begin at **10.45am** on Zoom and will include the Act of Remembrance and 2 minutes silence at 11am. On Armistice Day, Wednesday 11th November, there will be a short time of prayer and remembrance at 10.45am live-streamed on YouTube, and this will also include the 2 minutes silence at 11am. Links to both can be obtained from Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net and everyone is welcome.

Kirkgate Café - 6pm-8pm on a Wednesday evening. Due to change of Covid-19 guidelines we are currently unable to provide this service but hope to be able to do so again.

Fair Trade - 90kg Rice Challenge –a bag of rice can change a life! The Kirkgate Café has Kilombero rice from Malawi for sale.

Upper Room (Tuesdays 7.30am-7.30pm). Wilson Hall open for private prayer. Opportunities to pray with others at 8am, 12 noon and 7pm. Please be aware guidelines are in place for using the room.

(Further notices on back page.)



OUR THEME FOR 2020

“Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path”

‘Sharing God’s Word – what can we learn from the early church in Acts?’ A four part course led by Jared Hay. On Thursdays 29th October, 12th and 26th November via zoom. For Zoom access details contact Gary Ross - rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

Liberton Kirk now has a **YouTube Channel**, which will have recordings of Zoom Service readings and talks during lockdown. Please sign up to this. We plan to use it for reflections and live streaming in the future
- <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1xk4wcs5vEPozVE3-LFjJA/featured>

Big Idea Drive-In at Morrisons on 1st November

- Register to attend via Eventbrite
- Plan to arrive for 6.30...event will be 7-8pm
- Stewards will direct you to a space in the car park...37 will be available
- Stay in your car essential – only same household/bubble in each car
- Event will include Worship, and Cammy Mackenzie will be speaking (briefly)
- Live streaming will happen via Big Idea Facebook page
- Please respect that the space used belongs to Morrisons
- Please contact Alastair Cameron (alastairfree@gmail.com) or John Young for more info – before or during the evening
- Stewards required please contact as above if you can help

Fresh Start – please **do not** leave goods in the Kirk Centre. Please refer to page 27 of the September magazine as only limited goods are being accepted.

South East Edinburgh Food Banks – boxes in Kirk Centre entrance. Further information available from David Lamb - 664 3059 or email david@dlamb.co.uk

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 churchsecretary@libertonkirk.net or text 07743478468.

Office phone number 0131 664 8264. Open on Friday 11am-3pm.

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