

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 19th September 2021

Moses' Prayer Theme:

Exodus 32:1-14 (p.90) Reading:

John Young Preacher:

Morning Worship

9.30am Service (in church)

Call:

The Lord, the Lord, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, (Exodus 34)

maintaining love to thousands,

and forgiving wickedness, rebellion, and sin. The stars declare his glory (Gibson) 10

Great God, your love has called us here (Melita) 484

468 Son of God, eternal saviour (Blaenwern)

11am Service (with Sunday Clubs and Crèche) (in church and on Zoom)

I love you Lord/We love you Lord Songs

Come, now is the time to worship/We rejoice Songs

Song Our God is a great big God

483 Father of heaven, whose love profound Who, O Lord, could save themselves Song

Now thank we all our God 182

- 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.
- Offerings Please put any Offering Envelopes or other donations into the Donations Box currently on the Welcome Desk on the west side of the church.

Zoom (11am service). Join from 10.45am to chat. For access to Zoom contact Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

Sunday Morning Prayer Time 10.20am in the Wilson Hall

If you are attending please remember to wear a face covering in/out of the building although coverings can be removed during our prayer time and windows will be open for ventilation.

Coffee and teas will be served after both services in the Kirk Centre Foyer.

WEEKLY DIARY

Monday 20th September

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Tuesday 21st September

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

9am-2pm and 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 22nd September

9am-2pm and 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

7.30pm Zoom Kirk Session Executive

Thursday 23rd September

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café 2pm Anderson Hall Senior Citizens –

Diana, Honeysuckle Swing

7.30pm Zoom World Mission link with Italy

(see notices)

Saturday 25th September

9am Church Young Life Prayer Walk (see notices)

4-6pm All Halls Messy Church (see notices)

Sunday 26th September - Harvest Thanksgiving

Morning Worship at 9.30am

and 11am (with Sunday Clubs and crèche) and on Zoom.

Theme: Miriam's Prayer Preacher: John Young

<u>Upper Room Time (Tuesday 7.30am – 7.30pm)</u>

A quiet place for anyone who wants to spend some time with God. Includes the following times together: Morning Prayers 8am - 8.30am, Midday Prayers 12.00 noon-12.30pm, Evening Prayers 7.00pm - 7.15pm.

Prayer Requests - can be sent to either John (see page 2) or Lindsay at nicolyoung3@gmail.com who will pass details on to the rest of the prayer team.

Prayer Wall - on the Kirk website under the Prayer section. Each prayer is monitored before it is made public. Please ask for follow-up or to keep it private if you so wish.

NOTICES

October Magazine - Items must be with the editor, David Devoy, TODAY at magazine@libertonkirk.net

SEECAT – the SEECAT A.G.M. will take place at 2.30pm TODAY at Liberton Northfield – all welcome. **SEECAT desperately needs a treasurer** (not an onerous task, very basic bookkeeping) If you might be able to help please contact Ruth Davies on 664 3608 or at crosstalk@seecat.org

Kirkgate Café - Please note that there will be a small price increase from the 20th September. Volunteers needed if you wish to find out more about volunteering please contact Jill Niven on 0131 664 2848.

Cheese and Wine Evening – Friday 24th September at 7pm. Book signing and display of art (supporting our café volunteers Anne Louise and Gary). Spaces available via the café.

World Mission - Thursday 23rd September at 7.30pm. We are holding a Zoom session with one of our Mission partners, Fiona Kendall. She works with the Waldensian church in Rome as part of their Mediterranean Hope project and therefore has firsthand experience in supporting migrants from North Africa. There will be an opportunity for Questions. The Zoom link is available from Gary Ross at rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

Walk of life (prayer walk) – with Young Life on Saturday 25th September meeting outside the church at 9am and heading up Braidhills together. Contact Andy Chittick for more info on 07795818808 or email: achittick@ylinternational.org.

Cycling Group – Saturday 25th September, 1.30pm at Liberton Kirk Car Park. Contact David Colley 07766151167 or email: dpcolley@btinternet.com

Messy Church is starting up again on Saturday 25th **September**! This is an event for young families with children aged from 0 to P7, with games, crafts, a Bible story and food. It runs in the Kirk Centre from 4.00pm-6.00pm. No need to pre-book, but masks must be worn.

Home-baking. If you would like to bake for Messy Church, please speak to Caroline Barlee or Fiona Devoy. Cakes can be dropped off in the Kirk Centre on the day from 2.00pm, or we can collect (phone 0131-666-1004).

Harvest Thanksgiving, Sunday 26th September –two practical ways to give thanks:

- 1. Tinned and dried goods to be distributed to the needy in our city can be brought to the Harvest Services or left in the Kirk Centre between 8am and 2pm from Monday 20th to Thursday 23rd September, (or by arrangement with Chris Aitcheson).
- Donation to Self Help Africa either via their website using the link <u>https://www.selfhelpafrica.org/uk/harvest-appeal-donation-page/</u>, entering Liberton Kirk in the space provided, or in Gift Envelopes available now, to be returned by 10th October via the Donations Box on the West Welcome Desk, or the Church Office or to Ruth, 4 Hawkhead Grove.

Bread-making Class on Saturdays 2nd and 30th October. If you are interested please speak to Audrey Hunter 07503349727 or David Colley 07766151167. This is a part of our Growing Young Initiative where we mix all ages in together.

Blythwood Shoe Boxes in aid of Eastern Europe - a box is available in the foyer of the church halls for any donations. There is also a box for any donations of wool, as well as wool for anyone wanting to knit hats or puppets. There will be copies of the patterns beside the box. Empty shoe boxes available. All donations have to be received by 24th October. The leaflets needed for the boxes are available from the Kirk Centre entranceway.

Word for Today - around the church, starting at the Offering House, based on Psalm 25 "To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

The Offering House display is about our Growing Young initiative, until end September.

South East Edinburgh Food Banks – Donations can be left in the Kirk Centre or with the Lambs, 36 Liberton Drive (box outside garage if out). Special arrangements can be made - phone 01316643059, or email david@dlamb.co.uk Requested items are: Tins - meat/fruit/veg/tuna, packet soup and UHT milk.

Edinburgh City Mission needs volunteers to help with Foodbanks. Please contact food@edinburghcitymission.org.uk for more information.

Stamps – please note we are currently unable to accept stamps.

Bible Verse for the Week

But God has shown us how much he loves us— it was while we were still sinners that Christ died for us!

Romans 5 verse 8

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

Chris Aitcheson (Facilities Manager) to book halls Email: libertonkirkfm@gmail.com Mobile: 07960644206/Office: 0131 664 8264

John Young can be contacted on 664 3067, or email: JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk

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