



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 27th March 2022

Theme: 'A Time to Heal – John the Baptist'
Reading: Luke 7:18-35
Preacher: John Young

Morning Worship **9.30am Service (in church)**
Call: How good it is to sing praise to our God,
(Psalm 147) **how pleasant and fitting to praise him!**
He heals the broken hearted, and binds up their wounds.
334 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry
600 Spirit of God, unseen as the wind
182 Now thank we all our God

11am Service (in church and on Zoom)
(with Sunday Clubs, and Crèche in Ewen Pavilion)
Song Father, we love you
531 My Jesus, My Saviour
Song Jesus' love is very wonderful
596 Breathe on me, Breath of God (tune: MP67)
Song Jesus, heal our lives
125 Lord of all being, throned afar

- *Children are welcome throughout the service. Sound **and vision** 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 Boxes on the Welcome Desks.*

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

Retiring offering in aid of Ukraine after both services

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

For Sunday prayer times, afternoon and evening see overleaf.

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10.20am

After 11am Service

7pm

Elders' Room

Cross at East Door

Gilmerton Hub

Sunday Morning Prayer Time

Prayer Team Ministry

Joint Service

Monday 28th March

9am-2pm

Foyer

Kirkgate Café

Tuesday 29th March

7.30am – 7.30pm

9am-2pm, 5.15-8pm

7.30pm

Upper Room Time (see below)

Foyer

Kirkgate Café

Zoom

Congregational Prayer (notices)

Wednesday 30th March

9am-2pm, 6-8pm

11am

Foyer

Small Hall

Kirkgate Café

Pram Praise for Easter

Thursday 31st March

9am-2pm

2pm

7pm

Foyer

Anderson Hall

Zoom

Kirkgate Café

Senior Citizens

Alpha Course

Saturday 2nd April

9am

Recreation Hall

Internal Learning Community

Sunday 3rd April

Morning Worship at 9.30am short Service in the church

11am Service in the church and on Zoom.

(with Sunday Clubs, and Crèche in Ewen Pavilion)

Theme:

A time to heal – 'Go!'

Preacher:

John Young

12.30pm

Summer Buzz Planning Meeting in the Small Hall

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 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 4) 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. Prayers are monitored before publication. Please ask for follow-up or keep it private if you so wish.

NOTICES

Magazines for April – Available for distributors to collect today from the East Door as you leave, or from McDonald Room in the Kirk Centre thereafter. Spare copies available on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House or in the Kirk Centre entrance. Also on the website.

The Parish Easter Cards are now available for delivery to all houses in the parish. The bundles will be available in the church today (streets A-L at West Door, streets M-Z at East Door). Thereafter they will be available for uplift from the Kirk Centre. Your help in taking a bundle or two and delivering them would be much appreciated.

Congregational Prayer Tuesday 29th March at 7.30pm (via zoom). As well as prayers of Thanksgiving and a time of Listening to God, we shall focus on Ukraine and our world.

Safe Families - Information Night Monday 28th March, 8-8.45pm on Zoom. New volunteer training, Saturday 23rd April 9.15am-4.30pm in person. For more information contact scotland@safefamilies.uk

Palm Sunday 10th April, 7pm at The Faith Mission, Gilmerton Road. Speaker Sarah Johnson from Edinburgh City Mission.

Passover Meal, Monday 11th April – this year the SEECAT Passover Meal is in Liberton Kirk Centre at 7pm, but places are limited, as always. Tickets costing £5 each are available from Ruth Davies, tel: 664 3608 or email r.davies335@btinternet.com

Liberton Kirk (Money Matters)/Kirkgate Trust Accounts 2021 (Kirkgate Trust) – copies are now available in the appropriate holders on the side cupboards.

The Word for Today – in the Offering House. Romans 8:31-35, 37-39, with thoughts and prayers. Also on the website.

Support Ukraine - Christian Aid via link

<https://www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/ukraine-crisis-appeal>
Donations of goods for Ukrainian refugees. The charity Barnabas Fund, which supports the persecuted church, is organising collections of food, blankets and clothing to be sent out to Ukraine from the UK. Tron Kirk Moredun is a local collection point for this. To find out more visit www.barnabasfund.org/uk

South East Edinburgh Food Banks – Donations can be left in the Offering House 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.

Milk Bottle Tops - please leave in marked box in the Offering House.

Church of Scotland Stamp Appeal – donations of used stamps or stamp collections can be left in the box in the Kirk Centre Foyer. Alternatively contact David Lamb 0131 664 3059 or email david@dlamb.co.uk

Bible Verse for the Week

So Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him.

Hebrews 9 verse 28

Church website www.libertonkirk.net

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.

*Edna Matthews (Facilities Coordinator) to book halls
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*John Young can be contacted on 664 3067, or email:
JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk*

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