

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 21st August 2022 10.30am Joint Service

Theme:	A time to keep and a time to throw away
Reading:	Matthew 6:19-24
Preacher:	John Young

SongWe bow downSongThe Splendour of the KingSongSeek ye firstSongThe King of loveSongI'm giving you my heartCH4 502Take my life, Lord, let it beCH4 500Lord of creation, to you be all praise

- 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 - Join from 10.15am to chat. For access to Zoom contact Gary Ross on rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

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

For Sunday prayer times, afternoon and evening see overleaf.

WEEKLY DIARY

<u>TODAY</u> 10am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time	
<u>Monday 22nd August</u> 9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café	
<u>Tuesday 23rd August</u> 7.30am – 7.30pm 9am-2pm	Upper Room T i Foyer	me (see below) Kirkgate Café	
<u>Wednesday 24th August</u> 9am-2pm 7.30pm	Foyer Wilson Hall	Kirkgate Café Kirk Session Executive	
<u>Thursday 25th August</u> 9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café	
<u>Friday 26th August</u> 5.30pm	Car Park	Kirkgate Trust Treasure Hunt (notices)	
<u>Covenant Sunday 28th August</u> Morning Worship at 10.30am in the Kirk and on zoom followed by Congregational Photo and Congregational Meal (see notices) (with Sunday Club and Crèche)			
Theme : Preacher:	The 5 Marks of Mission 1 – A Proclaiming Church John Young		
10am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time	
7pm	Gilmerton Hub	Joint Service	

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

September Magazine - The bundling of the September edition of the Kirk magazine will take place in the Elders' Room from 10 am on Friday 26th August. If you are able to help with this please contact Mary Davidson (tel. 664 6789 or email: marydavidson77@hotmail.com). The magazines will be ready for distribution to all homes in the parish next Sunday, 28th August. Please bring a bag to take a bundle or two!

Kirkgate Trust - Car Treasure Hunt and BBQ - Friday 26th August. Cars leave Kirk Halls from 5.30pm Come and join us for a family evening out on our annual car treasure hunt around the soothside! The treasure hunt trail will take around one hour and then join us for a BBQ in the church garden (weather permitting) Tickets £5 per person Children under 12 £3, under 5s FREE. Telephone Jill Snowdon on 07823 335585 to book your start time and numbers for the BBQ.

Congregational Lunch – Sunday 28th August after 10.30 Service. Sign-Up sheets at both Welcome Desks.

Volunteers to help prepare, serve and clear, please contact Jill Niven on 07966985190 or 01316642848.

Faith at the Fringe – during the month of August Sanctuary First will run a podcasting series 'Faith at the Fringe'. Each week they will record and release 4 new podcasts speaking to artists, performers, and creatives involved with the Edinburgh Fringe. Go to www.sanctuaryfirst.org.uk to find the podcasts.

Bereavement Support Group Volunteers - Preparation Meeting: there will be a meeting of the volunteer team on Thursday 1st September at 7.30pm in the MacDonald Room to discuss the new group starting on 8th September. New volunteers welcome. Contact Fiona Devoy for further information at pastoralcare@libertonkirk.net.

Alpha @ Liberton - Alpha is a 10 week course in Christian basics. Plans are being made to run a DAY TIME Alpha Course at Liberton Kirk Centre beginning at 10.30am on Thursday 22nd September. All Welcome! For more details please contact John (JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk)

Messy in the Park – A Big Idea event in Inch Park, Saturday 10th September, 12noon to 5pm. Can you help? We need stewards for the event. Sign-up sheets on Welcome Desks or speak to Alastair Cameron. Please note that there will be a retiring offering on Sunday 4th September to help with the costs.

Special Communion Sunday 11th September in the Anderson Hall at <u>3pm.</u>

Please give your name to John, Linda or Eleanor so that a safe space can be arranged. Transport can be arranged contact Eleanor (07512821604), if you can provide transport please let someone know.

Peace Pathway – in the Kirkyard till the end of August only. Open 8am-8pm.

South East Edinburgh Food Banks – Donations can be left in the box 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 of meat, fruit, vegetables and tuna, packet soup and UHT milk.

Fresh Start – please note that duvets, pillows, valance sheets and furniture cannot be accepted. Other household items (crockery, cutlery, towels etc) can be left in the Offering House. If you have large quantities to donate please contact Sylvia Bennett on 664 3189.

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

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

Bible Verse for the Week

Do you not know? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.

Isaiah 40 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 Email: facilities@libertonkirk.net Office: 07478111407

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

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