

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.

Covenant Sunday 28th August 2022 10.30am Joint Service

Theme: The 5 marks of Mission I – Sharing the Gospel

Reading: 1 Peter 3:8-16 Preacher: John Young

Song Halle, Halle, Halle

CH4 458 At the name of Jesus

Signed Song Alleluia, Alleluia, give thanks to the Risen Lord

Song Purify my heart

Song Your grace is enough Song Still, my soul, be still

CH4 248 For my sake and the Gospel's go!

- 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

Short Annual Meeting at end of the Service
Congregational Photo after the service followed by the
Congregational Lunch in the Anderson Hall
Coffee and teas will be served after the service in the Kirk Centre.

For Sunday prayer times, afternoon and evening see overleaf.

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10am Elders' Room Sunday Morning Prayer Time

Monday 29th August

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Tuesday 30th August

7.30am – 7.30pm Upper Room Time (see below)
9am-2pm
 Foyer
 Kirkgate Café

3pm Guthrie House Service

7.30pm Kirk Congregational Prayer – see notices

Wednesday 1st September

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Thursday 2nd September

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

Sunday 4th September

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: The 5 Marks of Mission II – A Discipling Church

Preacher: John Young

10am Elders' Room Sunday Morning Prayer Time

6.30pm Foyer Café Church

<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 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 - Please help by taking a bundle or two and delivering them over the next few days: streets A-L at the West door and streets M-Z at the East door.

Please note: magazines for distribution outwith the parish are ready for uplift by the usual distributors from the McDonald Room.

Crosstalk (SEECAT'S newsletter) –August edition now available on Welcome Desks, in the Kirk Centre entrance and in the Offering House. Also online at www.seecat.org

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

Gathering for Prayer, Tuesday 30th August – 7.30pm in the Kirk, we give thanks...wait with God...take time with Him as we step into a new season of church life and work – and pray for others/each other around the Cross.

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.

Cook'n'Chat - For those who have enrolled, the Cookery Course, led by the Guild, will take place on Tuesday 6 and Wednesday 7 September from 6.00 – 8.00 pm when ideas and recipes will be shared.

Historical Walk Saturday 10th September. The Guild is organising a short historical walk and all are welcome. Meet at 10-10.15am in the Kirk Centre, returning there about 11.30am for tea/coffee. Second (different) walk on 24th September.

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.

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)

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

"...but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.

They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary,
they will walk and not be faint."

Isaiah 40 verse 31

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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