

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.

Communion Sunday 2nd October 2022

Theme: Elijah's Faith Reading: 1 Kings 17

Morning Worship

9.30am Service (in church)

Call:

From where do the people come?

(Psalm 125)

From east and west, from north and south, the people

come

Why do the people come?

To take their place at the banquet of the King.
CH4 32 As pants the hart for cooling waters
CH4 662 Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts
CH4 255 Father, hear the prayer we offer

11am Service (in church and on Zoom)

(with Sunday Clubs, and Crèche in Ewen Pavilion)

Song Come now, O Prince of Peace

CH4 463 Fairest Lord Jesus
Song Be Bold, Be Strong
Song Bread of heaven
Song And I'm forgiven

CH4 19 Ye gates

CH4 513 Courage brother, do not stumble

- 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

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

6.30pm Evening Worship in the Kirk Centre

For Sunday prayer times see overleaf.

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10.20am Elders' Room Sunday Morning Prayer Time

After 11am Service Cross at East Door Prayer Team Ministry

6.30pm Evening Worship in the Kirk Centre

Monday 3rd October

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

7pm Kirk Guild (see notices)

Tuesday 4th October

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

9am-2pm & 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 5th October

9am-2pm, 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café
7pm Foyer Minister Available
7.30pm Kirk Gathering for Praise

Thursday 6th October

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café 10.30am Wilson Hall Day Time Alpha 2pm Anderson Hall Senior Citizens

Sunday 9th October

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: Elijah and the prophets of Baal (1 Kings 18)

Preacher: John Young

6.30pm Evening Worship in the Kirk Centre

<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

October Magazine – Kirk Centre McDonald Room. Also available online. Spare magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and Kirk Centre Entrance.

September News Extra available online.

Guild opening meeting, Monday 3rd October – Dedication Service at 7pm in the Kirk followed by refreshments. All Welcome.

Scottish Country Dance Class - Our new session starts on Tuesday 4th October at 8 p.m. in the Anderson Hall. New members welcome. For further information please contact Mary Davidson on 664 6789 or email marydavidson77@hotmail.com

Harvest Thanksgiving - gifts can still be made to Self Help Africa – gift envelopes on welcome desks or in the Offering House or Kirk Centre Entrance, or through their website quoting Liberton Kirk – the link is **www.selfhelpafrica.org/uk/harvest/** Please return envelopes by 9th October.

Offering House – currently in the Offering House (open 8am to 5pm daily) is a display about Liberton Kirk as an Eco-Congregation. Find out what that means for the church and for each one of us.

Singers for 9.30 a.m. - would you like to sing traditional hymns at our early service? We have a group of singers who lead praise in four-part harmony, but we are always looking for more. No weekly commitment is necessary as participation can be as your availability allows. Please speak with Calum for further information.

Blythwood Shoe Boxes in aid of Eastern Europe - a box is available in the foyer of the Kirk Centre 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 31st October. The leaflets needed for the boxes are available from the Kirk Centre entranceway. More information from Veronica on 664 5155.

Back on Track – a new counselling service for young people and their families in the catchment area of Liberton and Gracemount High Schools. See posters, and leaflets in Kirk Centre Entrance, or see www.homelinkfamilysupport.org

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 – All bottle tops with a 2 or a 4 in the triangle on the inside are welcomed, lids with other numbers are not suitable. Sorry for confusion caused by article in the September magazine. Please leave in marked box in the Offering House.

Bible Verse for the Week

Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for whoever loves others has fulfilled the law.

Romans 13:8

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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