## LIBERTON KIRK NEWS EXTRA Advent 2022



Dear Friends,



Chris and Betty Boyle on their wedding day.

During the month of November, we had two services of Remembrance one on the 11<sup>th</sup> and then on Sunday 13th followed by the laying of wreaths at the War Memorial in Liberton Cemetery. This year the Scouts and Guides who use our halls both laid a wreath.

Messy Church for Christmas was on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November. We had families with all ages of children who had a lovely time looking at the Christmas Story. Thanks to Laura, John and the team of volunteers.

Blythwood Shoebox appeal got a staggering 86 boxes donated by the many people who come in and out of the Kirk Centre.

Advent Sunday the 27<sup>th</sup> November was our Gift Service. The toys will be distributed to the local community who will not get much this Christmas. Saughton Prison picked up a bundle and expressed a big thank you. Emily along with the Sunday Club Leaders and children are busy preparing for the Nativity taking place on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> December. Look out for photos on the next News Extra.

The World Mission Team and Care Team have been visiting our Sunday Clubs to let them know the role they play in our church. This was enjoyed by the volunteers and children alike.



Kirkgate café have a new sign which was painted by a customer. She also painted these pictures for the foyer to celebrate the Christmas Story.



With Love

Linda

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