



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 12th February 2023

Theme: The Road to Jerusalem
Reading: Luke 9.51-62 (p. 1040)
Preacher: John Cowie

Morning Worship 9.30am Service (in church)

Call (Matthew 6): Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and his righteousness,
and all these things will be added unto you.

CH4 92 Praise God, for he is kind
CH4 603 For your gift of God the Spirit
CH4 644 O Jesus, I have promised

11am Service (in church xzand on Zoom) (with Sunday Clubs, and Crèche in Ewen Pavilion)

Call Draw near to God (with actions)
CH4 189 Be still, for the presence of the Lord
Song I'm special
Song Empty broken here I stand
CH4 503 I will offer up my life
CH4 533 Will you come and follow me
CH4 500 Lord 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 10.45am 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 Foyer.

6.30pm

Kirk Centre

Café Church

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10.20am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time
After 11am Service	Cross at East Door	Prayer Team Ministry
6.30pm	Kirk Centre	Café Church

Monday 13th February

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Tuesday 14th February 7.30am – 7.30pm Upper Room Time (see notices)

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Wednesday 15th February

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
2.30pm	Braid Hills Care Home	Service
7.30pm	Wilson Hall	Gathering for Praise

Thursday 16th February

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

No Alpha this course this evening

Friday 17th February

1-5pm	Foyer	Warm Space (see notices)
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Sunday 19th February

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 home of Mary and Martha (Luke 10.38-41)

Preacher: Jared Hay

2.30pm	SEECAT Business Meeting	St Gregory's
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3pm	Anderson Hall	Special Communion (see notices)
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6.30pm	Kirk Centre	Café Church
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Upper Room Time (Tuesdays from 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.

NOTICES

February Magazine – Available online, spare magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and Kirk Centre Entrance.

March Magazine – Contributions for the magazine must be with the editor David Devoy (magazine@libertonkirk.net) by **TODAY**.

SEECAT Newsletter – the February edition of ***Crosstalk*** is available from the Welcome Desks, the Offering House and the Kirk Centre Entrance. Also online on the SEECAT website, www.seecat.org

World Mission/Comfort International – Elizabeth Snedden will be selling notebooks & pens in aid of Comfort International in the Kirk Centre Foyer on Sunday morning 19th February. £1 for a notebook and pen.

Special Communion Sunday 19th February - Anderson Hall, 3pm. Please give your name to John, Linda or Eleanor so that a safe space can be arranged. Transport can be arranged by Eleanor (07512821604) who needs to know today.

Messy Church (Theme: Moses and Red Sea) –The next Messy Church will be on Saturday 25th February from 4pm to 6pm in the Kirk Centre. All young families welcome. Flyers with Spring dates available on Welcome Desks or from Halls Entrance.

Turkey Earthquake Appeal - There will be a retiring collection after both services on Sunday 26th February for the Turkey Earthquake Appeal

Austrian Evening – Saturday 4th March, 7pm in the Kirk Centre. Enjoy lake and mountain scenery, with some Austrian music from Calum Gubby and coffee and cake. Tickets will be on sale after services on 19th and 26th February or from Mary (664 6789) or Ruth (664 3608). Suggested donation of £8 in aid of the Scottish Bible Society and Liberton Kirk World Mission Funds.

2023 Easter Play – Saturday 8th April, 2pm -3.30pm in Princes Street Gardens. Volunteers needed for cast and crew. For cast, simply turn up on Wednesdays, 7-9pm at GDS Diadem, 537-539 Gorgie Road, EH14 1TA. For crew or more information, email admin@easterplay.org or Facebook Messenger @EasterPlayEdinburgh

Keep Warm and Carry On - Warm Space in the café area on Friday afternoons in February and March from 1pm to 5pm. IT Clinic, Knit and Natter, board games, Wi-Fi, or reading. Tea and coffee and company! Please let anyone know who might be interested.

The Word for Today - is back in the Kirkyard, starting beside the door to the Offering House. The passage is Paul's Prayer for the Ephesians, which is Ephesians 3:14-21. Spend some time in the open air with some thoughts and prayers on these words.

Offering House – the central display in the Offering House is a celebration of the Kirkgate Café, following its eighth birthday this month .

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

No Clothing Please! - Sorry, we don't collect clothing in the Offering House – please re-cycle it yourself through charity shops etc. The monthly Bethany Care Van team can take with them some of the following: **Warm** coats/jackets, blankets, sleeping bags, **new** underwear or socks. BUT please don't just leave it – contact Eleanor Grieve on ellie.57@hotmail.co.uk and she will tell you what to do.

Blister Packs from pills - can now be recycled. Please leave in marked box in the Offering House.

South East Edinburgh Food Banks - Donations can be left in the boxes provided in the Offering House or with the Lambs, 36 Liberton Drive (box outside garage if out). For special arrangements phone 01316643059, or email david@dlamb.co.uk

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 but if you have large quantities to donate please contact Sylvia Bennett on 664 3189.

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. Please leave in marked box in the Offering House.

Bible Verse for the Week

Jesus said...

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.”

Matthew 11 verse 28

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*To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact the office (by Thursday)
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JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk*

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