

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 19th February 2023

Theme: Jesus at the home of Mary and Martha

Reading: Luke 10.38-42 (p. 1042)

Preacher: Jared Hay

Morning Worship 9.30am Service (in church)

Call (Psalm 118): This is the day that the Lord has made;

we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

his love endures for ever.

CH4 352 O for a thousand tongues, to sing

CH4 490 Jesus, lover of my soul

CH4 456 Be thou my Vision

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

Call Jesu, Tawa Pano

CH4 378 Praise to the Holiest in the height

Song All through history
Song When the music fades
Song All to Jesus I surrender

CH4 481 Jesus is the name we honour

CH4 458 At the name of Jesus

- 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

2.30pm St Gregory's SEECAT Business meeting

3pm Anderson Hall Special Communion

6.30pm Kirk Centre Café Church

Monday 20th February

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

7.30pm Anderson Hall Guild (see notices)

Shrove Tuesday 21st February 7.30am-7.30pm Upper Room Time (see notices)

9am-2pm, 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Ash Wednesday 22nd February

9am-2pm, 5-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café 7-7.30pm Foyer Minister available

7.30pm On Zoom Kirk Session Executive Meeting

Thursday 23rd February

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café 2pm Anderson Hall Senior Citizens 7pm Wilson Hall Alpha Continues

Friday 24th February

1-5pm Foyer Warm Space (see notices)

Saturday 25th February

4-6pm Kirk Centre Messy Church (see notices)

Sunday 26th February - First Sunday in Lent

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 healing on the Sabbath (Luke 13.10-13)

Preacher: John Young

Retiring Offering for the Turkey Earthquake Appeal after both services

6.30pm Joint Evening Worship Reid Memorial (see notices)

<u>Upper Room Time (Tuesdays from 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.

NOTICES

World Mission/Comfort International – Elizabeth Snedden will be selling notebooks & pens in aid of Comfort International in the Kirk Centre Foyer **TODAY**. £1 for a notebook and pen.

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.

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

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

Guild – On Monday 20th February we will be taken on a photographic tour of Wild Scotland and Norway by Graeme Gainey. All welcome.

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

Bake and Plant Sale – Evangeline Perry will be holding a bake and plant sale after both services on the 26th February to fund a Christian charity trip in Romania volunteering at Hospice of Hope.

Joint Evening Worship - Sunday 26th 6.30pm at Reid Memorial, West Savile Terrace EH9 3HY...entrance by side gate and through garden space. The side gate is on West Savile Terrace.

2023 Easter Play – Saturday 8th April, 2pm -3.30pm in Princes Street Gardens. Volunteers needed for cast and crew. For cast, 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.

Toastie Tuesday – Volunteers are needed for Toastie Tuesday in March as Andy and Brad will be away, if you are interested contact Brad ASAP

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......

"The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field."

Matthew 13 verse 44

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To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact the office (by Thursday) on churchsecretary@libertonkirk.net
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