



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 13th August 2023

Reading: Luke 15.1-8 (p1049)
Preacher: John Young
Theme: Good news for the lost

Morning Worship 10.30am in Church and on Zoom
(with Crèche and Summer Sunday Club)

Call	Psalm 99.2-3	Great is the Lord in Zion
	CH4 578	Christ, whose glory fills the skies
	Action Song	Stand up and shout it
	MP 435	Lord Jesus Christ
	Song	Still, my soul, be still
	CH4 553	Just as I am
	CH4 551	In heavenly love abiding

- *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.*
- **Zoom** - Join from 10.15am. For access contact rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

There will be coffee and teas served in the Kirk Centre after the service

There will be no evening worship tonight

Sunday 20th August – Joint evening worship at The Hub, Ravenscroft Street
Sunday 27th August – Summer Café Church at Liberton Kirk Centre

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10.00am After Service	Elders' Room Cross at East Door	Sunday Morning Prayer Time Prayer Team Ministry
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Monday 14th August

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Tuesday 15th August

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7:30am-7:30pm	Upper Room	Prayer Space (see opposite)

Wednesday 16th August

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
2:30pm	Braid Hills Care Home	Service
7:30pm	Kirk Centre	Gathering for Praise

Thursday 17th August

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Friday 18th August

1pm-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub
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Saturday 19th August

1:30pm	Kirk Car Park	Cycle Group (see Notices)
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Sunday 20th August

8.00am – Sunday reflection available on Website/Facebook

Morning Worship

10.30am Service in the Kirk and on zoom (with crèche and Summer Sunday Club in the Kirk Centre)

Theme: Good news – for the weary

Preacher: John Young

6:30pm– Joint evening worship at The Hub, Ravenscroft Street

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.

Upper Room – a safe quiet space above the Kirkgate Café open 7.30am-7.30pm every Tuesday, with time of prayer with others at 8am, 12 noon and 7pm.

Prayer for Healing – Prayer for physical, mental and/or spiritual healing will be available on the second Tuesday of the month from 12th September – see posters and leaflets in the usual places.

NOTICES

June/July/August Magazine – Available online. Printed magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and Kirk Centre Entrance.

The Edinburgh Festival of the Sacred Arts – will run as part of the Fringe from Sunday 13th to Saturday 19th August. For details of the programme see leaflet at Kirk Centre entrance or go to their website, www.edinburghsacredartsfestival.org

The Cycle Group – will have their August ride out on Saturday 19th. Meet in the Kirk car park at 1.30pm all ages welcome. David Colley 07766151167.

Congregational Lunch – Sunday 27th August after 10.30 Service. Sign-Up sheets at both Welcome Desks on 13th and 20th August and in the Café until Thursday 24th (the final date to add your name).

Volunteers to help prepare, serve and clear, please contact Jill Niven on 07966 985190 or 0131 6642848.

The Peace Pathway – can be found in the Kirkyard for the months of July and August, starting at the Offering House at the main gate. During these months the Kirkyard will be open from 8am to 8pm daily. Spare a little time to experience the peace of our beautiful Kirkyard and to draw closer to God.

The Offering House – has a display setting out the summer activities both for children and young people and for all ages.

Annual Accounts - Copies of the Annual Accounts 2022 for **Liberton Kirk** (Money Matters rack) and the **Kirkgate Trust** (Kirkgate Trust rack) are on top of the cupboards at each side of the Church.

Southeast 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

Milk Bottle Tops – Thank you to everyone who continues to recycle their milk bottle tops. Only tops **with a 2 or 4, this includes the new clear lids** will be accepted. Can all tops be put into bags and not loose into the marked box in the Offering House.

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, 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.

No Clothing Please! - 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.

A reminder that we do NOT accept glasses – please find another way to recycle.

Blister Packs – can no longer be accepted – sorry!

Bible Verse for the Week

**Against you, you only, have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight;
so you are right in your verdict
and justified when you judge.**

Psalm 51 verse 4

Church website www.libertonkirk.net

*To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact the office (by Thursday)
on churchsecretary@libertonkirk.net
Office phone number 0131 664 8264.*

*Edna Matthews (Facilities) to book halls
Email: facilities@libertonkirk.net Office: 07478111407*

*John Young can be contacted on 0131 664 3067, or email:
JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk*

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