



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.

Harvest Sunday 29th September

(see notices for material ways to give thanks)

Reading: Mark 5.21-43 (p.1007)
Preacher: John Young
Theme: Encounters with Jesus V: two people in need of healing

Call: (Ps.67.5-6) May the peoples praise you, O God
May all the peoples praise you
Then the land will yield its harvest
And God, our God, will bless us

Morning Worship **9.30am Service in the Kirk**
CH4 229 We plough the fields and scatter
CH4 230 Praise God for the harvest of orchard and field
CH4 231 For the fruits of all creation

11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

CH4 229 We plough the fields and scatter
Song Thank You, Jesus
Song Bless God
Song What a beautiful name it is
Song My faith looks up to thee
Song In Christ Alone

- Children are welcome throughout the services.
Sound **and vision** are also piped into the church vestry (toys available).
- We have a loop system for those who use a hearing aid.
- **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 contact the Roll Keeper at rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net

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

Evening worship **6.30pm** (for 7pm) **Joint SEECOS Worship**
at Liberton Northfield Church (see notices)

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

10.20am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time
After services	Cross at East Door	Prayer Team Ministry
6.30pm (for 7pm)	Liberton Northfield	SEEOS Gathering (see notices)

Monday 30th September

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7.15pm – 9.00pm	Liberton Northfield	Equipping for Leadership course

Tuesday 1st October

7.30am-7.30pm	Upper Room	Prayer Space (see Below)
9am-2pm, 5-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café (see notices)
2.30pm	Liberton Brae Care Home	Service

Wednesday 2nd October

9am-2pm, 6-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Thursday 3rd October

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
1.30pm (for 2pm)	Anderson Hall	Senior Citizens' Club

Friday 4th October

1-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub & IT Clinic
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COMMUNION SUNDAY 6th October

8am	Sunday reflection available on Website/Facebook
10:20am	Prayer Time in Elders' Room

Morning Worship

9.30 am	Shorter Communion Service in Kirk
11am	Family communion service in the Kirk and on zoom (with crèche and Sunday Club) Preacher: John Young Theme: Jesus meets a man possessed (Mark 5.1-20)

6.30pm	Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre
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Prayer Requests – can be sent to either John (see back page) 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 8.00am, 12 noon and 7.00pm.

Road Works

The Mount Vernon Road/ Kirk Brae crossroads is planned to be closed from Tuesday 1st October till Friday 4th October. There will only be access to the Kirk Centre from the Liberton Brae end of Kirkgate. For more information on bus diversions go to www.lothianbuses.com/service-updates

NOTICES

October Magazines – ready for distributors to uplift from the East Door and thereafter from the Pigeonholes outside the office. Spare magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and Kirk Centre Entrance. Also online.

Harvest Thanksgiving, TODAY – there are two material ways of giving thanks. Dried/tinned goods brought today will go to the needy in our area, but such gifts are always welcome for the local food bank (see overleaf). Gifts can also be made to Self Help Africa – gift envelopes in all the usual places to return by 13th October, or online at www.selfhelpafrica.org/uk/harvest quoting Liberton Kirk

SEECOS Gathering for Worship/Prayer/Fellowship – TODAY, 6.30pm at Liberton Northfield (worship at 7pm led by Tron Kirk).

Scottish Country Dance Class - Our new session starts on Tuesday 1st October at 8.10pm in the Anderson Hall. New members welcome. For further information please contact Mary Davidson on 664 6789 or email marydavidson77@hotmail.com

Justice & Peace – SEECAT are seeking to re-vitalise their Justice & Peace Group, promoting issues in local churches and community. If you might be interested please attend a meeting at 7pm on Wednesday 9th October in St. Barnabas' Church, 4 Moredun Park View, EH17 7NE, or contact Ruth Davies on 664 3608.

'With Great Pleasure' - The Lamb Family Show, Saturday 12 October at 2.30pm in the Kirk Centre. Tickets with suggested donation of £8 towards the Scottish Waldensian Society and Liberton Kirk World Mission Fund, will be available after services **TODAY** and on 6th October.

Word for Today – The present Word for Today will be in the Kirkyard for today only. From Tuesday the October Word for Today will be the Parable of the Prodigal Son (Luke 15, 11-24), starting as usual at the Offering House.

Heartbeat (SEECOS newsletter) – the autumn edition is available online at www.seecos.org.uk and printed copies may be picked up from the welcome desks and the Offering House or the Kirk Centre Entrance.

Kirkgate Evening Café – Tuesday's Evening Café needs more volunteers to stay open. Could you help with one Tuesday a month/ every second month? Chat to Jenny Thomasi on 07894056216 or email kirkgatecafe@libertonkirk.net

Young Adults(18-30s) Group – A place to relax, build community and faith with each other over tea/coffee etc. Every Thursday evening from 7:30-9:30/10pm. If interested or wanting more information contact Erik Storey Text/WhatsApp: 07583309531 or email: erik-ze-viking@hotmail.com

Emergency Contact List – in case of an emergency concerning you whilst at Liberton Kirk you can have an emergency contact name (or several) on file. This is open to anyone. Just provide your name, the contact's name, your relationship to the contact and a contact number. Email rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net, or speak with Linda Wright, Eleanor Grieve or Gary Ross and give the details above.

Milk Bottle Tops – only tops **with a 2 or 4 (including the new clear lids)** will be accepted. Please put all tops in bags (not loose) into the 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 0131 664 3059, or email david@dlamb.co.uk

Fresh Start – Please leave contributions for Starter Packs in the Offering House. The up-to-date list of items required is in the Offering House and on the Foyer notice board – **ONLY** leave items that are on the list. **N.B. No furniture can be accepted.**

No Clothing Please! – The monthly Bethany Care Van team can take some: 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 for instructions.

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

Bible Verse for the Week

Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed,
for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3 verses 22 and 23

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To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact the Office (by Thursday)
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