



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 October

Reading: Luke 10.38-42 (p.1042)
Preacher: Alastair Cameron
Theme: Encounters with Jesus VII: Mary and Martha

Morning Worship 9.30am Service in the Kirk

Call: (Psalm 125)

How lovely is your dwelling place, Lord Almighty!
**My soul yearns, even faints, for the courts of the Lord;
my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God.**

CH4 50 The praises of the Lord our God
CH4 603 For your gift of God the Spirit
CH4 694 Brother, sister, let me serve you

11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

Call Draw near to God
Song Bless the Lord, O my soul
Song Bring it all to me
Song I will offer up my life
Song Purify my heart
Song I serve a risen saviour
CH4 553 Just as I am

- 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) Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre

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 Kirk Centre	Café Church

Monday 14th October

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

7.30am-7.30pm	Upper Room	Prayer Space (see Below)
9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 16th October

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
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Thursday 17th October

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
9am – 4pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café Food Hygiene Training (see notices)
1.30pm (for 2pm)	Anderson Hall	Senior Citizens' Club

Friday 18th October

1-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub & IT Clinic
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Sunday 20th October

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

Morning Worship

9.30 am Shorter Service in Kirk

11am Service in the Kirk and on zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

Preacher: John Young

Theme: Jesus meets some children (Luke 11.15-17)

6.30pm Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre

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.

NOTICES

October Magazines – Spare magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and in the Kirk Centre Entrance. Also online.

November Magazine – contributions should be with the Editor, John Cowie, **TODAY** at magazine@libertonkirk.net

Harvest Thanksgiving – Gift envelopes for Self Help Africa (in the usual places) must be returned **TODAY**, or you can give online at www.selfhelpafrica.org/uk/harvest quoting Liberton Kirk

Were you at Liberton Kirk in 2015? – If not, you might be interested in two books produced that year for the Bicentenary of the present church building. One is “Liberton Kirk – A Good Place to Be” about how people have shaped the church we are today. Please pick one up from the side tables, and if you would like to make a donation that would be appreciated. The other is “The Organs of Liberton Kirk”, a fascinating history – Calum has these on the organ, suggested donation £3.

Kirkgate Café Food Hygiene Training – We will be hosting three food hygiene courses on Thursday 17th October, Wednesday 18th December and Wednesday 29th January. There are limited spaces so please get in touch quickly. It will run from 9am until 4pm with lunch provided. To cover the cost there is a suggested donation of £30. Contact Jenny at kirkgatecafe@libertonkirk.net for more info.

Edinburgh 900 Artworks Exhibition – at St Cuthberts’ Church, Lothian Road, 19th -25th October. See notices on main notice boards for details. We have loaned archive items for the church section of the exhibition.

The Guild – meets on Monday 21 October at 7.30 pm in the Anderson Hall when we will learn about The Shetland Bus from Kath Hay. All welcome.

Blythswood Shoe Boxes – could you fill a shoe box to bring some Christmas joy to a child or adult in an Eastern European country who has very little? Explanatory leaflets are available from the table in the Kirk Centre entrance, also spare boxes and wool if you need them. Boxes must be returned by 31st October.

The Big Read – Saturday 2nd November, 10am in the Wilson Hall, reading the whole of St. John’s Gospel aloud. Bring your own Bible (any translation) or there will be Bibles available. A SEECAT event - refreshments provided.

SEECOS Annual Conference – Saturday 9th November, 9.30am – 2pm at the Faith Mission Gilmerton Road. “How do we share the Good News in a post-Christian society?” Sign-up sheets available.

Word for Today – The October Word for Today is the Parable of the Prodigal Son (Luke 15, 11-24), starting as usual at the Offering House.

Warm Hub - Volunteers needed for the Warm Hub on Friday afternoons. You can do as many or few Fridays as you like. We are there from 1pm to 4:30pm. For more info contact lizsnedden@gmail.com or phone 07801 420462.

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

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.

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

Then he said to me, "Prophecy to these bones and say to them,
'Dry bones, hear the word of the Lord!
This is what the Sovereign Lord says to these bones:
I will make breath enter you, and you will come to life."

Ezekiel 37 verse 4 and 5

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