



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 17th November

Reading: John 13.18-30 (p.1081)
Preacher: Gethin Russell-Jones
Theme: Encounters with Jesus XII: Judas

Call: Our help is in the name of the Lord
The maker of heaven and earth
Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good
His love endures forever

Morning Worship

9.30am Service in the Kirk

CH4 81 I to the hills will lift mine eyes
CH4 598 Come, Holy Ghost, our hearts inspire
Hymn Here is love, vast as the ocean

11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

Call Spirit of the living God
Song There is a higher throne
Song Be bold
Song Above all powers
Song Your love
Hymn Here is love, vast as the ocean
CH4 124 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

- 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 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
2.30pm	St. Catherine's	SEECAT Planning Meeting
6.30pm (for 7pm)	Liberton Kirk Centre	Café Church

Monday 18th November

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7.30pm	Anderson Hall	Guild (see notices)

Tuesday 19th November

7.30am-7.30pm	Upper Room	Prayer Space (see below)
9am-2pm, 5pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 20th November

9am-2pm, 6pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7pm	Tron Kirk Moredun	Seeds of Change (see notices)

Thursday 21st November

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
9.30-1pm	Wilson Hall	Eating well for Older People (see notices)
1.30pm (for 2pm)	Anderson Hall	Senior Citizens' Club
7.30pm	St. Catherine's	Taizé Service (see notices)

Friday 22nd November

1-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub & IT Clinic
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Saturday 23rd November

10am-12noon	Anderson Hall	Guild Christmas Coffee Morning (see notices)
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GIFT SUNDAY 24th November (see notices)

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: Encounters with Jesus XII: Pilate (John 18-19)

'Just Gifts' stall in the Kirk Centre after both services (see notices)

Evening worship

6.30pm (for 7pm) SEECOS Gathering at Gilmerton Hub (see notices)

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

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

The Guild – meets on Monday 18th November at 7.30pm in the Anderson Hall. Rev. Gethin Russell-Jones, Minister of Ararat Baptist Church, Cardiff, will tell us about his mother's experiences as a World War 2 decoder in Bletchley Park. All welcome.

Seeds of Change – Bethany Christian Trust in SE Edinburgh – Wednesday 20th November, 7pm at Tron Kirk Moredun, 6 Craighour Gardens. What is going on? How can we help? A SEECAT Justice and Peace event. All welcome.

Taizé Service for Advent – Thursday 21st November 7.30pm – 8.30pm at St. Catherine's Church, Gracemount Avenue, followed by refreshments. A time to pause and reflect on the coming of Jesus in silence, prayer, scripture and song.

REHIS Eating Well for Older People – is a certificated, non-examined course that provides participants with knowledge about the importance of good nutrition for older people and how to support older people to eat well. Thursday 21st November 9.30am-1pm in the Wilson Hall. Email kirkgatecafe@libertonkirk.net for more info.

Guild Christmas Coffee Morning – Saturday 23rd November 10am to 12noon in the Kirk Centre in aid of Guild projects. Adults £4.00, Children free. There will also be tickets on sale at the Coffee Morning for the Edinburgh Highland Reel & Strathspey Society Evening to be held on 20 January 2025.

Young Life Pizza Fundraiser – order pizzas for your evening meal on Saturday 23rd November to raise money to take local teenagers to camp next summer. To order, go to <https://qrco.de/bdnapa> Delivery within a 3-mile radius of Liberton Kirk.

Gift Sunday 24th November – we invite members of the congregation to bring gifts (unwrapped) to pass on to children in our community who do not receive much at Christmas. All donations for children or teenagers are much appreciated.

SEECOS Gathering Sunday 24th November – worship, prayer & fellowship at the Gilmerton Hub, 6 Ravenscroft Street, 6.30pm refreshments, 7pm worship, led by Gracemount Church.

Sale of Christmas Cards & Fairtrade Gifts – Sunday 24th November after both services in the Kirk Centre Foyer and Monday 25th November from 10 am – 2 pm in the McDonald Room. Every sale benefits artisans from developing countries who are working their way out of poverty. Please support. World Mission Team.

Crossreach Calendars – are available to order. There are 2 calendar designs. A Wall Calendar at £5.50 and an Appointments Wall Calendar at £5 - both with beautiful scenes from around Scotland. There are order sheets, on the welcome desks. Or you can order by contacting Sheila McBryde at smmcb34@gmail.com

2025 Liberton Kirk calendars - are now on sale for £5 from Linda Wright at lwright@libertonkirk.net

Request for volunteers – to collect residents from Guthrie House for the 11am service. For more info contact lwright@libertonkirk.net

Word for Today for November – now in the Kirkyard, Luke 18, 18-30, with thoughts and prayers. Begin 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.

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

And afterwards, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your old men will dream dreams, your young men will see visions. Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days.

Joel 2 verses 28 and 29

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