

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 3rd November**

**Reading**: Luke 19.1-10 (p.1053)

Preacher: John Urquhart

Theme: Encounters with Jesus X: Zacchaeus

Morning Worship 9.30am Service in the Kirk

**Call:** (John 6) Lord to whom shall we go?

You alone have the words of eternal life CH4 552 Oh, for a closer walk with God CH4 601 Look upon us, blessèd Lord CH4 533 Will you come and follow me

11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

Call Come all you people

CH4 457 All hail the power of Jesus' name Song Clap your hands, stomp your feet

Song Jesus, hope of the nations Song To be in your presence

Song Amazing Grace

CH4 132 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

- 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 <u>10.30am</u> to chat. For access contact the Roll Keeper at <u>rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net</u>

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

Next week's Remembrance Service starts at <u>10.45am</u>

**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
12.30pm Small Hall Prayer Team Lunch

6.30pm (for 7pm) Liberton Kirk Centre Café Church

Monday 4th November

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

7.15pm – 9.00pm Liberton Northfield Equipping for Leadership

7.30pm Anderson Hall Guild (see notices)

**Tuesday 5th November** 

7.30am-7.30pm Upper Room Prayer Space (see opposite)

9am-2pm, 5pm-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café 2.30pm Liberton Brae Care Home Service

Wednesday 6th November

9am-2pm, 6pm-8pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November

9am-2pm Foyer Kirkgate Café

1.30pm (for 2pm) Anderson Hall Senior Citizens' Club

Friday 8th November

1-4.30pm Foyer Warm Hub & IT Clinic

Saturday 9th November

9.30am-2pm Faith Misson Auditorium SEECOS Annual Conference

6pm-9pm Liberton Kirk Centre Ceilidh (see notices)

Remembrance Sunday 10th November

8am Sunday reflection available on Website/Facebook

10:20am Prayer Time in Elders' Room

**Morning Worship** 

9.30 am Shorter Service in Kirk

10.45am Service in the Kirk and on zoom

(with crèche and Sunday Club)

Preacher: John Young

Theme: Jesus meets some Pharisees and Sadducees

**12noon** Act of remembrance at the War Memorial

12.30am Lunch for Uniformed Organisations

**Evening worship** 

6.30pm (for 7pm) Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre

**Prayer Requests** – can be sent to either John (see back page) or Lindsay at <a href="mailto:nicolyoung3@gmail.com">nicolyoung3@gmail.com</a> 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 –** ready for distributors to uplift from the West Door and thereafter from the Pigeonholes outside the office. Spare magazines on Welcome Desks, in the Offering House and Kirk Centre Entrance. Also online.

**New Word for Today –** now in the Kirkyard, Luke 18, 18-30, with thoughts and prayers. Begin as usual at the Offering House.

**A BIG THANK YOU –** to all who filled shoeboxes for the Blythswood Appeal this year. They will be going to Ukraine.

**The Guild** – meets on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30 pm in the Anderson Hall, with Dr Ian Campbell, on Changing Scotland. Sales Table. All welcome.

**SEECOS Annual Conference –** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> 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.

**Ceilidh 9<sup>th</sup> November 6-9pm –** raising funds for the Oncology Unit at the Western General Hospital. Tickets available after the services at the gate and from the Kirkgate Cafe. Adults £10 / Teenagers £5 / Under 12s Free. Bring your own drinks and snacks. There will be a raffle on the night with some wonderful prizes; raffle tickets will cost £1 each

**Remembrance** – Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November, second service at 10.45am to include the 2 minutes silence. Service followed by a short Act of Remembrance at the Cemetery war memorial. Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November, short time of prayer and remembering for Armistice Day at 10.45am. Church open 10am - 12noon.

**Men's Collective Curry & Quiz Night! –** Friday 15th November 7-9.30pm BYOB. £5 or £10 donation to TEARFUND. Sign up form available until 12th November.

**SEECAT Programme 2024/2025 –** now available on green card from the Welcome Desks, the Offering House and the Kirk Centre Entrance

**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 west door welcome desk, and if you would like to make a donation that would be appreciated. The other is "The Organs of Liberton Kirk" – Calum has these on the organ, suggested donation £3.

**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 <a href="mailto:lizsnedden@gmail.com">lizsnedden@gmail.com</a> 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 <a href="mailto:rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net">rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net</a>, 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 <a href="mailto:david@dlamb.co.uk">david@dlamb.co.uk</a>

**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**

"Come, let us return to the Lord. He has torn us to pieces but he will heal us; he has injured us but he will bind up our wounds."

Hosea 6 verses 1

## Church website www.libertonkirk.net

To include anything in the Notice Sheet please contact the Office (by Thursday) Email: churchsecretary@libertonkirk.net

> Edna Matthews (Facilities) to book halls. Email: <u>facilities@libertonkirk.net</u> | 07478 111407

John Young. Email: <u>JYoung@churchofscotland.org.uk</u> | 0131 664 3067

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