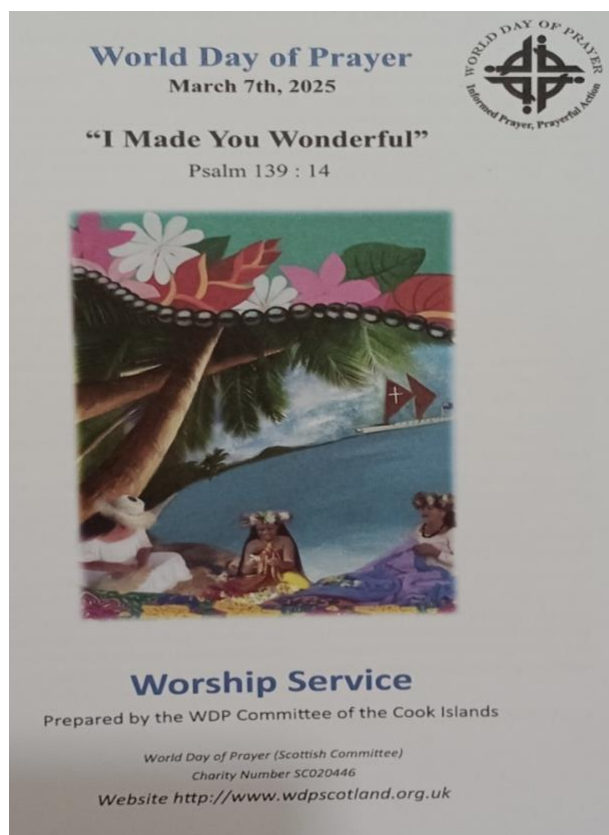


LIBERTON KIRK NEWS EXTRA March/April 2025



Dear Friends,

March seems to have flown by with lots going on in the Kirk. The Guild hosted the World Day of Prayer on the 7th March, which was well attended, the focus was on the Cook Islands. The last Guild meeting for this term was the 17th March which was the AGM and beetle drive. The Guild have many good speakers and they raise funds for a variety of charities. This year they are supporting Bibles for bairns. They have also donated money to Kaimes School and Blythswood Trust. Now a holiday for the Guild but the committee keep working hard during the break planning for the next session.



The prayer space on a Tuesday is now in Kirk House and the focus has been on Lenten prayer, while Sunday worship has been focussing on Christian commitments and is well worth a listen if you have not heard the sermons. On the 23rd we had a focus on our senior citizens and the following week our annual youth service. Children were the focus on Saturday the 29th at Messy Church. Children may also enjoy an Easter egg hunt taking place at Liberton Northfield on Saturday the 19th 10-12 noon.

Easter is later this year, and I am hoping the daffodils last until Easter Sunday when we always decorate the cross made from parts of the Christmas tree that was in the church. It always looks so beautiful and this year we can see the cross on the Easter card.

John playing his guitar by the daffodil cross is a good reminder of one of John's many talents. We will miss both John and Lindsay as they retire on the 20th of April. There are two opportunities to say farewell, the congregational lunch on Sunday 20th or the ceilidh on Friday 25th of April.



With love
Linda (07850411596)

Father God,

We give you thanks for John & Lindsey, for their ministry at Liberton Kirk and their care and friendship with the Kirk family. As they retire, we ask a blessing on them and their family. We ask for a well-deserved break for them and that you will make your plans and purpose for this part of their life clear to them both. Help us to be prayerful as we seek a new minister for the Kirk.

Amen