



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.

(Liberton Kirk Vision Statement)

Sunday 8th March

Reading: Romans 5:1-8 (p.1132); John 4:5-14 (p.1066)
Preacher: Elliot Mitchell
Theme: Unexpected Grace

Morning Worship

Call:

9.30am Service in the Kirk

I know that you are a gracious and compassionate God;
slow to anger and abounding in love.

CH4 28 Thy mercy, Lord, is in the heavens

CH4 489 Come down, O Love Divine

CH4 192 All my hope on God is founded

11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom

(with Crèche and Sunday Club)

Call Lord I come, longing to know you

Song My Jesus, my Saviour

Song I've got a very big God-O

Song My Lord, what love is this

Song Thank you for saving me

CH4 555 Amazing Grace

CH4 166 Lord of all hopefulness

- Children are welcome throughout the service.
Sound and vision are also piped into the church vestry (toys available).
- There is 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

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

12.30pm Congregational Soup Lunch (World Mission Team)

Evening Worship 6.30pm Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

8am onwards	Website/Facebook	Sunday reflection
10.20am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time
After 11am service	Cross at East Door	Prayer Team Ministry
12.30pm	Anderson hall	Congregational Soup Lunch
6.30pm	Kirk Centre	Café Church

Monday 9th March

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7pm for 7.30pm	Wilson Hall	Local Leadership Team Meeting

Tuesday 10th March

9am-5pm	Kirk House	Prayer Space (see below)
9am-2pm, 5pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café

Wednesday 11th March

9am-2pm, 6pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
11am	Small Hall	Pram Praise (see notices)
11am	Liberton Northfield	SEECOS Banner Group (see notices)

Guild meeting at Liberton High School cancelled

7.30pm	Wilson Hall	Gathering for Praise
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Thursday 12th March

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
1.30(for2pm)	Anderson Hall	Senior Citizens

Friday 13th March

1pm-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub and IT Clinic
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Sunday 15th March

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

Morning Worship

9.30am	Shorter Service in the Kirk
10.20am	Prayer Time in Elders' Room
11am	Service in the Kirk and on Zoom (with Crèche and Sunday Club) Theme: God changes Lives for Good Preacher: Rev. Stewart Goudie

3pm Special Communion Service in the Anderson Hall (see notices)

Evening Worship

6.30pm Café Church in Liberton Kirk Centre

Prayer Requests – can be sent to minister@libertonkirk.net and details will be passed on to the prayer team.

Prayer Space – Tuesdays 9am-5pm – a safe space in Kirk House for spending time with God, with mid-day prayers (Northumbria Community) at 12 noon.

NOTICES

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

April Magazine – contributions must be with the editor (magazine@libertonkirk.net) by next Sunday, 15th March, at the latest.

The flowers in church today – were given by Alan Lonie in memory of Bert and Mary Lonie

SEECOS Banner Group – this meets at Liberton Northfield every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month, 10.00am -11.30am. Please come along.

Pram Praise – 11th March in the Small Hall at 11am. A short, fun time of worship for toddlers and their carers.

Taizé Prayer, Thursday, 12th March 7.30pm – There will be a service of Taizé reflective song and prayer held in St Catherine's church, Gracemount Drive.

Easter Cards – The Easter cards for our area will be available next Sunday 15th March for delivery. If you are able to help with the bundling of these cards on Friday 13th March from 10 am in the Elders' Room please get in touch with Mary Davidson (664 6789) or email: marydavidson77@hotmail.com. Thank you.

Easter SEECOS delivery – a large number of John's gospels are to be delivered to the new housing developments around our parish. We will be meeting to do so on Saturday the 14th and 21st March at Gracemount Church House at 76 Lasswade Road between 10:00 and 12:00. Any help would be much appreciated.

Special Communion – will take place Sunday 15th March at 3pm in the Anderson Hall with a time of fellowship after. The service is mainly for those unable to attend our usual Communion Service, but everyone is welcome. For help with transport, contact Linda Wright on 07850411596 or Eleanor Grieve at ellie.57@hotmail.co.uk

Guild - On Monday 16th March we will be holding our Annual General Meeting at 7pm followed by a Beetle Drive. All welcome, hope to see you there.

Daffodil Tea – this joint event (with Tron Kirk and Liberton Northfield) is being held in Tron Kirk Moredun at 2pm on Saturday 21st March, and costs £5 (at the door). For catering purposes, please let Alice know if you would like to attend – on 07501 096537 or alicelaing89@gmail.com

SEECOS Alpha Course – starting on Wednesday 15th April (7-9pm) for 10 weeks. The course will be held at Liberton Centre and run by Cammy MacKenzie. Sign-up sheets will be available nearer the time.

RC Cluster Alpha Course – starts on Tuesday 14th April 7-8.30pm in St Catherine's church, 21 Gracemount Drive, EH16 6QP. Food, a film and a chat – All welcome!
More information from cluster.alpha@outlook.com

Word for Today – is in the Kirkyard based on Psalm 119:105-112, "Your word is a lamp to my feet". Start at the Offering House as usual. It will remain until 22nd March. Script also available on the Liberton Kirk website.

Bible Verse of the Week

I waited patiently for the Lord; he turned to me and heard my cry.
He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire;
he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand.

Psalm 40 verses 1,2

Collections (in the offering house, unless otherwise instructed)

Printer Cartridges – Any original unbroken cartridges to help St Columba's Hospice Edinburgh. (no refills)

Food Bank – Offering House or with the Lambs, 36 Liberton Drive (leave at garage door, if out). For special arrangements phone 0131 664 3059, or email david@dlamb.co.uk

Knitting wool etc for charity projects (see magazine)

Fresh Start (Starter Packs) – ONLY leave items that are on the list, in boxes or bags please. **N.B. No furniture or clothing.**

The 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.

Used stamps or stamp collections – box in Kirk Centre Foyer or contact David Lamb 0131 664 3059 or email david@dlamb.co.uk

We No Longer Collect bottle tops.

Church website www.libertonkirk.net

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

Email: churchsecretary@libertonkirk.net

Laura Morgan (Facilities) to book halls.

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