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)

Remembrance Sunday 8th November

Readings: **Amos 5:18-24** (p.920);
Matthew 25:1-13 (p.994)

Preacher: **Rev. Dr. John Cowie**

Theme: **Remembering Forward: Justice for others**

The Call will appear on the screens

Morning Worship **9.30am Service in the Kirk**

CH4 181 For the beauty of the earth
CH4 182 Now thank we all our God
CH4 159 Lord, for the years your love has kept and guided

10.45am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom
(with Crèche)

CH4 161 O God, our help in ages past v.1-3
CH4 161 O God, our help in ages past v.4-6
Song For God so loved the world
Song How deep the Father's love for us
Song I see the King of Glory
CH4 706 For the healing of the nations
Song King of Kings

12noon approx short time of remembrance at the Cemetery Cenotaph

Prayer Ministry after the service at the Cross at East Door

- 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 10.30am to chat
(For access ask rollkeeper@libertonkirk.net)

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

Lunch for uniformed organisations and their families in the Anderson Hall

Evening Worship **6.30pm Connections in the Kirk Centre Foyer**

WEEKLY DIARY

TODAY

8am onwards	Website/Facebook	Sunday reflection
10.20am	Elders' Room	Sunday Morning Prayer Time
12noon approx.	**Cenotaph**	**Short time of remembrance**
12.30pm approx.	Anderson Hall	Lunch for uniformed organisations
6.30pm	**Foyer**	**Connections (Evening Worship)**

Monday 9th November

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

Tuesday 10th November

9am-5pm	Kirk House	Prayer Space (see below)
9am-2pm, 5pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
7.30-9pm	Wilson Hall	Lessons & Carols Choir Rehearsal (see notices)

Wednesday 11th November

9am-2pm, 6pm-8pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
10-12noon	Kirk House	Open for quiet space
10.45am	Kirk House	Armistice Day prayers
2pm	Anderson Hall	Guild – Guide Dogs for the Blind

Thursday 12th November

9am-2pm	Foyer	Kirkgate Café
2-4pm	Anderson Hall	Senior Citizens' Club

Friday 13th November

1-4.30pm	Foyer	Warm Hub & IT Clinic
3pm-14th at 3pm	Tron Kirk Moredun	24-Hour Prayer (see notices)

Sunday 15th November

8am Sunday reflection available on Website/Facebook
10.20am Prayer Time in Elders' Room

Morning Worship
9.30am Shorter Service in the Kirk
11am Service in the Kirk and on Zoom (with Crèche and Sunday Club)
Preacher: Rev. Jared Hay
Theme: The Hope of His Coming

2.30pm SEECAT Business Meeting in the Foyer

6.30pm Connections (Evening Worship) in the Kirk Centre Foyer (see notices)

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

November Magazines – Welcome Desks, Offering House and Kirk Centre. Also online.

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

Word for Today for November – new passage now in Kirkyard, starting at the Offering House, Philippians 2, 2-12 "…shine like stars"

Blythswood thank you – all who filled boxes, donated or knitted items for the Shoebox appeal. 58 boxes were dropped off at the Kirk Centre. Over 4000 boxes were sorted in a week but many are missing scarfs - you can keep the needles going!

Lessons and Carols Service Choir – Rehearsals start Tuesday 10th November, 7.30pm in the Wilson Hall for 6 weeks (NB not Tuesday 8th December but Monday 7th). Service on 16th December. Contact Ruth (0131 664 3608) for info or to join.

Fair Trade Craft Stall – after both services, Sunday 15th November, in the foyer. Crafts made by survivors of the Rwandan Genocide will be on sale. Money raised goes to the women in Kigali via Comfort International (World Mission Team).

Guild – Monday 16th November at 7pm in the Anderson Hall when Joyce Cavaye's talk is Smalls for All. We look forward to seeing you there. Donations of brand new pants and new or gently worn bras can be left in the Offering House.

SEECOS Christmas Fayre – Saturday 21st November, 11am-1pm at Tron Kirk Moredun, Craigour Gardens, EH17 7NX. Stalls, Tea, Coffee, Hot filled rolls.

Bruce Davies Concert – Saturday 21st November at 2.30 p.m. In the Kirk Centre Tickets, with suggested donation of £10 towards the World Mission Projects, will be available after services or by contacting Mary Davidson on 0131 664 6789.

Advent Reflections – in St. Gregory's RC Church, Walter Scott Avenue, EH16 5TD, four Mondays from 23rd November, 7.30-8.30pm. Music, prayer, art reflection, poetry, centred on the Gospel readings, and refreshments. All welcome.

The Guild Christmas Coffee Morning – Saturday 28th November 10am to 12noon in the Anderson Hall in aid of our projects. Admission: Adults £5.00 Children free.

Gift Services 29th 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.

Liz Crocker (Deacon at Tron) is retiring – towards the end of December. There is a light lunch for Sunday 13th December at 12 noon. If you would like to contribute to her thank you gift, please give it to the office before 6th December.

Cookers for Christmas Appeal for 2026 – Fresh Start campaign for cookers and other white goods for the newly-housed homeless. The aim is to beat the previous total of £31,000. Donations can be made using the QR code on the leaflets/posters or https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/cookers-for-christmas-2026

Volunteers Needed for Homework Club – run by Bethany Christian Trust on Wednesdays at Goodtrees Community Centre in Moredun, for primary school children. For more info and how to apply see www.bethanychristiantrust.com/homework-club-volunteer-edinburgh

Collections in the Offering House (unless stated otherwise)

Printer Cartridges (no refills) **–** to help St Columba's Hospice Edinburgh.
Food Bank – Offering House **ONLY** – for the bank at Tron Kirk Moredun
Knitting wool etc for charity projects
Fresh Start (Starter Packs) – ONLY leave items that are on the list, in boxes or bags please. **N.B. No furniture or clothing.** No collections from 2nd Dec to 16th Jan.
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. Contact Kirk Office re large items. In aid of Alzheimer Scotland.

We No Longer Collect bottle tops.

Bible Verse of the Week

…he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Psalm 23 verse 3-4

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