

Cairneyhill Parish Church

Sunday 22nd October 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE



Living and Growing in Faith



Cairneyhill Parish Church of Scotland

Eaglais Paraiste Cairneyhill, Eaglais na h-Alba

Charity No SCO12892

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WELCOME & INTIMATIONS

(Marion)

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN 132 *Immortal, invisible God only wise*

Dedication of Offerings

PRAYER

(Marion)

HYMN 28 *Thy mercy, Lord is in the heavens*
(Psalm 36)

SETTING THE SCENE

Readings: Psalm 119: 97-105 *Your Word is a lamp*
Proverbs 3: 1-6 *Trust in the Lord*
Matthew 22: 15-22 *Whose image is this?*

(Alasdair)

HYMN 502 *Take my Life, Lord let it be*

TALK: LIGHT FOR THE DAY

"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

(John 8:12)

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS

(Marion)

HYMN 516 *We are marching in the light of God*

BLESSING (MP 460)

In Church and via Zoom: - Meeting ID 984 5763 9576

Please contact us via Facebook or any Elder for the Passcode

PLEASE NOTE THE SERVICE WILL NORMALLY BE RECORDED

INTIMATIONS

WELCOME

All are welcome to our service this morning, especially if you are a newcomer or visitor. Visitors may wish to sign our Visitors' Book. Apologies but we have no Zoom presentation today due to holidays.

MIDDLE EAST APPEAL

There will be a retiring collection for the Christian Aid Middle East appeal this morning.

COMMUNITY CINEMA

The Sanctuary Cinema will be showing its first film of the winter season this week on **Thursday 26th October** at 1pm. The film is "The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry". See poster for more details.

BLYTHSWOOD CARE SHOEBOX APPEAL 2023

The church is once again supporting the Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal. Last year, 88,816 shoeboxes were delivered to people in need across Eastern Europe.

You can help by:-

- Filling a shoebox
- Donating items from the list, which we will use to fill shoeboxes
- A donation of money towards transport costs
- Pray for the people who will receive the boxes

Leaflets are available in the vestibule or can be downloaded from the Blythswood Care website. Donations can be made until next Sunday **29th October**.

[Hats Scarfs & Gloves suitable for the Shoe Box Appeal will be on sale each Sunday in the Irene Paterson room priced £7.00 per set.]

CAIRNEYHILL PARENT COUNCIL NEEDS SINGERS

Cairneyhill Parent Council is looking for singers for their Christmas Fayre which takes place at the school on 22nd November from 6pm – 8pm. Anyone interested please come to the Manse on **Thursday 26th October** at 3:30 pm or speak to Irene Scott.

ETERNITY DISCUSSION GROUP

Our discussion group meets every second Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the Irene Paterson Room, meeting next on **31st October**. We are looking at the Old Testament books of Jonah, Joel and Amos using a Life-builder study resource. All welcome. Contact Derek for information.

KIRK SESSION

The next meeting of the Kirk Session is on **Wednesday 1st November** at 7:00 pm.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR – DONATIONS WANTED

Our Christmas Craft Fair will take place on **Saturday 4th November**. There will be lots of stalls in church offering products from local crafters. Teas and coffees will be served in the Manse. In preparation for the fair donations of craft and/or Christmas items for the church stall will be welcome. Contact Dot Downie (881379).

CHURCH NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER ISSUE

Contributions are needed for our December/ Christmas newsletter. Please consider writing something for the newsletter. This can be about any church activity or anything else of interest to our readership across the parish. We aim to encourage everyone in the community to take an interest in our village church. Speak to Derek and/or send contributions to Derek@cairneyhillchurch.org.uk.

FIFE CARERS CENTRE – UNPAID CARERS' SOCIAL GROUP

The Group meets every second Thursday between 11.00 am and 12.30 pm. Open to all who are providing unpaid care for a family member or friend. Next meeting **26th October**.

CAIRNEYHILL & CROSSFORD QUILTING GROUP

The group are looking for new members. We meet in the manse on a Wednesday between 1pm and 3pm. For more information, please contact Chris Johnson on 880110 or Dot Downie on 881379.

MONEY MATTERS

We appreciate your giving via our collection plates each Sunday or directly via the banking system. Our bank account is Cairneyhill Parish Church; Sort Code 08-92-99; Account Number 65209833. Contact our Treasurer George White for information (269355).

INTIMATIONS

Items for inclusion should be sent to the office (office@limekilnchurch.org.uk) no later than the previous Wednesday evening. The office is normally open each Tuesday – Friday between 10 am and 12:30 pm.