



Living and Growing in Faith



Cairneyhill Parish Church of Scotland

Eaglais Paraiste Cairneyhill, Eaglais na h-Alba

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Cairneyhill Parish Church

Sunday 8th October 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE

Harvest Thanksgiving

WELCOME & INTIMATIONS

(Alison)

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN 172 Sing for God's glory that colours the dawn of creation

Dedication of Offerings

PRAYER (Alasdair)

HYMN 233 Come, you thankful people, come

Readings: Deuteronomy 24: 17-22 *Care for the Needy*

Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 Parable of the Sower

(Alison)

HYMN 543 Longing for light, we wait in darkness

VIDEO CLIP (The Hive)

HYMN 229 We plough the fields and scatter

TALK: HARVEST

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS (Alasdair)

HYMN 153 Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father

BLESSING

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.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

We celebrate Harvest Thanksgiving **today**. As usual dry goods donated will be passed on to the Dunfermline Foodbank along with cash from the sale of donated fresh fruit etc.

WALKING GROUP

We have a Church walk **this afternoon**. This will be a local walk in Cairneyhill with the route to be decided. There will be the usual coffee stop at the end. Meet in the Church car park at 2pm

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 **29**th **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.]

ETERNITY DISCUSSION GROUP

Our discussion group meets every second Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the Irene Paterson Room, meeting next on **17**th **October**. We are looking at the Old Testament books of Jonah, Joel and Amos using a Lifebuilder study resource. All welcome. Contact Derek for information.

CYCLING CLUB

The next C4 outing is to Falkland on Saturday 21st October.

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

Please think about contributions for our next newsletter. These will be needed by early November.

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 **12**th **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.

HARRY WESTWOOD FUND

If you are not already supporting the Harry Westwood Fund, which funds our Compassion kids around the world, please consider doing so. Please speak to Treasure George White or to Elaine Morris about this.

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@limekilnschurch.org.uk) no later than the previous Wednesday evening. The office is normally open each Tuesday – Friday between 10 am and 12:30 pm.