



Selkirk Parish Church

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Notices for week beginning 11th September 2022

Sunday 11th September 2022

9.30am - Rev. Geoff Hewitt

In our prayers this week-

Church Family

Pray for those who live in Mill St., Whinfield Road, Kilncroft, Old Selkirk Waterworks and Park View and their Elder/Visitor Margaret Milne.

Community

Pray for all the shops and businesses in our town. Give thanks for the variety of shops we have.

World prayer

Help us to live from the fruitfulness of your creation in a way that does not wantonly destroy or harm what is yours.

This week

Monday 12th September Open Door 10.30 - 11.30am for coffee, 12 - 1pm for lunch

Wednesday 14th September 11am Wednesday worship

Wednesday 14th September 7pm Prayer group, on Zoom

<https://zoom.us/j/97057080364?pwd=RzZPY1pxS1VrSytrQTdDMkVsU3VyQT09>

By phone: 0131 460 1196 Meeting ID: 970 5708 0364 Passcode: 924278

Thursday 15th September - 2pm - Join the Church Garden Gang and help keep our grounds tidy. **This week - Back at the Parish Church**

Next Sunday

18th September – 9.30am – led by Geoff Hewitt

Dates for your diary

**Tuesday 13th September 7pm Congregational Board,
8pm Kirk Session on Zoom**

Saturday 17th September 10-12 noon Denim Upcycling Show (See more info.)

Selkirk Summer Services (at 9.30am)

Please note, this information replaces the information given in the June Hird.

Sept 11th: Rev. Geoff Hewitt

Sept 18th: Rev. Geoff Hewitt

Sept 25th: café-style service led by Jane Peers

Wednesday services continue throughout the summer at 11am in the Church Hall.

More information

An invitation to hear Peter Gladwin's remarkable story.

Seriously injured in a house fire as a baby, Peter grew up in a troubled family, with crime, gambling and drugs, stabbed at 15, a victim of a hit-and-run at 24. Then, on the verge of suicide, out of the blue, the good news of Jesus turned his life around.

Hear for yourself at any of the following free events next weekend.

Friday 16th September in Connections (Back Row) from 6pm: join a BBQ and hear Peter's story.

Saturday 17th September CTSV stall in Market Place, 10am-4pm; buy Peter's book.

Saturday 17th September Philiphaugh Community Centre: 5-6.30pm, family pizza event for all ages.

Sunday 18th September 10.30am, special guest event in Selkirk Baptist Church. Posters and flyers available to pick up at coffee after the service.

Saturday 17th September 10-12noon - Denim Upcycle Show

Come along to see the entries and enjoy a cuppa. Entry by donation to WaterAid. Entry forms to be returned by 10th September to Selkirk Parish Church or emailed to office@selkirkiparish.church

Items for display brought to hall between 6 and 7pm on Friday 16th for judging.

Lynda and I are holding a **Pop Up Shop** on Friday 23rd September to raise much needed funds.

If you have any handmade items, or unwanted gifts that we could sell, could you please get in contact with us.

We will also be looking for home baking on the day.

Finally, we need your support, so please spread the word and dare I say it - even get some early Christmas shopping done.

Jacqui Lee.

Church services in our care homes. Please contact David Bethune or Fiona Corbett if you are interested in helping on an occasional basis.

Selkirk Food Bank needs your help. Due to a massive increase in demand for food parcels, we are finding it a problem to maintain stock levels to meet demand. If you can bring one time on a Sunday, it would make such a difference. You are noted for your generosity so I know you will respond positively to this appeal. From Peter Birney. Please see list on coffee tables in the hall.

Forward in Faith House Group

We would welcome new people joining us to share fellowship, prayer and discussion. Please contact Jane Peers (079171 28918) and join in the summer events.

New Recycling Stream

We can now collect **empty blister packs from medication** for recycling. Many of you have asked about this as they cannot be put into our blue bins. The collection box is at the Recycling Point in the Meeting House. Have a look next time you are in Church to remind yourself of all the items we collect. Some raise funds for charities too.

Covid information for attending church, Sundays and Wednesdays.

Hand sanitisers remain available at the doors. Face masks are optional. If you wish to sit at a distance from others, the steward will direct you to a side pew. The offering plate will still be available at the door rather than passed around.