



Selkirk Parish Church

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Notices for week beginning 23rd October 2022

Sunday 23rd October 2022

9.30am – led by Jane Peers – refreshments in hall after service.

In our prayers this week

Church Family

Pray for those who live in Thornfield Avenue, Thornfield Crescent, Thornfield Terrace, Knowepark, Mavis Bank and Curror Street and their Elder/Visitor Cath Henderson

Community

Give thanks for the skills, kindness and patience of all doctors and nurses. Give them energy and empathy for all they do.

World prayer

Pray for World leaders, that God may grant them wisdom to make just decisions which respect the earth and all that lives in it, especially those who are poorest and most vulnerable.

This week

Monday 24th October Open Door 10.30-11.30am for coffee, 12-1pm for lunch

Wednesday 26th October 11am Wednesday worship

Wednesday 26th October 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 27th October 2pm - Join the Church Garden Gang and help keep our grounds tidy. **This week - at The Parish Church**

Next Sunday

30th October – 11am – Joint Service at Kirkhope Parish Church, Ettrickbridge – led by Rev. Scott Guy - Coffee etc from 10.30 am

Dates for your diary

Sunday 23rd October Blythswood shoeboxes due in.

Thursday 27th October 2 pm CAMEO, Sue Briggs, The General Store

Sunday 6th November Singing Group practices begin (see below)

Tuesday 8th November 7pm Kirk Session and Church Leadership Team

Tuesday 15th November 7pm Congregational Board

Friday 11th November Tearfund Big Quiz – (see below)

Oct 30th: Joint Service at Kirkhope Parish Church – 11am – Rev. Scott Guy

Selkirk Sunday Services 9.30am

November 6th: Rev Scott Guy

Nov. 13th: Rev. Scott Guy, Remembrance Sunday

Nov. 20th: Rev. Scott Guy

Nov. 27th: Communion – Rev. Scott Guy

Wednesday services continue at 11am in the Church Hall.

More information

Forward in Faith House Group

All are welcome at Forward in Faith, come and give it a try. Our programme for Isaiah is:

3rd November “A new world” at Orchard Brow, Clerklands.

Fortnightly on Thursdays 7.30-9pm

Jane Peers 07917 128918

Sample Christmas card packs are in the Hall, this morning and for the next 3 weeks. Please place your orders. Proceeds support Christian Aid, Traidcraft, and CAFOD. Please ask Myra for more information.

Singing Group

Christmas Service December 18th – Singing Group practices will begin on November 6th after Morning Service. Anyone who likes to sing is welcome. Ask Rod Ward for details.

Tearfund Big Quiz in our Church Hall on Friday 11th November, 6.45 for 7pm start. Teams of 4 - £20 per team. Refreshments at half-time. To book – call/text Louise on 07901 345548 or just come on the night.

What Matters Hub

A new initiative from SBC is taking place in our building.

Please tell your friends. We hope that some of those who come along may join us at Open Door for coffee or a hot lunch, a welcome and a heat! Please pray that this might be so. Thank you.

Description

What Matters hubs offer drop in session and appointments where you can meet people from Community Groups and Organisations as well as social workers and occupational therapists.

Address: Selkirk Parish Church, High Street, Selkirk TD7 4JX

Date: Third Monday every month (21st November).

Time: 10am-1pm

British Red Cross

Borders Carer's Centre, Alzheimer's Scotland

Borders Independent Advocacy Service; Chest, Heart and Stroke

Domestic Abuse Service; ALiss

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 item 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.

Christmas Day Lunch 2022: 2.30-5.30pm

We have helpers! We are once again planning a Christmas Day dinner. Why not join us this year? **All Welcome** to share a delicious traditional festival meal with all the trimmings, some musical entertainment and friendly chat. Come yourself or bring a friend or family member. Pay what you can between £5 and £10. Please add your name to the list in the Meeting House or contact Myra (Tel.22867) or Fiona (Tel.22687) or at the Church Office (Tel.20078). Lifts are available.

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.