

Harvest Thanksgiving

Order of Service

Welcome/Intimations

MP 732 We plough the fields and scatter

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

MP 106 Come, you thankful people, come

Reading Deuteronomy 8: 1-10

MP 200 Great is Thy faithfulness

Reading John 6: 25-35

MP 147 Fill your hearts with joy and gladness

Prayers for our world

MP 190 God of all ages and Lord for all time

Sermon: Bread of heaven!

Doxology and dedication of offering

MP 201 Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah

Benediction

Threefold Amen

If you are able, please come and join us downstairs in the large hall after the service for tea, coffee and fellowship.

There will be a Harvest retiring offering in aid of Kirkcaldy Foodbank today. Donation envelopes can be found in the pews or in the foyer.

Revd. Donald will be on holiday from Monday 23rd until Monday 30th September.

Crossreach

Please support the work of Crossreach. Calendars £5.50 & Christmas Cards £3.85/£3.95 pack of 10 cards. Today will be the last day for orders. Samples of calendar and cards can be seen on the table in the foyer.



Margaret Glencross

Blythswood Shoe Boxes

We are supporting the Blythswood Care Shoe Box Appeal again

this year. If you would like to help there are leaflets explaining what to do and buy at the office or on the table in the foyer. If you are unable to fill a whole box and would like to donate one or two items they can be placed in the box in the foyer. If

you would prefer to donate some money it can be placed in an envelope marked shoe box appeal and it will be used to help fill a shoe box on your behalf. All contributions should be in by the **end of October at the latest**. Thank you in advance for helping those in need this Christmas.

Kathy Glachan (co-ordinator)

Dates for the diary

Monday 30th September Guild 7pm 'Visit to the Galapagos Islands' with Mike Simpson

Saturday 5th October Coffee Morning 10am - 12noon Come and join us for coffee, tea and home baking.

Sunday 6th October Reflection and Prayer Afternoon There will be a soup and sandwich lunch following the morning service, after which Lynda Wright will lead a time of reflection. As our year of celebration of 200 years of our congregation's life is drawing to an end, we will have the opportunity to reflect on the seasons of its life and give thanks – for the seasons of birthing new ministries, of enjoying them growing and blossoming, of reaping the harvests and of knowing when the time was right to let go and wait for new direction. Our own lives reflect these same seasons and we will have the opportunity to explore this too. We will use reflective prayer and creative engagement during this time together. There will be the opportunity after that and in weeks to come for people to write prayers which will then be formed into 4 creative books by May Snaddon, one for each season. The idea is to have 200 prayers to fill the books but this is not expected to all happen on 6th October.