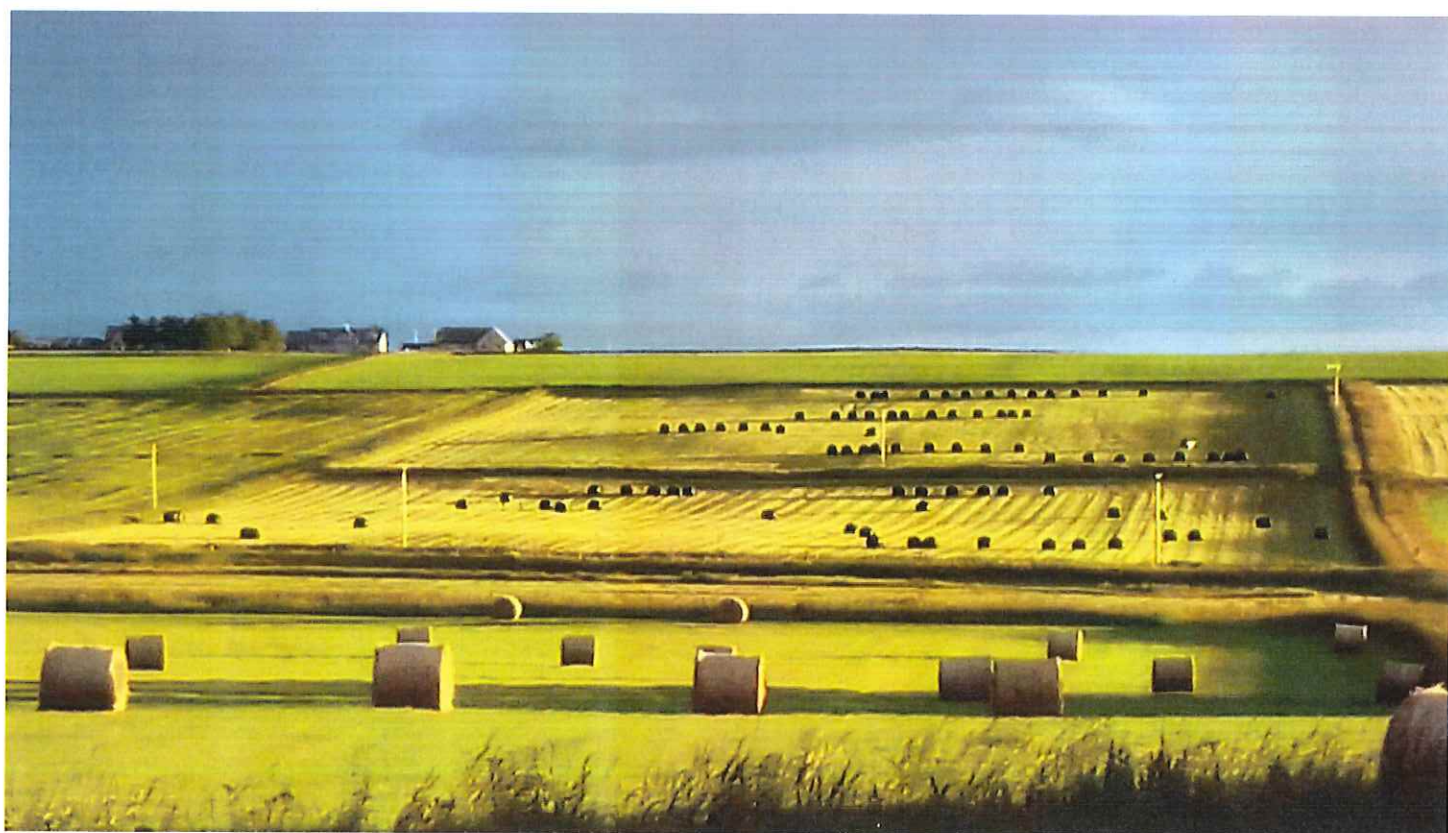


# The Bridge

Balerno Parish Church Magazine



**August-September 2019**

## What's on in August 2019

**Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup>** The Mill re-opens after summer break.

**Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> 10am** Sunday Service followed by refreshments.

**Monday, 5<sup>th</sup>** BVS Animation Workshop in the Ogston Hall.

**Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup>** BVS Animation Workshop in the Ogston Hall.

**7.30pm** Fabric Committee Meeting in the Shepherd Room.

**Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> 10am** Farmers Market Coffee Morning in St Joseph's.

**Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> 10am** Sunday Service followed by refreshments.

**Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> 10am** Sunday Service followed by refreshments.

**Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> 10am** Sunday service followed by refreshments.

**4.30pm** Afrikaner Service followed by refreshments.

## **LETTER FROM THE MANSE**

*My apologies – in my haste to go on holiday I forgot to ask André to write his Letter from the Manse before he went on holiday, and André forgot about it as well! So instead of 'From the Manse' we have a letter from one of our Session Clerks, Malcolm Ogilvie – himself a 'Son of the Manse' so not too far away ...*

'Your Editor challenged me to provide a submission for the Bridge while André, Nanda, Nehan and Henro are taking a well-earned holiday in South Africa'.

Those of you who know me, and my job, will not be surprised when I start by asking you if your glass is half full, or half empty?

I have heard a number of the congregation complaining about two things recently –the roadworks on Bridge Road and the weather - especially the rain, which appears to be incessant!

A few weeks ago, when Dr Hastie led our worship, she challenged us with a number of slides that offered some optical illusions.

We can all see things in different ways.

Do you see the roadworks as a problem, or do you see the replacement of the village water main as a positive move – so that when you turn on the tap or flush the cistern, you have an abundant supply of fresh clean water?

The church unfortunately suffered as a result of the torrential rain that came down a few weeks ago. Our boiler room flooded, damaging our church heating beyond repair.

We hear stories of millions of people across our world having to walk miles to get water or having to queue while waiting for the water to be turned on for a restricted period of time due to drought conditions. Or in some places there is absolutely no water at all.

Let us be thankful that we do have a plentiful supply of water compared to our brothers and sisters elsewhere in the world. Is our over-abundance of water, especially in our boiler room, a small price to pay for us having a plentiful supply of water in the first place? When connecting with God and offering a Prayer of Thanksgiving we might care to suggest to Him that there could be a slightly more equitable distribution of water across the world!

How many references to water are there in the Bible? Is it always mentioned in the same context? What are the metaphorical uses of the word 'WATER'? I am no theologian but the number of times it is mentioned is significant and the various ways in which it is introduced are worthy of thought and contemplation.

I trust that the rather poor weather has not curtailed anyone's holiday experience and that you have had the opportunity to recharge your batteries.

Oh and by the way... my glass is always half full!

Best wishes,  
Malcolm Ogilvie,  
Joint Session Clerk.

### **EDITORIAL:**

Half-way through the year already! Does anyone actually *know* how many references there are to water in the Bible? Has Malcolm set us a challenge? There must be ways of finding out! Answers to The Editor, usual contact numbers or leave a note in my pigeon-hole! Please remember that deadline for

the next Bridge is Sunday 21 September – all contributions gratefully received, full name attached although you can remain anonymous if you wish.

I look forward to hearing from you!

Lesley

## THE GUILD

Although our evening programme finished with an AGM and social evening at the end of March, the Guild has continued to be active during the summer. On Thursday 23 May we had an outing to Peebles, with a lovely lunch in the Tontine Hotel. In the afternoon we went to Traquair House which is the oldest inhabited house in Scotland. As it was a warm, sunny afternoon, after exploring the inside of the house, we sat outside and enjoyed the beautiful gardens.



*Members of the Guild at Traquair. (Photo Morag Lyall)*

The annual Strawberry Tea on Wednesday 26 June raised over £380 for our project. This year we are supporting 'Join Up the Dots,' a Crossreach scheme which aims to alleviate loneliness and isolation in Scotland. Well over 100 people attended and it was a very much enjoyed by everyone.

The new Guild sessions starts on the evening of Wednesday 2 October with a dedication service in the Church followed by tea and coffee in the Ogston Hall. New members are very welcome.

Morag Lyall

The **Annual Church Golf Outing** will be held on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September at Harburn Golf Club. Contact Brian Conway or Allan Woodburn for details.

## PLACE FOR HOPE

Over the last few Sundays there has been an item in the Church notices about 'Place for Hope'. Some of you may not be aware of this organisation or why it has been brought to your attention.

The Church Family, like any family, doesn't always 'sing from the same hymn sheet'! Most of the time civilised discussion and debate will allow a consensus to be arrived at, that will allow positive progress to be made. At a Local Church Review, the Kirk Session and the review team, recognising that it is not always possible to reach a consensus to be arrived at, agreed to engage with 'Place For Hope'. Their mission statement is: *'Place for Hope accompanies and equips people and faith communities so that all might reach their potential to be peacemakers who navigate conflict well.'*

Two members of Place For Hope, Nigel Watson and Fiona Bennett (both ministers) visited our June meeting of your Kirk Session. They described the path they would like us to take, to engage in a full and frank discussion about what is good about our church and what can be improved. To this end they have extended an open invitation to ALL members of our congregation to contact them, to share your thoughts with them. By contacting Nigel, [nigel.g.watson@outlook.com](mailto:nigel.g.watson@outlook.com), you can arrange a personal meeting with him. On Saturday 16 November we are going to hold a conference on the church premises where Nigel and Fiona will chair various discussions about the way forward for our church. The long lead time to this conference is to allow as many people as possible to engage with Place For Hope. This will then allow Nigel and Fiona to plan what format the conference should take.

I am aware that not everyone has access to internet and email to contact Nigel. Please contact Jennifer the Church Administrator who will be happy to contact Nigel on your behalf (this of course would be on a strictly Private and Confidential basis).

Please take this opportunity to express your views about Balerno Parish Church to help foster a positive future for our congregation. If anyone would like any further information please feel free to contact me on 07801 456245 (mobile), 0131 449 6985 (home), [malcolm.ogilvie@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:malcolm.ogilvie@hotmail.co.uk) or leave a message with Jennifer.

Kind regards,

Malcolm Ogilvie, Joint Session Clerk.

**FRESH START SPONSORED WALK...** with a difference! This year Fresh Start is joining in the **KILT WALK** on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September. Team Balerno – Bill Black, Allan and Maureen Woodburn – is joining in and would love to have others joining them. Actually, this year is Fresh Start's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary, so wouldn't it be great to have a team of **20???** All funds raised are matched by the Hunter Foundation by 40% so do think about joining them to raise funds for such a worthwhile cause. There are 3 options: the *Wee Wander* (5 miles) which Team Balerno are doing; the *Big Stroll* (15.5 miles) and the *Mighty Stride* (24 miles). For details, contact Maureen on 449 6343 /email [maureenwoodburn@aol.com](mailto:maureenwoodburn@aol.com)

**Balerno SWI** presents the film 'The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society', on Saturday 7 September at 7.00 pm in the Ogston Hall. Admission by FREE TICKET only, available from The Mill @ St Joseph's. Please donate generously, as funds raised are for Feed the Minds ACWW (Associated Countrywomen of the World) and also Balerno SWI.

Over the summer, Moira Darling has been collecting buttons for **Marie Curie**. Huge bagfuls have been handed into the Church Office. (Donations closed in July). 'On the Button' has been organised by Creative Together, part of Edinburgh City Centre Churches Together. The buttons will be carefully sorted and evaluated by practised volunteers, and matching buttons will be mounted attractively on cards, appealing to button collectors, vintage and craft enthusiasts. There will also be vintage lace and trims on sale. The sale will take place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September, in St Andrew's & St George's West Church on George St. The last one, in 2017, raised £4,500!

## **JEAN VANIER, founder of L'ARCHE 1928-2019**

Jean Vanier was a Canadian Catholic philosopher, theologian, and humanitarian, possibly best known in this country for his work with people with developmental disabilities and those who assist them and his founding of L'Arche (*'rainbow'*).

He was born in 1928, the son of a former Governor General of Canada and during World War II served with first the Royal Navy and then the Royal Canadian Navy. Leaving the Navy in 1950, he studied philosophy and theology, and began to teach. Shocked at the way in which people with learning and developmental difficulties were treated in institutions in France, in 1964 he founded L'Arche (*'rainbow'*), which eventually spread to 37 communities worldwide, beginning in Canada in 1968. He continued to live as a member of the original L'Arche community in Trosly-Breuil, France, until his death on the 7 May 2019. Jean Vanier was an inspiring teacher. Besides writing over 30 books on diverse topics, he received many international honours including being nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize.

L'Arche has links with Edinburgh, with three houses in Edinburgh, in Leith and Restalrig, where people with learning disabilities and assistants live together. Four members live in their own flats in Leith, with a team of assistants providing visiting and sleepover support to meet each person's individual needs. Their website outlines their aims: 'We go beyond supporting people's basic needs to attend to their emotional and spiritual lives, too. It is this focus on building relationships and cultivating a sense of belonging that makes us different from other service providers. L'Arche Communities hold in balance four elements: service, community, spirituality & outreach. Experience has shown us that each element has an important role to play and needs to be present - not only for a Community to be healthy - but in order to make us better at each of the other elements. L'Arche Communities around the world share this common philosophy and approach while reflecting and celebrating the ethnic, cultural and religious composition of the areas in which they exist.'

Go to [www.larche-edinburgh.org.uk](http://www.larche-edinburgh.org.uk) to find out more.

## **News from Other Parishes: At Home...**

On Palm Sunday this year, Boghall Parish Church made a collection of donated warm, waterproof jackets and sleeping bags to be distributed to people in need. Something to bear in mind for the future perhaps?

## **... and Abroad...**

**A new centre for Christian retreat in France, created by a Church of Scotland minister, was blessed last month.**

The blessing of Colomba le Roc, in the Lot region of south-west France, and the dedication of their chapel to St Hild of Whitby, took place on June 9 – the feast day of St Columba and this year the Sunday of Pentecost.

Colomba le Roc is the work of the Rev Joanne Evans-Boiten, a minister who hails from the Netherlands but who is ordained in the Church of Scotland and a member of the International Presbytery. It is a place of hospitality and sanctuary where all are welcome and where daily life is inspired by the Christian faith. Joanne said: “We hope you will find Colomba le Roc to be a safe place where you can shelter for a while and allow yourself to be strengthened and encouraged, so that, refreshed and inspired by God’s love, you can return to your everyday life.”

The centre is ecumenical in outlook, and its liturgy is inspired by the Celtic tradition. Joanne added: “The name Colomba le Roc not only points to the Scottish Celtic Christian tradition, but it also reminds us that the Holy Spirit guides us; that Jesus Christ, through his life and ministry, is the rock on which we build; and that peace, God’s shalom, is what we pray and aim for in life.”

The blessing was carried out by the Rev Irene Bom, Moderator of the International Presbytery, and the ecumenical service of dedication was led by the Vicar General of Cahors, Père Florent Millet. Also involved in the service were representatives of the Russian Orthodox Church, *Eglise Protestante Unie de France*, the Anglican Diocese of Midi Pyrenees-Aude, and the French Evangelical Church. A multi-denominational choir sang in both French and English. Representatives of the church in Athelstaneford, East Lothian, and the Scots International Church in Rotterdam took part in the blessing of the bell.

The service was followed by the traditional French 'vin de l'amitié' and a 'Scottish tea'.

*For more information on Colomba le Roc, write to 510 Chemin du Faurat Belmontet, 46800 Montcuq en Quercy Blanc, telephone 0033 565221311 or 0033 (0)631274990 (mobile) or email [Joanne.evansboiten@gmail.com](mailto:Joanne.evansboiten@gmail.com) or [JEvans-boiten@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:JEvans-boiten@churchofscotland.org.uk)*

### **In the USA ...**

My son Angus and his wife Lynn and their family worship at the Grace Community Fellowship church in Helena, Montana in the USA. Angus teaches teenagers in the Sunday School, and Lynn operates the Prayer Chain. This year, visiting on holiday, we had the privilege of taking Holy Communion with the congregation. The format of the service is very similar to our own, but the serving of Communion was very different. Platters of bread – including small dishes of Gluten-free bread, a delightful surprise for me! – were laid out on the table at the front of the Church, along with two goblets of fruit juice in place of wine. The congregation came up to the table, helped themselves to a piece of bread – then dipped it into the wine before returning to their seats with it. Not good news for me as a Coeliac, as the juice was now contaminated with wheat! So, unusually, I could have the bread but *not* the 'wine', a reversal of my usual situation. The congregation were very warm and friendly, and the service is relaxed and casual with an excellent praise band. Coffee is served before and after the service, there are 'Potluck Mixers' so that people can get to know each other, a Day Hike, a Garden Party, a Christmas Party and occasional Brunches. Something for everyone!

LB

*Have you visited another congregation recently? Are any of your families involved with other Churches? Please write and tell us about them – it's always good to hear about how other congregations work!*

## OUR CURRENT MODRATOR:

Right Rev Susan Brown's successor as Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland for 2019-20 is The Right Rev Colin Sinclair, the minister for Palmerston Place Church in Edinburgh.

Colin grew up in Glasgow, and while attending Glasgow Academy discovered Scripture Union. Reading economics at Stirling University, he enjoyed playing rugby as well as being involved with Christian Union and volunteering with Scripture Union. Having decided to enter the ministry while still at Stirling, Colin delayed starting his ministry studies to work in Zambia for Scripture Union for three years, a life-affirming experience which cemented his faith.

After earning a 1st in Church History from New College, where he also played rugby for the Lions, Colin completed his probation and was ordained at Palmerston Place Church. His first solo parish was a six year stint at Newton in Ayr, after which Scripture Union offered him the job of General Director in the Glasgow office – a job he held for the next 8 years while staying involved in his local parish. In 1981 Colin married Ruth Murray, a medical social worker and the couple went on to have four children - Joanna, now 35, works as Young People's Ministry Leader at Holy Trinity Wester Hailes. Timothy, 31, is the minister at Partick Trinity in Glasgow. Rachel, 28 is International Project Coordinator for Glasgow City Mission and Bethany, 22, is a trainee midwife after working with Africa Inland Mission in the Democratic Republic of Congo. The Sinclairs returned to Parish Ministry at Palmerston Place, in Edinburgh in 1996. Together they ran a Scripture Union holiday camp for teens in the Highlands, at Alltnacriche near Aviemore for 27 years.

Scripture Union still featured in Colin's life, and in 2004 he took on the role of International Chair of Scripture Union, working with 130 SU movements around the world and travelling widely to countries such as Ghana, Peru and the Philippines. Since 1996, he has been the minister at Palmerston Place, where he and Ruth— now grandparents—have offered marriage classes, nurtured a thriving congregation and hosted many groups of students and probationer ministers. Somehow, he also found time to write "The Hitchhikers Guide to the Bible".

*Source: Life & Work*



*'Hello ' from The Mill Café!*

What a wonderful July we have had. I hope that you have all enjoyed holidaying and relaxing where ever you chose to spent it. The Mill has been very fortunate to have 'Amey', the company working in the area with 'City Fibre' offer the man power and different contractors to come and complete projects for us on their 'Community Day'. We are thrilled to start back in August with a newly painted kitchen and toilets. Amey's help did not end there as they provided us with a contractor to extend paving at the front of the St. Josephs hall and a small paved area in the church garden. With great gratitude The Mill Café' extends a big THANK YOU to all who made this possible!

And soooo.... It is with great excitement that The Mill Café announces it's new outdoor seating area. We hope our customers and community will come and enjoy sipping coffee and possibly indulging in a piece of home baking whilst enjoying the glorious outdoors... long may it continue...

*With many thanks,*

*The Mill Cafe.*

*contact: Lynsey Inglis    themillatstjosephs@gmail.com*



## WHO WROTE THAT HYMN?

**June Barbara Boyce-Tillman MBE** is very much a woman of our time. Born in 1943, she is Professor of Applied music at the University of Winchester and was ordained as a deacon of the Church of England in 2006 and as a priest in 2007. A prominent UK academic, she specialises in music, spirituality and theology, particularly women's role in church music.

June read music at St Hugh's College, Oxford, before completing a PhD. Her doctorate on the development of children's musical creativity was widely published nationally and internationally, and a lot of her work has become influential in music education research, especially her use of ideas of well-being, liminality, and ecology. Her work includes research on Hildegard of Bingen and many articles on interfaith dialogue. She is the founder of the Hildegard Network.

Not just an academic, June has performed one-person shows combining music and story-telling across the world and is a composer of religious music. Her compositions and recordings include *The Healing of The Earth* (1997) and *Hildegard of Bingen — A Life Apart* (1996). In March 2008, she conducted the Southern Sinfonia at the Anvil concert hall in Basingstoke, for the premier of her new piece *Step Into The Picture*. This was a collaboration between the University of Winchester, Southern Sinfonia and Hampshire County Council.

She was appointed MBE in the 2008 Birthday Honours.

## CAR ROTA AUGUST / SEPTEMBER

| Date                    | Name             | Tel             | Name              | Tel  |
|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------|
| Aug 4 <sup>th</sup>     | Ian Gidney       | 5230            | Anne Johnston     | 2930 |
| Aug 11 <sup>th</sup>    | Alison Petty     | 4175            | Richard Henderson | 4484 |
| Aug 18 <sup>th</sup>    | Judy Savage      | 5016            | Susan McDonald    | 5756 |
| Aug 25 <sup>th</sup>    | Hector MacDonald | 07419<br>784262 | Elaine McCullough | 5876 |
|                         |                  |                 |                   |      |
| Sept 1 <sup>st</sup>    | Emma Crichton    | 5230            | Anne Shaw         | 3874 |
| Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> pm | Sally Lindsay    | 4987            | Bill Black        | 6707 |
| Sept 8 <sup>th</sup>    | Ken Bisset       | 5812            | Ian Alexander     | 6739 |
| Sept 15 <sup>th</sup>   | Kay Latimer      | 6186            | Sandra Lyall      | 4375 |
| Sept 22 <sup>nd</sup>   | Christina Graham | 4181            | Brian Buchanan    | 5378 |
| Sept 29 <sup>th</sup>   | Jim Goodbrand    | 4517            | Graham Lorimer    | 5099 |
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## FLOWERS:

| Date                 | Donation                         | Recorder       | Arranger             |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Aug 4 <sup>th</sup>  | Mrs J McCracken/ Mrs<br>A Loudon | Mrs L Burt     | Mrs C Adam           |
| Aug 11 <sup>th</sup> | Mrs A Robertson                  |                | Mrs W Williams       |
| Aug 18 <sup>th</sup> | Mr M Ogilvie                     |                | Mrs H Jarvis         |
| Aug 25 <sup>th</sup> | Mrs J Buchanan-Smith             |                | Mrs J Buchanan-Smith |
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| Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> | Miss T Cossar                    | Mrs S Mitchell | Mrs J Mitchell       |

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| Sept 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Mrs W Williams |  | Mrs W Williams |
| Sept 15 <sup>th</sup> | Mr M Oliver    |  | Mrs M Todd     |
| Sept 22 <sup>nd</sup> | Mrs R Murray   |  | Mrs P Tait     |
| Sept 29 <sup>th</sup> | Mrs I Edwards  |  | Mrs C Campbell |
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## FOOD BANK ROTA

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| Aug 26 <sup>th</sup>  | Richard Henderson | 4484 | <a href="mailto:richardhenderson710@btinternet.com">richardhenderson710@btinternet.com</a> |
| Sept 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Emma Crichton     | 5230 | <a href="mailto:emma.ron@blueyonder.co.uk">emma.ron@blueyonder.co.uk</a>                   |
| Sept 23 <sup>rd</sup> | Martin Oliver     | 4263 | <a href="mailto:martin.oliver2@btinternet.com">martin.oliver2@btinternet.com</a>           |

## A PRAYER TO END WITH...

Lord God, You who share our burdens during the day

When cares and anxieties make it difficult to recognise Your presence around  
us,

Help us to exchange our worries and concerns for relief in Your light

And Your loving care for us all.

And in the night, when we look for rest,

Help us to remember that although we are asleep

You are watching over us,

Your never-ending presence still in our hearts and minds.

Amen.

## **What's on in September 2019**

**Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> 10am Sunday Service** followed by refreshments.

**2.30pm Afternoon Service** followed by refreshments.

**Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> 7.30pm Steering Committee** meeting in the Shepherd Room.

**Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> 10am-12noon Vestry Hours**, an opportunity to meet with the Minister.

**Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> Golf Outing** at Harburn Golf Club.

**Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> Balerno SWI, 7pm Film**, in the Ogston Hall.

**Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> 10am Sunday Service** followed by refreshments. Sunday Club.

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 10am-12noon Vestry Hours**, an opportunity to meet with the Minister. **7.30pm Fair Trade Meeting** in the Shepherd Room.

**Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Kirk Session Meeting** in St Joseph's Hall.

**Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Bible Study** group resumes in the Manse.

**Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> 10am Farmers Market Coffee Morning** in St Joseph's.

**Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> 10am Sunday Service** followed by refreshments. Sunday Club.

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> 10am-12noon Vestry Hours**

**Sunday, 22<sup>rd</sup> 10am Sunday Service** followed by refreshments.

**4.30pm Afrikaner Service** followed by refreshments.

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> 10am-12noon Vestry Hours.**

**Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> Dinner Discussion Meeting** in St Joseph's Hall.

**Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Bible Study Group** meet in the Manse.



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