BROOM PARISH
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

FAMILY SERVICE
20TH OCTOBER 2019

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

'ALL MY HOPE ON GOD IS FOUNDED' (CH4 192)

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

'FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH' (CH4 181)

SCRIPTURE READINGS:
PSALM 90: 12-17
HEBREWS 4: 12-16

'ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING' (CH4 147)

SCRIPTURE READING:
MARK 10: 17-31
(READER: MORAG MOFFETT)

'A NEW COMMANDMENT' (JP 303)

SERMON

OFFERING
'BE STILL FOR THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD' (CH4 189)

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

'AND CAN IT BE' (CH4 396)

BENEDICTION

NOTICES

A warm welcome to our Family Service.

All are invited to the Coffee Break in the Columba Hall following the Service.

SUNDAY 27TH OCTOBER: *Rev Dr John McPake, Church of Scotland Ecumenical Officer, will lead us in worship next Sunday.*

KIRK SESSION: *The Kirk Session will meet tomorrow, 21st October, at 7.30pm in the Classroom.*

MID-WEEK SERVICE: *The mid-week Service starts at 10.30am in the Church and is followed by tea/coffee in the Columba Hall. All welcome.*

BIBLE READING NOTES: *Do you take a daily vitamin pill for your health? What about a supplement to boost your spiritual health? If you would like to try some daily Bible notes to help with your Bible digestion please have a word with Jim or Jenny England. We have a wide variety of free sample materials available, (including some in large print).*

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY BAGS: *The Mission and Outreach Committee has put together some activity bags for parents with small children to use in the pew during a service. The activity bags are available in the vestibule. Also, if anyone has any spare Christian children's books at home which you would like to donate for this purpose, we would be very glad to have them. Thank you.*

LIFE AND WORK MAGAZINE: *The order form application for 2020 has to be submitted by 31st October. The subscription price will remain unaltered at £30 for the full year. The magazine contains most useful, informative information and commentary on what is happening in the Church both nationally and locally. To ensure we continue to order the correct number of copies, I will assume you wish to continue with your subscription unless I hear to the contrary by 31st October. Equally please let me know if you now wish to be a new subscriber and receive the magazine. Christine Fyfe.*

DEFIBRILLATOR: *A defibrillator is located in the Columba Hall at the kitchen hatch.*

PRAYER DIARY

In your prayers this week please thank God for the work of ***Open Doors*** *and their work towards building a world where every Christian who is persecuted is remembered and supported by other Christians.*

Please pray for Christians around the world who suffer persecution just for their faith, particularly for those in the three countries where it is considered the most difficult to be a Christian, North Korea, Afghanistan and Somalia.

Please pray also for their seven-year plan to bring hope to the Christians in Iraq and Syria whose lives have been devastated by war that they may have the right to equal citizenship, dignified living conditions and a prominent role in reconciling and rebuilding society.

If you would like the church to include any particular organisation in the weekly prayer list please do let the Church Office know. Jenny England.

Prayer Requests

CHRISTMAS FAIR

SATURDAY 16TH NOVEMBER
10.00AM – 12NOON

Thoughts should now be focussing on planning for our annual fair. All organisations and/or individuals are encouraged to participate by taking charge of a stall. Contact will be made soon with all who use our church premises and with others in the community.

Help will be needed with the tea room, baking stall, books, produce, decorations, bottle stall, preserves and craft items. Let's make this year's fair even better than last year!

More details about any of our events can be discussed with Pat Mackenzie.

CROSSREACH - 150TH ANNIVERSARY: *An invitation is extended to Crossreach's special Service of Celebration to be held in Dunfermline Abbey on Sunday 17th November at 4pm. The Service will be led by the Very Revd Dr Andrew McLellan and will feature a contribution from the Moderator, the Right Revd Colin Sinclair. If you would like to attend, further details are available from the Minister or Church Office.*

THE BIG QUIZ NIGHT: *On the evening of Saturday 16th November churches and other groups up and down the country will be taking part in the biggest multi-venue nationwide quiz ever, on behalf of Tearfund. Newton Mearns Parish Church has invited us to join with them and register a team. Further information from the poster in the vestibule.*

BROOM CARD/CRAFT GROUP: *The group meets on Tuesdays at 2pm in the Columba Hall. Anybody is welcome to join us - bring along your own craft or use our supply of materials to make cards. Alternatively, just join us for a 'cuppa' and a chat any Tuesday afternoon.*

JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOUR DREAMCOAT - FRIDAY 17TH JANUARY 2020: *We are planning on organising a coach to Motherwell to see this show which is being done by Shine Youth Music Theatre (who are returning to Broom this December). Tickets go on sale next month, and we have been advised that they will sell out quickly. We are getting a block booking of 40 tickets (ticket cost is £16, child prices TBC). If you would like to go along please let Aileen know, or contact me directly, Jane Robertson.*

ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH UK FUNDRAISING EVENT: *This event, organised by Yvonne and Linda McAulay, was held in The Garment Factory in Glasgow on 14th September. It was attended by over 200 people and raised £8,109 for Alzheimer's Research UK. The McAulay Family would like to thank members of Broom for their support and generosity.*

ON DUTY TODAY: *Karen Brodie, Alan Gibson, Jim Inglis, Alison Marshall. Reader: Morag Moffett.*

ON DUTY NEXT WEEK: *Bill Brown, Laura Dean, Patsy Durning, David Marsh. Reader: Tom McPhail.*