BROOM PARISH
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

FAMILY SERVICE
14TH MAY 2023

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

'COME, LET US TO THE LORD OUR GOD' (CH4 482)

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

'ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL' (CH4 137)

SCRIPTURE READINGS:
PSALM 115: 1-18
JOHN 14: 15-21
(READ BY TOM CROMAR)

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

SERMON

'WE LAY OUR BROKEN WORLD' (CH4 721)

OFFERING
ANTHEM: 'AS THE BRIDEGROOM TO THE CHOSEN'

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

'YOU ARE BEFORE ME' (CH4 96)

BENEDICTION

NOTICES

A warm welcome to our Family Service

Please join us in the Columba Hall
following the Service for tea/coffee.

KIRK SESSION: *The next meeting of the Kirk Session will be on Monday 15th May at 7.30pm in the Sanctuary.*

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK *runs from 14th - 20th May. Envelopes for donations to Christian Aid will be delivered along with your Communion Invitations and can be returned to Church any Sunday or handed in to the Office. Envelopes will also be available in the Vestibule.*

WEDNESDAY BREAK: *The Wednesday Break meets from 10.30am - 11.30am in the Columba Hall. All welcome to join us for tea/coffee and a chat.*

TIME OUT FOR CARERS: *Voluntary Action East Renfrewshire is looking for volunteers to support local carers with a much needed regular break. As a volunteer you would regularly visit and spend time with the cared-for person at home providing company/doing an activity. All volunteers will be carefully matched with a carer and cared-for person on personality, interests and availability. For further information please contact Jada McGlone -* ***Jada.McGlone@va-er.org.uk*** *or phone 0141 876 9555.*

TURKEY AND SYRIA EARTHQUAKE APPEAL THANK YOU FROM CHRISTIAN AID: *"Thank you for your generous donation of £492 to the Turkey and Syria Earthquake Appeal! Your donation will have a real impact on our global neighbours and we're extremely grateful for your support. We are already working with partners to provide winter kits to people seeking shelter. These kits include plastic sheeting, mattresses, blankets, and heating materials. Every prayer, every gift, and every action brings hope to people hit by disaster. By joining, you are helping people in need rebuild their lives. We truly cannot thank you enough. Especially over this past year, when we've all experienced the rising cost of living and you've still responded generously."*

CORONATION AFTERNOON TEA UPDATE: *A fabulous afternoon was enjoyed by around 100 guests with fun and fizz in full flow. We had some amazing "design a crown" entries who all won a prize.*

A party atmosphere was enjoyed by all, with some fabulous raffle hampers being won by lucky ticket holders. There was a great community spirit and a wonderful team of eager helpers who made this all possible.

Thank you to our Minister, Jim, Stephen, Aileen, Pat and our wonderful catering team who worked tirelessly in the kitchen during the event.

Special thanks to Nicol Estate Agents for our complimentary fizz, Scott Campbell at Asda for supporting us via a community grant which enabled us to put on the event and purchase our Coronation tableware and themed decorations, Rachel Cromar from the Co-op Broom Rd East for supporting our tea room and donating some raffle prizes and of course everyone who donated, participated and attended on the day.

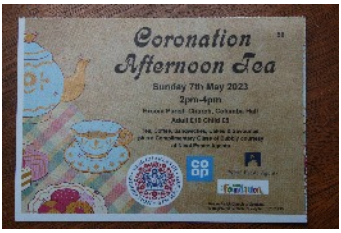
A fabulous event and success for Broom Church.

Huge thanks and well done to all.

Cindy
Events Co-ordinator.

DUTY CONVENOR: *Alisdair Gunn*
ON DUTY: *John Dick, Laura Dean, Tom Cromar*
ORGANIST: *Hugh McAulay*
BIBLE: *Alisdair Gunn*
READER: *Tom Cromar*
LIVE-STREAM OPERATOR: *Cindy Ross*
SCREEN OPERATOR: *Aileen Arnott*

ON DUTY NEXT WEEK: *Christine Gibson, Linda Gemmell, Margaret Carmichael, Karen Nowak.*


Coronation
Afternoon Tea
Sunday 7th May 2023
2pm-4pm