

***BROOM PARISH  
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND***



**ORDER OF SERVICE  
23<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER 2025**

**Introit**

**Call to Worship**

**Hymn CH4 462: ‘The King of Love’**

**Prayer and Lord’s Prayer**

**All-age Talk**

**Hymn SGP 51: ‘In A Byre Near Bethlehem’**

**Scripture Readings:**

**Colossians 1:11-20**

**Luke 23: 33-43**

**(Read by Pam Scandrett)**

**Hymn CH4 453: ‘Christ, Of God Unseen The Image’**

**Sermon**

**Hymn CH4 355: ‘You, Lord Are Both’**

**Offering**

**Prayer of Intercession**

**Hymn CH4 356: ‘Meekness and Majesty’**

**Benediction**

## NOTICES

*A warm welcome to our Family Service which will be followed by tea/coffee in the Columba Hall to which all are invited.*

**SUNDAYS:** *We extend a warm welcome to Revd Dr Graham Blount and Revd Sheila Blount who will lead us in worship this morning and also next Sunday.*

**SERVICE OF LINKAGE:** *What a wonderful evening we had on Thursday which marked the linkage of Broom and Williamwood Churches. A very meaningful service, attended by so many, followed by a celebration in the hall afterwards. One notable observation throughout was the strength of feeling and friendship shared with all who were present. A great start! Thanks to all who helped to make this a significant step as we move forward together.*  
*Pat Mackenzie, Session Clerk.*

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

## **FRIENDS**

*Our next get together is this coming Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> November, when we will have a Scottish themed evening. All are welcome. We meet at 7.30pm in the Ninian Hall.*

## **WINTERFEST AT BROOM CHURCH, SUNDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER:**

*Just to let you know, instead of hosting a Christmas Fair this year, we are combining our "Christmas Switch on Event" with a seasonal Indoor Market and Tearoom. We are also having a few of our favourite stalls and would appreciate donations: Bottle Stall, Chocolate Tombola, BricaBrac (small items), Hamper Treats. Please bring along to Church or hand into the Church Office. Mtende and Card Craft will also join us for a fun filled afternoon in the Columba Hall. The event runs from 2.30pm- 4.30pm with lights on around 4.45pm. Thank you for your continued support. Cindy and The Events Team*

**BRIC-A-BRAC:** *I am running a Bric-a-Brac Stall at the Winterfest and Christmas Light Switch on the 30th November. If you have anything you would like to donate, please hand into the Church Office or give to me on a Sunday. All proceeds go to Christian Aid. Have a clear out!*  
*Joy Ross.*

**CHRISTMAS LIGHTS:** *Thank you to the volunteers who helped put up the lights on Tuesday.*

**BROOM CRAFT GROUP:** *The next meeting of the group will be on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at 2pm in the Columba Hall. This will be the last meeting for 2025 and we will restart on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January. All welcome. Maureen Marshall.*

## **OUTREACH**

*As we approach the festive season our thoughts turn to those in need, who would be pleased to receive specific donations at this time.*

### **Lodging House Mission**

*To ensure that everyone receives a gift on Christmas Day, the Lodging House Mission has published a list of suggested items. Forms detailing the requests are on display in the vestibule. Please give this worthy cause your consideration.*

### **Mtende Community Project**

*Charitable Christmas gifts will make a difference, and there are detailed suggestions and order forms in the vestibule. Over the years you have responded admirably and hopefully will continue to do so.*

*Many thanks! Pat*

**BLYTHSWOOD CARE SHOE BOX APPEAL 2025:** *Once again, we invite you to support this very worthwhile charity. Thank you to everyone who has popped items into our collection box this year. The Appeal officially starts this month. If you would like to make up a shoe box or donate further items please bring them to Church. This is the last week that items can be accepted. Thank you for your continued support. Cindy*

**DUTY CONVENOR:** *Graham Mitchell*

**ON DUTY:** *Pat Mackenzie, Joan Inglis, Karen Nowak*

**BIBLE:** *Graham Mitchell*

**READER :** *Pam Scandrett*

**ORGANIST:** *Hugh McAulay*

**SCREEN OPERATOR:** *Aileen Arnott*

**LIVE-STREAM OPERATOR:** *Cindy Ross*

**ON DUTY NEXT WEEK:** *Jim Inglis, Bruce Durning, Pam Scandrett, Natalie Wallace*

# BROOM PARISH CHURCH WINTERFEST & CHRISTMAS LIGHT SWITCH ON



**30TH NOVEMBER**  
EVENT STARTS AT 2:30PM  
WITH LIGHTS TO COME  
ON AT APPROX 4:30/5PM



**HOT FOOD STALLS**  
**FAMILY FRIENDLY**  
**INDOOR ARTISAN & CRAFT FAYRE - 'ELF'S WORKSHOP'**

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## Breakfast with Santa

Saturday 13th Dec  
9.30am

Columba Hall Broom Church Mearns Road G77 5HN	£6 per child (Incl. gift from Santa) £3 per adult
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**Tickets for the  
Winterfest Tearoom and for Breakfast With Santa  
are now available from the Church Office.**