

***BROOM PARISH  
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND***



***ORDER OF SERVICE  
SUNDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026***

***INTROIT***

***CALL TO WORSHIP***

***HYMN (CH4 449): 'REJOICE! THE LORD IS KING'***

***PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER***

***ALL AGE TALK***

***HYMN (CMP 1008): 'THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD'***

***SCRIPTURE READINGS:***

***JOHN 10: 1-10***

***1<sup>ST</sup> PETER 2: 19-25***

***(READ BY CHRISTINE FYFE)***

***HYMN (CH4 457): 'ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME'***

***SERMON***

***OFFERING***

***PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION***

***HYMN (CH4 459): 'CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS'***

***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.*

**STATED ANNUAL MEETING:** *This short meeting will take place this morning at 11.45am.*

*There will be a special extended coffee break after the morning service and this will also be an opportunity for everyone to meet our Interim Moderator, Rev Neil Watson from Stonelaw Church. I encourage as many of you as possible to attend.*

*Copies of the 2025 Congregational Accounts are available in the vestibule.  
Pat Mackenzie - Session Clerk*

**KIRK SESSION:** *The next meeting of the Kirk Session will be on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm in the Classroom.*

**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.*

## FRIENDS

*The first of our Summer Coffee Evenings will be this coming Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Ninian Hall. All welcome to join us for coffee and a chat. We will meet on the last Tuesday of the month over the summer.*

**MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT:** *A Spring Shopping Event will be held in the Columba Hall this afternoon, 1.30pm - 4.30pm. There will be Bags, Art, Jewellery, Apparel, Crafts, Accessories and much more. Tea/coffee and nibbles will also be available on the afternoon. Entry is free.*

**COFFEE AFTERNOON:** *Thanks to everyone for making the event so successful. Everyone who baked, waited at tables or tidied up - a big "Thank you". £470 went to Mtende. Fiona Gunning is very pleased. I put £500 into Christian Aid. Amazing!  
Joy Ross*

**THANK YOU:** Stephen would like to thank everyone for their support in fundraising for his daughter's World Challenge trip to Nepal in June. Over the weekend £500 was raised.

**BLYTHSWOOD CARE SHOEBOX APPEAL MAY 2026:** Items required for May are moisturising cream, make-up and brush/comb. You can either collect at home, or bring to church. There will be a box in the vestibule for donations.

**2026 HOLYROOD ELECTION HUSTINGS MEETING:** This event will be held tomorrow, 27<sup>th</sup> April, from 7pm - 9pm in St Joseph's RC Church Hall, 2 Eaglesham Road, Clarkston. The meeting will be chaired by Revd Dr Grant Barclay, Clerk to Glasgow Presbytery. A poster is displayed in the vestibule giving further details. Due to restrictions on hall space admission will be allotted on a first come basis.

**LODGING HOUSE MISSION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:** An invitation is extended to the 2026 Annual General Meeting - 'This is Us' - Rooted, Trusted, Intentional' - which will be held on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April at 6pm. It will be an opportunity to hear about the work done at LHM360, followed by entertainment and a buffet.

**LODGING HOUSE MISSION MEAL VOUCHERS:** Lodging House Mission meal vouchers, to hand to a homeless person needing a meal, are available in the vestibule and donations will be passed to the LHM.

**MTENDE COMMUNITY PROJECT:** Mtende Community Project's fundraiser for this year is to drill a borehole in a village with no access to clean water. They get their water from a dirty river. The cost will be around £3,000 and all donations given here will go towards this project.

**SCOTTISH BIBLE SOCIETY 'TRANSFORM' MAGAZINE:** Copies of the new Spring/Summer magazine are available in the Vestibule for anyone who wishes to take a copy.

**DUTY CONVENOR:** *Alisdair Gunn*  
**ON DUTY:** *Bill Brown, Irene Whyte, Tom Cromar*  
**BIBLE:** *Alisdair Gunn*  
**READER:** *Christine Fyfe*  
**ORGANIST:** *Hugh McAulay*  
**SCREEN OPERATOR:** *Aileen Arnott*  
**LIVE-STREAM OPERATOR:** *Cindy Ross*

**ON DUTY NEXT WEEK:** *David Davidson, Alison Marshall,  
Sam McFarlane, Laura Dean*

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

*Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2pm - 4pm*  
***Mtende Community Project Afternoon Tea***



*Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August and Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December*  
***Lumos Experiences Candlelit Concerts***  
*(Following the success of last week's Concert two more dates have  
been booked)*