

***BROOM PARISH  
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND***



***ORDER OF SERVICE  
SUNDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MAY 2026***

***INTROIT***

***CALL TO WORSHIP***

***HYMN (CH4 154): 'O LORD MY GOD' (HOW GREAT THOU ART)***

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

***ALL AGE TALK***

***HYMN (CH4 245): 'IT'S A WORLD OF SUNSHINE, A WORLD OF RAIN'***

***SCRIPTURE READINGS:***

***JOHN 14: 1-14***

***1 PETER 2: 2-10***

***(READ BY HUGH MCAULAY)***

***HYMN (CH4 187): 'THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY'***

***SERMON***

***OFFERING***

***PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION***

***HYMN (CH4 642): 'YE THAT KNOW THE LORD IS GRACIOUS'***

***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.*

**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.*

**EVENTS COMMITTEE:** *There will be a meeting of the Committee in the Columba Lounge following the Service this morning.*

**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.*

**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.*

**JANE HAINING: A LIFE OF LOVE AND COURAGE:** *Mary Miller, who wrote an exceptional biography of Jane Haining, will be speaking about Jane Haining's life and work in Queen's Park Church, where Jane attended, on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>. May at 3pm. This event, organised by the Council of Christians and Jews, is open to all. A flyer is available in the vestibule giving more detailed information.*

**CARE FOR THE FAMILY** is holding an event in Newton Mearns Baptist Church 'Left to their own devices' on 19<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm. It will be packed with tools to help parents and carers as they help their children navigate the often overwhelming world of technology. Leaflets are available in the vestibule giving details of cost and how to book a space at the event.

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

### **Friends Group Coffee Evenings**

These will be held on the last Tuesday of the month over the summer at 7.30pm in the Ninian Hall. All are invited.



### **Mtende Community Project Afternoon Tea**

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2pm - 4pm

### **Lumos Experiences Candlelit Concerts**

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August and Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December

**DUTY CONVENOR:** Alastair Campbell

**ON DUTY:** John Dick, Laura Dean

**BIBLE:** Laura Dean

**READER:** Hugh McAulay

**ORGANIST:** Hugh McAulay

**SCREEN OPERATOR:** Aileen Arnott

**LIVE-STREAM OPERATOR:** Cindy Ross

**ON DUTY NEXT WEEK:** Graham Smith, Linda Gemmell,  
Moira Gray, Karen Nowak.

## **WILLIAMWOOD CHURCH:**

*Undernoted are events being organised by Williamwood Church to which all are invited:-*

*The Guild has arranged an afternoon tea at the Prince and Princess of Wales Hospice at Bellahouston Park on Monday 11th May at 2.30pm. The cost is £20.00. If anyone from the congregation, and friends, would like to join us please speak to Evelyn Graham to add your name to the list. We will be going in cars as in previous years so transport will be arranged. Please advise if you have any special dietary requirements.*

*Our Summer Concerts start, May 31st, June, July and August. Dates and artistes to be advised. Richard Scholfield.*

*After the success of previous Coffee Days there will be another one on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May from 10am to 3pm at 37 Ashfield Road (opposite Carolside Nursery). As there will be no "house-to-house" collection again this year during Christian Aid Week this will be an opportunity to raise much needed funds for Christian Aid's work where there is need around the world. As well as tea, coffee and home baking there will be cards, plants and home baking for sale. All welcome.*