BROOM PARISH
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

ORDER OF SERVICE
SUNDAY 18TH OCTOBER 2026

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN (CH4 132): 'IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE'

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

ALL AGE TALK

HYMN (CH4 543): 'LONGING FOR LIGHT'

SCRIPTURE READINGS:
PSALM 96: 1-9
MATTHEW 22: 15-22
(READ BY HUGH McAULAY)

HYMN (CH4 356): 'MEEKNESS AND MAJESTY'

SERMON

OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

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

BENEDICTION

NOTICES

Our Family Service will be followed by tea/coffee in the Columba Hall to which all are invited.

WELCOME: *A warm welcome to our Family Service, conducted by our Locum, Revd Dr David Graham.*

KIRK SESSION: *The next meting of the Kirk Session will be on Tuesday 27th October at 7.30pm in the Classroom.*

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

BROOM CRAFT GROUP: *The next meeting of the group will be on Tuesday 20th October at 2pm in the Columba Hall. All welcome. Maureen Marshall.*

FRIENDS

The Friends Group will meet on Tuesday, 20th October, at 7.30pm in the Ninian Hall. This week we are having a 'Show and Tell Evening' when members are invited, if they wish, to bring along something that they think will be of interest to the group and say a few words about the item. Everyone welcome.

STAMP COLLECTION FOR RNIB *- the leading sight loss charity in the UK. The Outreach Committee has agreed another charity who will take used stamps. There is a collection box in the vestibule. When saving your stamps, trim carefully around them, leaving approximately one cm paper around the edge. Let us work together to help those who are blind or partially sighted. Thank you to everyone who helped to trim the stamps.*

BLYTHSWOOD CARE SHOEBOX APPEAL OCTOBER 2026: *For the month of October we are being invited to donate packets of sweets, small toys and a wrapped shoebox. You can either collect at home, or bring to church. There will be a box in the vestibule for donations.*

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SUNDAY 29TH NOVEMBER -
CHRISTMAS LIGHT SWITCH ON EVENT
Refreshments will be served from 4pm followed by the Switch On at 5pm
Ticket - £2

SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER - 9.30AM
BREAKFAST WITH SANTA
Tickets - Child £6 to include a gift from Santa, Adult £3

TICKETS FOR THE ABOVE EVENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM NEXT SUNDAY

Lumos Experiences will be presenting a Christmas Candlelit Concert in Broom Church on Friday 11th December at 7pm and 9pm
Tickets can be booked at lumos-experiences.com

DUTY CONVENOR: *Graham Smith*
ON DUTY: *Pauline Davidson, Bill Brown, Moira Gray*
BIBLE: *Graham Smith*
READER: *Hugh McAulay*
ORGANIST: *Hugh McAulay*
SCREEN OPERATOR: *Aileen Arnott*
LIVE-STREAM OPERATOR: *Cindy Ross*

ON DUTY NEXT WEEK: *Alastair Campbell, John Dick, Irene Whyte, Jennifer Barclay*

WILLIAMWOOD GUILD: *The Guild meets fortnightly in the Session House at 2pm.*

October	*19*	*City Mission - Fiona MacKay*
November	*2*	*The story of Eleanor Roosevelt - Liz Allan*
	16	*Black Door Shop, Giffnock - Stephen Bennett*
	30	*Baking Demonstration - Sheila Oakes*
December	*14*	*Christmas Lunch - Eglinton Arms Hotel, Eaglesham*

We do hope that you will give serious consideration to our new syllabus. Please come along to any of the meetings which are of interest to you, we will be very pleased to see you. As I am sure you will know, the Guild is open to men and women, everyone will be made most welcome. We always have a time of chat after our meetings over tea/coffee and biscuits and sometimes cake.

If you would like to join us for Christmas Lunch at the Eglinton Arms Hotel, Eaglesham, please speak to myself or any Guild member. We are hoping that members from the congregation will join us. The cost is £25.00, exactly the same as last year, which includes a two course meal, tea/coffee and tablet and a gratuity for the hotel.

Looking forward to seeing you at any or all of our meetings.

Evelyn Graham
Williamwood Church Guild Convenor