

AIRDRIE ACADEMY – WINTER PROJECT

Mrs. Lynn Carlin would like to thank all the wonderful generous people in the local churches who donated gift and school items before Christmas.

A new appeal this winter is to gather new re-usable water bottles to give to kids who might not otherwise be able to get one.

The idea is to use them in school at the water fountains, to try and encourage them to stay away from energy drinks.

If you are able to help, please bring them along any Sunday as they have started to gather them in and issue to the pupils who require them. Further information from Eleanor.

Housekeeping:



Mobile phones should be placed in “silent mode” OR switched off.



No photography / video is allowed during the service.



Hymn books are available from welcome team if this is your preference. Please ask for one.

If you are able, please stand for items marked with **

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Intimations should be communicated to David Walker by 6:00 p.m. on Thursday evening - 747075, or email dwalker.davros@outlook.com

THE NEW WELLWYND PARISH CHURCH, AIRDRIE

Sunday, 26th January, 2025

3rd Sunday after Epiphany:

Sacrament of Baptism

We welcome everyone to this morning's service being led today by Revd Murdo C. Macdonald and the family and friends of Harris Climson and Jess Elizabeth Margaret Thomson who are being baptised today

Gathering music

As you listen to the music around us, we ask you to prepare your heart, mind and spirit as an offering of our worship together in this sanctuary in a time of stillness.

SUPPORT OUR WORK!

New Wellwynd is wholly dependent on offerings and donations to support our mission of sharing the Good News.

If you missed the offering plate in the vestibule on your way in, there is a plate which can be used for donations on the table opposite the organ console as you leave the sanctuary to go out or through to the hall.

Alternatively, to make a donation to us via a secure link through our website, open your smart phone camera, scan the QR code opposite and follow the link. Giving in this way means that you can also indicate whether or not you wish us to obtain Gift Aid on your donation.

Thank you!



ORDER OF SERVICE

**** Entry of the Bible**

Choir Introit MP 307: I will enter his courts ...

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

**** Hymn CH4 22: The Lord's my light and saving health ...**
[TUNE: BISHOPHORPE]

Opening Prayer
& Lord's Prayer

All : **Our Father**, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
for thine is the Kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Prologue to Baptism

**** Hymn CH4 631: A little child the Saviour came ...**
[TUNE: COMMANDMENTS]

Sacrament of Baptism

**** The Apostles' Creed**

**** The Aaronic Blessing**

**** Hymn CH3 418 : Jesus loves me, this I know ...**
[TUNE: JESUS LOVES ME]

Bible Reading:

Luke 4: 14 - 21
[NEW TESTAMENT: PAGE 78 approx.]

**** Hymn CH4 279:**

Make way, make way ...
[TUNE: MAKE WAY]

SERMON

Offering & Doxology

**** Doxology CH4 505: All that I am, all that I do ...**
[TUNE: ALL THAT I AM]

Prayers of Dedication and Intercession

**** Hymn CH4 396:**

And can it be ...
[TUNE: SAGINA]

**** BENEDICTION & Threefold Amen**

Organ Postlude

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If you are able, please come round to the Large Hall and join us for a time of extended fellowship with each other at the Tea Fellowship.



What's On

Today –

- Tea / Coffee are available after morning worship in the Large Hall.
- The **Flower Calendar for 2025** is available this morning. There are still dates available to be filled.
- **Newsletter Distributors** are asked to pick up their **FEBRUARY / MARCH** Edition of **The New Wellwynder** from the Church Office.

MONDAY, 27th JANUARY 2025

- **Members of the Congregational Board** hold their next meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Session Room.

TUESDAY, 28th JANUARY, 2025

- The **In Stitches craft group** meet in the session room from 10:00a.m. until 12 Noon. If you are interested – please come along, you will be made most welcome.
- The **Senior Circle** have their meeting in the Session Room today. Tea/coffee and a chat from 1.30p.m. -2:00p.m. The speaker today is **George Randall**.

WEDNESDAY, 29th JANUARY 2025

- Our mid-week service **Delve in at 12** is today at **12 Noon**. This will be led by **Eleanor Hamilton, Probationer Minister**. Tea / Coffee will be available in the Large hall following the service.
- The **Bible Study Group** meet in the **Blue Room at 7:30p.m.** to start their study of the **Book of James**. This is an informal group and everyone interested in joining would be made most welcome.

THURSDAY, 30th JANUARY 2025

- **St. Columba's** is holding a **Scots Afternoon** starting at 1:30p.m., to which we've received an invitation to join them. There will be the **singing of the familiar songs** (not letting our heritage disappear), followed by a **wee cup of tea and home baking**. If you are free, please make room for it in your diary.

FRIDAY, 31st JANUARY 2025 -

- The **SNACK BAR** open from 10:00a.m. until 1:00p.m.. Last orders 12:45p.m.
- The **ART CLUB** meets in the Upper Hall from 2:00p.m. – 4:00p.m.. All welcome.

SATURDAY, 1st FEBRUARY 2025 –

- The **Monthly Coffee Morning** takes place in the Large Hall from 10:00a.m. until 12 Noon. All Welcome – please join us for some fellowship over a cup of tea or coffee and some home baking.

SUNDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2025 – 4th Sunday after EPIPHANY

- **Morning Service** will be held at 11:00a.m., our Interim Moderator, **Rev. Murdo C. Macdonald** will conduct the service. Tea / Coffee are available after morning worship in the Large Hall.
- Eleanor is on leave from 1st - 8th February 2025 – for any urgent pastoral matters – please contact Revd. Murdo Macdonald – Email - murdo.macdonald@churchofscotland.org.uk or Telephone - **07714 016 805**.

TUESDAY, 4th FEBRUARY 2025 –

- The **CAMEO Group** meet in the **Session Room at 7:30p.m.**.. Tonight they will celebrate the Bard with their **Burns Supper**. All Welcome.

WEDNESDAY, 5th FEBRUARY 2025 -

- Our mid-week service **Delve in at 12** is today at **12 Noon**. This will be led by **Rev. Margaret F. Currie, Minister of St. Columba's Church**. Tea / Coffee will be available in the Large hall following the service.
- The **Bible Study Group** meet in the **Blue Room at 7:30p.m.** to continue their study of the **Book of James**. This is an informal group and everyone interested in joining would be made most welcome

FOODBANK DONATIONS -

Our collections for the foodbank continue – items urgently required for this week are the following - snack pasta or noodles, tinned macaroni or tinned spaghetti.

PRAYER SQUARE MINISTRY

Our **In Stitches Craft Group** continues to keep busy knitting and crocheting prayer squares. Each one comes with a wee prayer. Anyone can take one either for themselves, or to take and give to someone they think may need it. It might be nice if visiting elders also took one when they visit folk.