

What is Tearfund?

Tearfund is a Christian charity which partners with churches in more than 50 of the world's poorest countries. We tackle poverty and injustice through sustainable development, by responding to disasters and challenging injustice. We believe an end to extreme poverty is possible. Thousands of people needlessly suffer and die every day because of poverty. But that's not God's plan for the world. And God is calling you – all of us, to reach out to people in greatest people.

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Our Mission

Our mission is to follow Jesus where the need is greatest, responding to crises and partnering with local churches and organisations to help people lift themselves out of poverty.

Our Vision

Our vision is to see people freed from poverty, living transformed lives, and fulfilling their God-given potential.

As we pursue this vision, we have four main focuses:

Meeting emergency needs

• We respond quickly to meet immediate needs when crises and disasters hit vulnerable communities.

Mobilising churches

• We envision, empower and equip churches to play their part in the development and transformation of their communities.

Transforming communities

• We support communities to become resilient to shocks and stresses and work towards a better future for themselves and others.

Changing society

 We seek to Influence and change social, political, and economic systems and policies so that the poorest communities can get the services and opportunities they need to thrive.

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THE NEW WELLWYND PARISH CHURCH, AIRDRIE

Sunday, 22nd September, 2024 18th Sunday after Pentecost

We welcome everyone to this morning's service being led by Eleanor Hamilton, Probationer Minister.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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.

Lighting of Candle

** Entry of the Bible

Choir Introit MP 441: Let there be love shared among us ...

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

** Hymn CH4 510:

Jesus calls us here to meet him ...
[TUNE: BLAENWERN]

Opening Prayer

All Age Address Children's 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.

** Hymn CH4 547: What a friend we have in Jesus ...

[TUNE: CONVERSE]

Bible Readings: Psalm 1

[Old Testament: Page 538 approx.]

Mark 9: 30 - 37

[New Testament: Page 58 approx.]

** Hymn MP 50: Be still, for the presence of the Lord ...

[TUNE: BE STILL]

SERMON

Reflection – Make me a channel of your peace

** Hymn CH4 694: Brother, sister let me serve you ...

[TUNE: SERVANT SONG]

Prayer of Intercession

Offering & Doxology

** Doxology CH4 802: We are here to praise you ...

[TUNE: WE ARE HERE TO PRAISE YOU]

Prayer of Dedication

** Hymn MP 954: We are marching in the light of God ...

[TUNE: SIYAHAMBA]

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.

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!

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.

What's On

TUESDAY, 24th SEPTEMBER, 2024 –

- 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 from the **Maggie Centre Lanarkshire.**

WEDNESDAY 25th SEPTEMBER 2024 -

- Our mid-week service **Delve in at 12** takes place at 12 Noon. This service will be led by **Rev. Murdo Macdonald**, Interim Moderator.
- The third of our **AUTUMN BIBLE STUDY** featuring "THE CHOSEN" starts this evening in the Session Room at 7:30p.m. If you are interested in joining please come along. **Everyone Welcome.**
- Items for the OCTOBER / NOVEMBER Edition of The New
 Wellwynder should be with George Randall Editor TODAY!

FRIDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER 2024 -

- The SNACK BAR & NEARLY NEW are CLOSED today re-opening on Friday 4th October 2024.
- The **ART CLASS** continues its new session in the Upper Hall from 2:00p.m. 4:00p.m.. All welcome.

SUNDAY, 29th SEPTEMBER, 2024 -

- Morning Worship begins at 11:00a.m. and will be led by **Eleanor Hamilton, Probationer Minister**.

TUESDAY, 1st OCTOBER, 2024 -

- The **CAMEO** Group will meet in the **Session Room at 7:30p.m.**.

WEDNESDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2024 -

- Our mid-week service **Delve in at 12** takes place at 12 Noon. This service will be led by **Eleanor Hamilton**, Probationer Minister.

- The fourth of our **AUTUMN BIBLE STUDY** featuring "**THE CHOSEN**" starts this evening in the Session Room at 7:30p.m. If you are interested in joining – please come along. **Everyone Welcome.**

FOODBANK DONATIONS -

Our collections for the foodbank continue – items urgently required for this week are the following - tinned meat, tinned fish and tinned vegetables.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING WEEKEND



TODAY – As intimated last week, the Kirk Session have agreed to support **Tearfund** as our **Harvest Thank-offering**. Included in your order of service this morning is your Harvest Thank-offering envelope. Please return this to the church either on **Saturday 5**th or **Sunday 6**th **October**.



SATURDAY 5th OCTOBER 2024 -

- Our Monthly Coffee morning will take place in the hall from 10:00a.m. until 12 Noon. All welcome
- The Flower Team will be available in the crush hall from 10:00a.m. until 12 Noon to accept your gifts of flowers to decorate the church. After morning worship, these flowers will be delivered to our Housebound members
- Eleanor Hamilton will be available in the Creche Room to accept your Harvest Thank-offering envelopes on behalf of Tearfund.

SUNDAY 6th OCTOBER 2024 -

- Morning service is at 11:00a.m. when we celebrate Harvest Thanksgiving and the Sacrament of Baptism. The service will be conducted by Eleanor Hamilton and Rev. Eleanor McMahon who has participated in worship with us earlier in the year.