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THE NEW WELLWYND PARISH CHURCH, AIRDRIE

Sunday, 5th January, 2025 2nd Sunday after Christmas

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



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.

ORDER OF SERVICE

** Entry of the Bible

Choir Introit: Come and hear the joyful singing ...

[TUNE: NOS GALAN]

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

** Hymn CH4 306: O come, all ye faithful ...

[TUNE: ADESTE FIDELES]

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.

All Age Address

** Hymn CH4 448: Lord the light of your love is shining ...

[TUNE: SHINE, JESUS, SHINE]

Bible Readings: Psalm 147: 1 – 7, 19 - 20

[OLD TESTAMENT: PAGE 626 approx.]

John 1: 1 - 14

[NEW TESTAMENT: PAGE 116 approx.]

** Hymn CH4 600: Spirit of God, unseen as the wind...

[TUNE: SKYE BOAT SONG]

SERMON – With, not for

** Hymn CH4 316: Love came down at Christmas ...

[TUNE: GARTAN]

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 CH4 324: Angels from the realms of glory ...

[TUNE: IRIS]

** BENEDICTION & Threefold Amen

Organ Postlude

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There is no Tea Fellowship this morning.

What's On

Today -

- The Flower Calendar for 2025 is available this morning.

What's On (cont'd) -

WEDNESDAY, 8th JANUARY 2025

Our mid-week service Delve in at 12 resumes 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.

SUNDAY 12th JANUARY 2025 – 1st Sunday after EPIPHANY

 Morning Service will be held at 11:00a.m., led by Eleanor Hamilton, Probationer Minister.
 Tea / Coffee are available after morning worship in the Large hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY -

SENIOR CIRCLE - A gentle reminder. Our first meeting when we come back on **Tuesday 14 January 2025** is entitled **Our Favourite Things**.

Between now and 14 January, we would like you to think of something that is special to you and you would like to share with us – you can bring it along to show us if you want. If you can't think of anything physical, you may have a memory or holiday or other event that is special to you that you want to share. We hope many of you will take part in this but there is no pressure on anyone to do so and remember, even if you are not contributing anything, you still come along and listen.



Our Christmas Appeal this year was for Home Comforts NL.

Maggie Weir is delighted to report that through your kindness the donation of **219 items** and **£202.00** were raised for the charity.

Additionally, at the Christingle and Watchnight Services the sum raised from the special offerings uplifted totalled £355.95.

Many thanks for your generous support.

FOODBANK DONATIONS -

Our collections for the foodbank continue – items urgently required for this week are the following – tinned rice, tinned custard and tinned fruit.

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.