

# Bellshill Central Parish Church

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## Sunday 22nd January 2023 at 11am Morning Service

We hope you enjoy worshipping God with us and feel at home in our  
Christian community.

**Today our service is led by our Minister, Rev Kevin de Beer.**

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Welcome and notices

## **HYMN 802**

**We are here to praise You**

*Call to worship*

Listen up, everyone!

God has given us work to do.

**God has called each of us  
Before we were even born.**

It was God who named us.

**It is God who claims us.**

The light of God's love  
shines in us.

**Let's shine God's love into all  
the world!**

Let us worship the Lord!

## **HYMN 543**

**Longing for light, we wait in  
darkness**

Prayer and Lords prayer

ALL AGE TALK

## **HYMN 516**

**We are marching in the light  
of God**

Reading Isaiah Isaiah 49:1-7

*Elspeth Dornan*

## **HYMN 30 (t. 688)**

**I waited for the Lord my God**

## **SERMON**

What do you want?

## **HYMN (t. 718)**

**O Jesus, you were born to be**

Offering and Dedication of  
Offerings

Prayers of Concern, for others  
and for ourselves

## **HYMN 459**

**Crown Him with many crowns**

Benediction & Spoken Amen

**Sung blessing MP 460**

**May God's blessing**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father which 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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen

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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT BELLSHILL CENTRAL PARISH CHURCH.** Whether you join us in person or online, come every week, are here for the first time or the first time in a long time, a very warm welcome to you today.

Church Services are available on [www.bellshillcentral.church/watch-live](http://www.bellshillcentral.church/watch-live) and broadcast through live stream.

### **COVID – HEALTH & HYGIENE**

Please remember that cold, flu and covid will be on the rise again in the coming months and you should all take precautions.

It is advisable not to attend Church with symptoms- this will help stop the spread.

The use of hand sanitiser upon entering and leaving the building is encouraged.

Masks are still available should anyone require them.

**DUTY ROTA FOR 2023** – is available on the East side table, for collection. Can those on door duty please be at Church before 10.30am. Thank you.

**BIBLE READING ROTA** – Today Elspeth Dornan, Next week Hugh Ainsley

**YOUNG CHURCH** meets today, children can meet in church or in the hall.

**PRAYERS @ 7** – continues tonight with a short posting at 7pm online via: [www.bellshillcentral.church/category/prayer-items/](http://www.bellshillcentral.church/category/prayer-items/)

**OFFERINGS** – if you wish to change to bank transfer speak to June Cook or Zandra Swan. **GIFT AID**, if you are a UK taxpayer, we can claim back 25p for every £1 you donate. Please see June for more info to take part.

**BURNS LUNCH** takes place after the Church Service today. Cost is only £5 for your Haggis, Neeps and Tattie Pie and accompanying goodies, including shortbread, tunnocks, tea, coffee and Irn Bru. There may be places available see Jane and the team ASAP.

**WEEK OF PRAYER** – we are holding a short service of prayers, readings and hymns **TODAY** at 3pm. Our prayer team will take part along with representatives from other churches in Bellshill. **PLEASE COME BACK TO JOIN US – ALL ARE WELCOME.**

**THE GUILD** – Monday 23rd January at 1.30pm for a Burns Celebration in the Church Hall. No afternoon meeting on 30<sup>th</sup> January (see below)

**A CHOIR CONCERT** organised by the Bellshill Central Guild on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January at 7pm with the Saffronhall Singers from Hamilton Old Parish Church. All welcome to come along, and bring a friend! **IT IS COMPLETELY FREE!! JUST A DONATION OVER TEA!**

**ONLINE PRAYER ROOM** –tomorrow at 7.30pm via Zoom. Codes from Kevin. No meeting on 30<sup>th</sup> due to concert (see above)

**GUIDING UNITS** – Rainbows Tuesdays at 6pm, Guides Thursdays at 7.45pm and Brownies Thursdays at 6pm.

**BOWLS & CHOIR** – meets on Wednesdays at 2pm and 7pm respectively, and new members would be made most welcome.

**KIRK SESSION AND CONGREGATIONAL BOARD** meets in the Church on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm. A full attendance is requested.

**ONC DONATIONS** – You are encouraged to bring along something today. There is a box in the vestibule each week if you want to drop off non-perishable food stuffs for the Neighbourhood Centre.

**PASTORAL CARE** – Please take time to keep in touch with folks, and let Kevin know of anyone needing a visit with him.

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### **NEWS FROM ELSEWHERE**

YMCA Come together scheme, offers a place of warmth, tea/coffee, a bowl of soup - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursdays 10am – 2pm. All welcome.

	<b>DOOR</b>	<b>FLOWERS</b>	<b>COUNT</b>
22/1/23	Jessie Bence Helen Daly	Peggy Walker Annette Mather	Peggy Walker Tom Taylor
29/1/23	Sheena Bowman Liz Morton	Lesley Marshall June Cook	Zandra Swan Ian Gibb