

Bellshill Central Parish Church

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Sunday 5 March 2023 at 11 am
Morning Worship

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

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Welcome and notices

MP 38 As we are gathered

CALL TO WORSHIP

Stanley Cook

We can trust God.

**God is like the mountain:
rock solid.**

God loves all the people:
**The poor, the disabled, the
outcast, the stranger.**

We can depend on God.

**God feeds the hungry, heals the
sick, and restores relationships.**

Praise our Loving God.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Hallelujah!

**MP 249 How lovely on the
mountains**

Prayer and Lords Prayer

Lorna Watson

**HYMN 564 Jesus loves me this
I know**

ALL AGE TALK

**SONG If you're happy and you
know it**

Readings: Mark 7:20-23

1 John 1:8-10, Psalm 130

MP 181 God forgave my sin

SHORT REFLECTION

MP 59 Blessed Assurance

Offering

Dedication of Offerings

Prayers for others

led Sheena Bowman &

Lynne Swan

BUILD A BRIDGE OF HOPE

Jim Mackie

**MP 296 I stand amazed in the
presence**

Blessing – *Zandra Swan*

SUNG BLESSING

You shall go out with joy

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.

IF YOU NEED PASTORAL COVER PLEASE CONTACT STANLEY COOK, NOT THE MANSE. STANLEY'S INFO IS ABOVE.

Church Services are available on www.bellshillcentral.church/watch-live and broadcast through Facebook live stream.

COVID – HEALTH & HYGIENE

Please remember that cold, flu and covid still is on the rise, 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.

JOINT SERVICES – As part of a joint working group consisting of Bellshill Central, Bellshill West and Bothwell Parish Churches a series of joint services have been agreed as follows:

- **Bellshill Central Parish Church 11 am - Sunday 12 March**

- Bellshill West Parish Church 11 am - Sunday 26 March

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated at all of these services.

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

BIBLE READING ROTA – Today: Helen Daly. Sunday 19 March: Elspeth Dornan

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

PRAYER BOOK is back at the front door of the Church, please write any names or situations that need a wee prayer offered.

NEXT MAGAZINE – please pick up your packs for delivery on the East side table – please note there are some changes to district lists.

TEA and COFFEE is served after the service today and next week.

BOARD AND SESSION – meeting straight after the service today and also on Thursday 16 March at 7 pm. A full attendance is requested.

HEART & SOLE walk takes place after church today. Bring something eat for after church and we'll set off soon afterwards!

THE GUILD – tomorrow at 1.30 pm. This will be a fun bingo afternoon. Tea/Coffee and Friendship served afterwards! New members always welcome. A warm welcome to men too!

ONLINE PRAYER ROOM – There will be no online meeting tomorrow. Resumes next week.

RETIRING OFFERING will be uplifted on Sunday 12 March.

STATED ANNUAL MEETING – being held after worship on Sunday 19 March.

POTTS EASTER EGG APPEAL – donations of Easter Eggs for the “Eggstravaganza” can dropped off at the East Side table. **Deadline Sunday 19 March.**

150 ANNIVERSARY – If you have any pictures/info from either side of our history (Macdonald or Orbiston) please pass to Jane, Peggy or Alan.

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

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

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.

ONC DONATIONS – There is a box in the vestibule each week if you want to drop off non-perishable food stuffs for the Neighbourhood Centre.

	DOOR	FLOWERS	COUNT
5/3/23	Bobby Walker Jim Mathew	Liz Morton Sheena Bowman	Drew and Jane Aitken
12/3/23	Lorna Watson, Lynne Swan, Liz Morton & Iain Gibb	Helen Daly Jessie Bence	Zandra Swan Iain Gibb