

Cafe Church

This Sunday



Sunday 30th June 2024
St Leonard's Lasswade

All the difference in the world

lcc. Frontline Sundays

The church is a body of people gathering together and scattering out into the world. Despite being few, Christians can make a difference wherever they are, whatever they do, whoever they are. We are the church on mission – gathered and scattered – and we make all the difference in the world.

Upcoming EVENTS

Being part of St Leonard's and St Mary's is more than just turning up on a Sunday its about being part of a great church family as well as having opportunities to fellowship and fun together. We invite you to take part in some or all of the following events:

July

Sunday July 28th July - Strawberry Tea
at St Leonard's- 2-4pm. £4 Adult, £2 Child

August

Sunday 18th St Mary's Church Lunch 11.30 –1pm
Sunday 25th St Leonard's Church Lunch 11.30-1pm

September

Friday 6th September - Quiz Night
at St David's Church Hall, Dalkeith 7pm

October

Saturday 5th October - Harvest Supper with entertainment -
at St Leonard's

November

Friday 15th November - Scots/Ukrainian Evening
at St Leonard's, 7pm

December

Saturday 7th December - Christmas Fair
at St Mary's, 10am-2pm

Welcome

opening video taster

Where are we?

Map and pins Exercise

Prayer

Hymn **As we are gathered** (words on screen)

Confession

Let us be still before the Lord
Rest quietly in his presence -
Listen...

Let us bring before the Lord
the words that may have hurt
and all those left unsaid;
the anger we have felt
and resentment we have fed.
Let us be still before the Lord
Rest quietly in his presence -
Listen...

The Lord is slow to anger
willing to forgive full of Grace.
Draw near to him
rest quietly in his presence -
Listen...

Listen to **What gift of grace**

Reading 1 Peter 1 1-2

Opening thoughts

Group Activity 1

What is it like to be church together?

What do you notice and feel about the **gathered red dots**?

How are we distinct as a gathered people of God?

As a gathered people, what do we believe that distinguishes us from our neighbours and daily contacts?

What behaviours are different to our neighbours and daily contacts?

Group Activity 2

Where am I during the week?

What do you notice and feel about the **scattered red dots**?

Talk together about the specific places where each of you is scattered during the week?

What is your experience of being a Christian there?

Intercessions 1

Personal and Local

Identify one thing for which you can give thanks

Identify one thing you would like God to do in one of your specific places

Please agree to pray for those with whom you have shared in your group this week

Intercessions 2

National & International

Think and pray about the concerns of the nation, and of the wider world.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread;
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Do not bring us to the time of trial
but deliver us from evil
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.

Hymn: **Behold the Lamb** (words on screen)

Eucharist

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to God our loving creator

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you,

God of all creation;

in your love you made us for yourself.

When we turned away you

did not reject us,

but came to meet us in your Son.

You embraced us as your children

and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.

In Christ you shared our life

that we might live in him and he in us.

Jesus opened his arms of love upon the cross

and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.

On the night he was betrayed,
at supper with his friends
he took bread, and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to them, saying: Take, eat;
this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

**We do this in remembrance of him:
his body is the bread of life.**

At the end of supper,
taking the cup of wine,
he gave you thanks, and said:
Drink this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you
for the forgiveness of sins
do this in remembrance of me.

**We do this in remembrance of him:
his blood is shed for all.**

As we proclaim Jesus' death
and celebrate his rising in glory,
send your Holy Spirit upon us,
and on this bread and this wine
that they may be to us
the body and blood of your dear Son.

**As we eat and drink these holy gifts
make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.**

With your whole Church throughout the world
we offer you this sacrifice of praise
and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord
Hosanna in the highest**

Breaking of the Bread

As we break this bread and drink this wine
Our Lord Jesus stands before us, with arms outstretched
He invites us to receive his gifts and to remember him

Distribution of Communion

*All are welcome to receive bread and wine
as it is passed around the tables*

Prayer after Communion

Give Thanks to the Lord for he is gracious
And his mercy endures for ever

Blessing

May the love of God be the passion in your heart;
May the joy of God be your strength when times are hard;
May the presence of God be a peace that overflows;
May the Word of God be the seed that you might sow.
and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the
Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.
Amen

Hymn: **Here I am Lord** (*words on screen*)

Closing Prayer

Thank you, Father God, that we are your church,
the Body of Christ in the world
We are grateful for our Sunday life and the worship that equips
us for the days when we are apart
Help us to see afresh the possibilities of our everyday lives
May we know your presence with us in the pressures and
potential of the coming week
Help us to leave traces of grace wherever we are,
and in whatever we do
Amen



THURSDAY 4TH JULY AT 7PM AT DALKEITH BAPTIST CHURCH

YOU'RE INVITED

Join the **Watoto Children's Choir** as they sing, dance, and share their stories of restoration & hope.



Remember,
I need
photo ID
to vote

Thu 4th July



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Driving licences



Certain travel cards

No ID? Apply for a Voter Authority Certificate

electoralcommission.org.uk/voterID

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The
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Our Rector's day off is usually a Monday