Recessional :

May God's blessing surround you ...

May God's blessing surround you each day, As you trust him and walk in his way. May his presence within guard and keep you from sin, Go in peace, go in joy, go in love. (Cliff Barrows)(© 1982 Cliff Barrows)

<u>The New Wellwynd Rarish Church of Scotland, Airdrie</u> 27th May, 2018

PRAYER before Worship : Dear Lord, we know that even when we go through bad or difficult times, you are good. Help us to trust your goodness no matter what we see going on in our lives or in situations around us. Thank you for your goodness in our lives every day. Amen.

(If you are able, would you please stand for all items marked **)

The Way Forward : In Partnership with Others

Lighting of Candle

Entry of the **Bible**

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Welcome and Intimations

INTROIT

Call to Worship

<u>Minister</u> : All :	This day is a gift from God; a day to reflect, to offer thanks,		
	to seek the good.		
Minister :	This time is a pause from the fever of life;		
All :	a time to be with one another,		
	knit into community by God.		
Minister :	So let us sing, and listen, and pray, and respond. <i>(PAUSE)</i>		
<u>Minister</u> :	"And we urge you, brothers and sisters, warn those who are idle and disruptive, encourage the disheartened, help the weak, be patient with everyone. Make sure that nobody pays back wrong for wrong, but always strive to do what is good for each other and for everyone else." LET US WORSHIP GOD!		

** Hymn 124 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty...

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

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

CHILDREN'S ADDRESS

** Hymn MP 54

Bind us together ...

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together with cords that cannot be broken. Bind us together, Lord, bind us together, O bind us together with love.

There is only one God. There is only one King. There is only one body: that is why we sing.

Made for the glory of God, purchased by his precious Son. Born with the right to be clean, for Jesus the victory has won.

You are the family of God. You are the promise divine. You are God's chosen desire. You are the glorious new wine. (Bob Gillman)

Bible Reading	Exodus 18 : 13 - 27 (O.T. Pg. 75 approx.)	** Hymn 529	Forth in thy name. O Lord
ADDRESS - The Load is Shared		**	Benediction
	Prayer		Benediction
** Hymn 694	Brother, sister, let me serve you	**	Threefold Amen

Philippians 1:1 - 11 (N.T. Pg. 247 approx.)

ADDRESS - The Partnership of the Gospel

Praver

** Hymn MP 52

Because He lives

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus; He came to love, heal and forgive; He lived and died to buy my pardon, an empty grave is there to prove my Saviour lives. Because He lives I can face tomorrow: because He lives all fear is gone; because I know He holds the future, and life is worth the living just because He lives.

How sweet to hold a new-born baby, and feel the pride and joy he gives; but greater still the calm assurance, this child can face uncertain days because He lives.

And then one day I'll cross the river; I'll fight life's final war with pain; and then as death gives way to victory, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives. (Gloria and William J. Gaither) (© 1971 Gaither Music Company)

Offering

Prayer of Dedication

d, I go ...

Intimations :

We welcome everyone to this morning's service. We trust any visitors will enjoy the fellowship of New Wellwynd and we invite you to sign the 'Visitors' Book' before you leave. A crèche is available during the service for pre-Sunday Club children (0 - 3 years). Parents are encouraged to make use of this facility.

Tea / Coffee will be served in the hall at the close of the service.

Tea Fellowship Assistants are Rita Fraser and Alice McGowan.

The **Duty Driver** today is Mima Dalziel.

The **Traidcraft Stall** will be open as usual. The assistants are Avril Cockburn and June Clark.

Items for inclusion in the **June Newsletter** should be given to Allister Jack today.

<u>Tuesday, 29/05/2018</u> - The Fabric Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

<u>Until Wednesday, 30/05/2018</u> - Robbie will be on **Study Leave. Pastoral Cover** will be provided by Maxine (01555 759053) until Sunday, 3rd June.

<u>Wednesday, 30/05/2018</u> - The next meeting of the **Bible Study Group** is planned for Wednesday 30/05/18 from 7.00 - 9.00 p.m. in the home of Alister Weighton (29 Grahamshill Street, Airdrie ML6 7EN). The topic for study is Matthew 6 : 7 - 15 (pages 34 - 36 in our study guide). All members, both old and new, will, of course, be made most welcome.

Should you require any further information, please contact Alister on (01236) 750572 or 079256 05480.

<u>Thursday, 31/05/2018</u> - The **Stepping Stones** Group will meet in the Session Room from 10:00 till 11:30 a.m.

Friday, 01/06/2018 - The Snack Bar is open from 10:00 a.m. till 1:30 p.m. and the Nearly New Shop from 10:00 a.m. till 12:30 p.m..

The **Church** will be open from 10:00 a.m. for anyone who wishes a quiet time and the **Friday Service** will be at 11:30 a.m. in the Church.

In St. Columba's Church at 7:30 p.m., **Souls and Singers** are having another "<u>Sing Your Favourites</u>" Evening. Do come along and join in. Tickets are $\pounds 5$ and can be obtained at the door on the evening.

<u>Saturday, 02/06/2018</u> - The last **Coffee Morning** for this Session will be held in the hall from 10:00 a.m. until 12 noon. We look forward to seeing you there. Sunday, 03/06/2018 - The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at both services 11:00 a.m. (*The Way Forward: Fed by God*) and 3:00 p.m..

The **Kirk Session** will meet in the Session Room at 10:45 a.m..

Tea / Coffee will be served in the hall at the close of the morning service.

Tea Fellowship Assistants will be members of CAMEO.

The **Duty Driver** will be Eleanor Murray.

The **Traidcraft Stall** will be open as usual. The assistants will be Anne Learmonth and Alison Stewart.

Monday, 04/06/2018 - The Congregational Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Session Room.

Alan Cox would like to thank everyone who sponsored him, either directly or through his JustGiving page, in respect of his recent efforts in the Stirling Scottish Marathon.

He completed the course in a personal best time of 3 hours 35 minutes and 23 seconds, and the final total donated to St Andrews Hospice Capital Appeal was $\pounds 1166.30$.

Thanks again to the New Wellwynd family for their support...you're all fabulous!!

PHOENIX CHOIR - The Phoenix Choir concert, which was cancelled on 3rd March due to inclement weather, has been rearranged for Sunday 10th June at 3:00 p.m. here in the Church. Anyone now wishing tickets to attend can buy them from John Jarvie at the tea fellowship. Anyone who has tickets and can't now attend may return them to John and obtain a full refund.

Intimations should be communicated to David Walker by 6:00 p.m. on Thursday evening - 747075, or email <u>dwalker.davros@virgin.net</u>