

Tuesday, 12/03/2019 - At 7:30 p.m., the **Inbetweeners Concert Party** are performing in our Church. They performed last year at a Cameo Meeting which was a super evening.

Tickets, priced £5.00, are available from Cameo members, or at the rear of the church hall after church this morning. Ticket price includes tea/coffee and lots of home baking after the concert. We are being assisted by our Girl Guides on this evening to help serve teas, etc.. **Please note the starting time is 7:30 p.m. and NOT as printed on the tickets.**

We hope many church members would like to come and enjoy this super concert party.

Sunday, 17th March - At 2.30 p.m. the minister will be holding the first of a series of classes **Exploring the Faith** which will be suitable for those interested in learning more about the church, about membership or just wanting a “refresher”. More details will follow.

Monday, 18th March - There will be a meeting of the **Church Trustees** at 7:30 p.m. in the church itself, followed by a meeting of the **Congregational Board** at 8:15 p.m. approximately.

## The New Wellwynd Parish Church of Scotland, Airdrie



### MORNING WORSHIP

including

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday, 3rd March, 2019

at 11:00 a.m..

Order of Service

*Jesus' Proclamation*

#### Prayer before worship:

Living God, we thank you for the opportunities to share in the worship of your people and to focus our thoughts on your presence. As we share the bread and the wine, remembering your son, Jesus Christ, and what he has done for us, help us to consecrate the whole of our lives to your service and to your glory. In Christ's name. Amen.

Intimations should be communicated to David Walker by 6:00 p.m. on Thursday evening - 747075, or email [dwalker.davros@virgin.net](mailto:dwalker.davros@virgin.net)

We welcome everyone to this morning's service. We trust any visitors with us 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 all babies and children of pre-Sunday Club age. Parents are encouraged to make use of this facility.

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

### Lighting of Candle

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### Entry of the Bible

### Welcome and Intimations

### INTROIT

*As we are gathered ...*

As we are gathered, Jesus is here;  
one with each other, Jesus is here;  
joined by the Spirit, washed in the blood,  
part of the body, the Church of God.

As we are gathered, Jesus is here;  
one with each other, Jesus is here.

*(John Daniels)*

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### Call to Worship

Minister : From a cloud, and in a crowd, God speaks to us:

**All :** **calling us to be lovers of justice,  
to share hope with the broken.**

Minister : On mountaintops and in neighbourhoods,  
Christ calls to us:

**All :** **with a word and with wonder moulding us  
into who we are.**

Minister : On the playground and at the workstation,  
the Spirit whispers in our hearts:

**All :** **gathering up our fears and our dreams,  
and offering them to God.**

Minister : LET US WORSHIP GOD!

### Intimations :

**Robbie's 'Return to Work'** starts this morning. This will be a phased return and he will be working on Sunday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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

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

**Tea Fellowship Assistants** are members of CAMEO.

The **Duty Driver** today is Eleanor Murray.

The **Traidcraft Stall** is open today as usual. The assistants are Marion Denholm and Roberta Gillespie.

The **Sacrament of the Lord's Supper** will be celebrated again this afternoon at 3:00 p.m..

**March Newsletters** are available in the church office for the Distributors to uplift.

Those who have ordered the book "**At Home in Lent**" can collect their copy in the hall at the close of this service.

Tuesday, 05/03/2019 - '**In Stitches**' **Craft Group** will meet in the Session Room from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. All ladies are welcome for some craft, chat, and tea/coffee.

The **Senior Circle** meets in the hall at 2:00 p.m. when there will be a talk on Summerlee Heritage.

Thursday, 07/03/2019 - The **Choir** meets for rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Session Room.

Friday, 08/03/2019 - The **Snack Bar** is open from 10:00 a.m. till 1:30 p.m..

The **Nearly New Shop** re-opens today from 10:00 a.m. till 12:30 p.m..

The **Church** will be open from 10:00 a.m. and the **Friday Service** will be at 11:30 a.m..

The **Art Club** meets in the upper hall at 7:30 p.m..

Sunday, 10/03/2019 - **Morning Worship** for the first Sunday in Lent -

*At home in Lent: Mirror, mirror on the wall . . .*

### **Sacrament of Holy Baptism.**

**Tea Fellowship Assistants** will be Una and George Lawson.

The **Duty Driver** will be Alister Weighton.

The **Traidcraft Stall** will be open today as usual. The assistants will be Carol Hamilton and Margaret Wallace.

At 2:00 p.m., the **Pilgrim Group** meets for the first of its Lenten Studies from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.. All are welcome.

6:30 p.m. - Lenten Café: *At home in Lent: Going a bit deeper*

\*\* **BENEDICTION**

\*\* **Threefold Amen**

\*\* **Removal of the Bible**

**Recessional** *Here, O my Lord . . .*

Here, O my Lord, I've seen thee face to face;  
here have touched and handled things unseen,  
here grasped with firmer hand the eternal grace,  
and all my weariness upon thee lean.

I have no help but thine; nor do I need  
another arm but thine to lean upon;  
it is enough, my Lord, enough indeed;  
my strength is in thy might, thy might alone.

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\*\* **Hymn** *God, the mountains tell your story ...*

God, the mountains tell your glory, lifting praise to you above!  
In your Word, each mountain story shows your presence and your love.  
Noah built as you commanded; soon the waters swirled around.  
Those you saved, Lord, safely landed;  
you set them on mountain ground.

Lord, when Moses was returning to the mountain that he knew,  
there a bush was brightly burning. There it was he heard from you.  
Later Moses felt your presence; in the heights he knew your grace.  
He brought down the Ten Commandments  
from your holy mountain place.

Christ, you taught upon a mountain, showing us God's kingdom view.  
In the heights when you were praying, God's own glory shone on you.  
Climbing to a quiet garden, in your grief and faith you cried.  
On a hill for our own pardon, you, O Lord, were crucified.

Thank you now for blue-green mountains,  
red-brown mesas, high peaks, too.  
Here may we enjoy creation, know your presence, learn from you.  
Here may we sing out your glory, hear your call and find your grace.  
Risen Christ, we'll tell your story, from these heights to every place.  
*(Carolyn Winfrey Gillette.) (© 2010. All rights reserved.)*

Opening Prayer

**ADDRESS**

\*\* **Hymn 531** *My Jesus, my Saviour ...*

**Bible Readings** Exodus 34 : 29 - 35 (O.T. Pg. 93 approx.)  
Luke 9 : 28 - 36 (N.T. Pg. 89 approx.)

\*\* **Hymn 125** *Lord of all being, throned afar ...*

**SERMON**

**Sung Response** (Seated) *Focus my eyes on you, O Lord ...*

Focus my eyes on you, O Lord,  
focus my eyes on you;  
to worship in spirit and in truth,  
focus my eyes on you.

Turn round my life to you, O Lord,  
turn round my life to you;  
to know from this time you've made me new,  
turn round my life to you.  
*(Ian White, 1956-)(© 1986 Little Misty Music)*

**Prayer**

**Offering**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Call to the Table**

**\*\* Hymn** *We have come at Christ's own bidding ...*

We have come at Christ's own bidding to this high and holy place,  
where we wait with hope and longing for some token of God's grace.  
Here we pray for new assurance that our faith is not in vain,  
searching like those first disciples for a sign both clear and plain.

Light breaks through our clouds and shadows,  
splendour bathes the flesh joined Word,  
Moses and Elijah marvel as the heavenly voice is heard.  
Eyes and hearts behold with wonder how the law and prophets meet:  
Christ with garments drenched in brightness,  
stands transfigured and complete.

Strengthened by this glimpse of glory, fearful lest our faith decline,  
we, like Peter, find it tempting to remain and build a shrine.  
But true worship gives us courage to proclaim what we profess,  
that our daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.  
*(Carl P. Daw)*

**SACRAMENT of HOLY COMMUNION**

Minister : So now, gathered round the Lord's Table . . .  
so we could see the face of an empty threat.  
**All :** **Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart.**  
**O God, I will tell the wonders of your ways,**  
**and glorify your name.**  
**Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart.**  
**In you I will find the source of all my joy.**  
**Alleluia!**

*(Claude Fraysse, 1941-)(© 1997 Claude Fraysse)*

Minister : As we gather around your table . . .  
who taught us to pray together saying . . .

**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.

Minister : The bread we break . . . Christ died:  
**All :** **to pull aside the curtain of death.**

Minister : Christ rose:  
**All :** **to reveal the promise of new life.**

Minister : Christ will come again:  
**All :** **to show us the face of God.**  
Minister : "Taste and see that the Lord is good...."

**Communion**

**The Peace**

**Prayer**

**\*\* Hymn 448** *Lord, the light of your love is shining ...*

# The New Wellwynd Parish Church of Scotland, Airdrie

## SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday, 3rd March, 2019 at 3:00 p.m..

Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader : We won't fear what tomorrow brings.  
All : **With each morning we will rise and sing.**  
Leader : Our God's love will lead us through.  
All : **You are the peace in our troubled sea.**  
Leader : Let us rise and sing.

**\*\* Hymn 111**                      *Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty! ...*

**Prayer**

**Bible Reading**              Romans 8 : 31 - 39 (N.T. Pg. 196 approx.)

**\*\* Hymn 580**                      *Abide with me ...*

**REFLECTION**

**Sung Response**              *Amazing grace, how sweet the sound ...*  
(Please remain seated)

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed!

*(John Newton, 1725-1807)*  
*(© Church of Scotland Panel on Worship)*

**Prayer**

**Offering**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**\*\* Hymn 557**                      *O Love that wilt not let me go ...*

**SACRAMENT of HOLY COMMUNION**

**\*\* Hymn 502**                      *Take my life, Lord, let it be ...*

**\*\***                                      **BENEDICTION**

**\*\***                                      **Threefold Amen**

**\*\***                                      **Removal of the Bible**

**Recessional**                      *Now let us from this table rise ...*

Now let us from this table rise  
renewed in body, mind, and soul;  
with Christ we die and rise again,  
his selfless love has made us whole.

With minds alert, upheld by grace,  
to spread the Word in speech and deed  
we follow in the steps of Christ,  
at one with all in hope and need.  
*(Fred Kaan, 1929-)*  
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