

Saturday, 20/04/2019 - The **Flower Team** will be in the Crush Hall on from 10:00 a.m. till 12 noon to receive any donations of flowers. These flowers will decorate the church for our Easter Sunday Service and then be delivered with our Easter greetings in the afternoon to those who have been bereaved during the last year. We hope to have the services of our volunteer drivers to assist with the distribution.

The **Easter Saturday Service** is at 7:30 p.m. in New Wellwynd Church.

Sunday, 21/04/2019 - There will be an **Outdoor Service** at 10:00 a.m. followed by an Easter Egg Hunt.

The **Kirk Session** will meet at 10:45 a.m. in the Session Room prior to the admission of new members.

11:00 a.m. - **Morning Worship for Easter Sunday** is entitled "Seeing is believing" and includes the Sacrament of Holy Baptism and Confirmation.

Tea Fellowship Assistants will be Bobby Forrest and Freda Gilchrist.

The **Duty Driver** will be Belle Clark.

The **Traidcraft Stall** will be open. The assistants will be Una Lawson and Margaret Duncan.

At 2:00 p.m., **Car Drivers** are asked to come along to assist with the delivery of the Easter Flowers to homes in our congregation and parish.

Wednesday, 24/04/2019 - At 7:00 for 7:30 p.m. the **Annual Stated Meeting of the Congregation** will be held.

The **Nearly New Shop** would appreciate donations of any unwanted household goods, clothing and Christmas gifts which you might have. Please speak to Liz Hannah for more information.

Live Streaming - Please note that our services are now streamed over the Internet. If you do not wish to be seen in the congregation, please sit under the gallery on the pulpit side of the church.

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

The New Wellwynd Parish Church of Scotland, Airdrie 14th April, 2019

PRAYER before Worship : Lord Jesus Christ, you entered Jerusalem on a wave of enthusiasm, with shouts of praise and protestations of loyalty. Yet you knew the bubble would burst. Help us to welcome you into our lives with true gladness and to go on serving you come what may now and always. Amen.

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

Sixth Sunday in Lent - Palm Sunday : God's extraordinary in the Ordinary

Lighting of Candle

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Entry of the Bible

Welcome and Intimations

INTROIT

Day by Day ...
by Martin How, 1931 -

Call to Worship

Minister :

Rejoice greatly, O people of Zion!
Shout in triumph, O people of Jerusalem!
Look, your King is coming to you.
He is righteous and victorious, yet he is humble,
riding on a donkey - even on a donkey's colt.

All :

**Blessed is the one who comes
in the name of the Lord!**

Minister :

You are our God, and we will praise You!

All :

You are our God, and we will exalt You!

Minister :

O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

All :

His faithful love endures forever!

Minister :

LET US WORSHIP GOD!

** **Hymn 364**

All glory, laud, and honour ...

Prayer of Approach 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

ADDRESS

**** Hymn 279**

Make way, make way ...

Bible Reading Matthew 21 : 1 - 7 (N.T. Pg. 30 approx.)

“A donkey for a king - an affront or a revelation?”

Choir *Beauty for Brokenness ...*
Graham Kendrick, arr. Christopher Tambling

Bible Reading Matthew 21 : 8 - 11 (N.T. Pg. 30 approx.)

“Raise your palms - a right royal welcome!”

Choir *Glorious is thy name ...*
B. B. McKinney

“Coats, cloaks and cardigans!”

Choir *O the deep, deep love of Jesus ...*
Words: Samuel Trevor Francis
Music: Susan Naylor Callaway

Bible Reading Matthew 26 : 14 - 16 (N.T. Pg. 39 approx.)

“A double cross - the way of the cross!”

Choir *Lead Me to the Cross ...*
Graham Kendrick / Steve Thomson

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.

The **Duty Driver** today is Alison Sefton.

Tea Fellowship Assistants are Julie Fleming and Moira Gartshore.

The **Traidcraft Stall** is open today. The assistants are Christine Cassells and Barbara Watt.

The **Pilgrim Group** meets in the Session Room for a Palm Sunday Study from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.. All are welcome.

At 2.30 p.m. the minister will be holding a class entitled **Exploring the Faith** which will be suitable for those interested in learning more about the church, about membership or just wanting a “refresher”.

At 3:00 p.m., under the auspices of Airdrie Council of Churches, a **Palm Sunday Service** will be held in Jackson Parish Church.

The **Lenten Café** is at 6:30 p.m.—

At home in Lent: Going a bit deeper!

Monday, 15/04/2019 - The **Holy Week Service** is in St. Columba's Church at 7:30 p.m..

Tuesday, 16/04/2019 - The **Holy Week Service** is in New Wellwynd Church at 7:30 p.m..

Wednesday, 17/04/2019 - The **Holy Week Service** is in St. Columba's Church at 7:30 p.m..

Thursday, 18/04/2019 - The **Maundy Thursday Communion Service** is in New Wellwynd Church at 7:30 p.m..

Friday, 19/04/2019 - There will be a **Good Friday Vigil : Seven Moments** from 12 noon until 3:00 p.m. here in The New Wellwynd. Everyone is welcome to drop in for all or part of the time and there will be a short meditation every half hour.

The **Good Friday Service** is in St. Columba's Church at 7:30 p.m.. This will be followed by tea / coffee in the hall.

Minister : Would you all please stand.
What do you believe?

All : **We believe in God the Father Almighty,
who sent Jesus into the world.
He came as a baby, born of the Holy Spirit,
was crucified, died and was buried.
On the third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
where he prays for us continually.
Praise the Lord. Halleluia!**

Minister : Having confessed our faith, we now put that faith
into action, firstly in our prayers for our world
and
all of God's people, loved and cherished by him.
LET US PRAY!

Prayers of Intercession

Offering

Prayer of Dedication

**** Hymn 365** *Ride on! ride on in majesty! ...*

The Sending Out -

Minister : What does the Lord require of you?

All : **To act justly and to love mercy
and to walk humbly with him.**

Minister : Go now to do just that as you love God
and love your neighbour as yourself.

**** THE BLESSING**

**** Threefold Amen**

**** Bible taken out of the church**

Recessional

Lift up your heads to the coming King...

Lift up your heads to the coming King;
bow before him and adore him, sing --
to his majesty: let your praises be
pure and holy, giving glory to the King of Kings.
(Steven L. Fry)(© 1974 BMG Songs/Birdwing Music)

In the coming week -

- * A Question - How have you welcomed Jesus in your life?
- * A Response - Look for signs of Christ, not just in those momentous moments, but also in the ordinary ones as well.
How can you make Christ known in the everyday life of the world?
- * A Prayer - Christ Jesus, you came that we might have life, and have it abundantly.
Christ Jesus, we offer you our praise and thanks.
You poured living water into lives that were parched and thirsty.
Christ Jesus, we offer you our praise and thanks.
You fed souls that were hungry with the bread of life.
Christ Jesus, we offer you our praise and thanks.
You brought healing through a touch that knew no prejudice or barrier.
Christ Jesus, we offer you our praise and thanks.
You brought Salvation through the cross.
Christ Jesus, we offer you our praise and thanks.
This Palm Sunday and beyond, as we continue to welcome you into our lives, help us to see how we can offer all of this and so much more to each other.
In your name, we pray. Amen.