

**Children to sit  
with parents,  
or a friends,  
please.**



## **Broxburn Parish Church Church of Scotland**

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2016**

### **Prayer for Today**

(for silent reflection before the service begins)

God, we cannot see you for you cannot be contained in a single form and yet we know you are here with us. Thank you that we can spend time with you anytime, day or night, here or at school or at home, in the park, on the bus.

You are always here. Thank you for this time today spent with you and our church family helping us to know you better. Amen.

***If you have a prayer request kindly fill out the Prayer Request Slip on the pew. It will be collected during the singing of the second hymn.***

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A warm welcome to everyone, especially if you are worshipping with us for the first time. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the service in the large hall; just follow the sign to 'Halls'.

**To benefit from our induction loop system, set hearing-aids to the 'T' position.**

# Order of Service

*We all stand as the Bible is brought in*

## Welcome and Birthdays

### Time with Children

Music

Short Address

Prayer (after which children are away to the Halls)

### Gathering for Worship

## Intimations

### Call to worship

**Hymn 500 – Lord of creation to you be all praise**

Prayer of Approach, Confession and Lord's Prayer

### Reflecting on God's Word

**Hymn 465:1, 2, 3 – Be thou my vision**

Bible Reading Exodus 32:1-14

**Hymn 755 – Be still and know that I am God**

Sermon: Passover Promise

### Responding to God's Word

Prayers for Others

Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

**Hymn 123 – God is love let heaven adore him [TUNE: HYFRYDOL]**

**Benediction**

**Hymn 786 'May the God of peace go with us'**

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**Next week:** 16<sup>th</sup> October – 'Prayerful Promise'

**Readings:** 1 Samuel 1:9-11,19-20; 2:1-10; Luke 1:46-55

# *Intimations*

*Intimations e-mail:*  
**intimations@broxburnparish  
church.org.uk**  
by Wednesday at 5pm please.

## Crèche

A crèche is available every Sunday during the service.

## Wednesday service

This **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October** at 12 noon in the small hall. Please join us for a short service and some fellowship.

## Coffee Bar

The Coffee Bar next **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October** is open from 10.30am till 12 noon in the large hall. All proceeds will go to church funds.

## Congregational Board

Please note that there has been a **change of date** for the next meeting of the Congregational Board which will now be on **Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October** at 7.30pm in the small hall.

## Craft and Chat

The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October** from 7-9pm in the small hall.

## Wind Down Hour

Do you need some quiet time to yourself after a hectic week at work? Or perhaps a personal time of reflection? Well, we have the perfect solution for you! The church will be open every **Friday from 5-6pm** for the 'Wind Down Hour' and anyone is welcome to take time out to pray quietly or just be alone with God.

## Coffee Bar Rota

We **URGENTLY** need more volunteers to join the Coffee Bar teams. This would only require you to help once every couple of months. If you could help, please speak to Elaine Brown.

## Sound Desk

We are still looking for more people to join the sound desk team. There is a rota sheet at the sound desk with dates. If training is required, that can be provided at a time to suit you. For more information about what the task involves, please speak to Stuart Cunningham.

## Nursing Homes Services

**Today:** Broxburn Nursing Home at 3pm

## Bibleworld Mobile

The Scottish Bible Society's Bibleworld Mobile exhibition will be at Broxburn Academy from **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October**. The aim is to work in partnership with local churches to provide a quality educational resource for schools based on the Curriculum for Excellence. The trailer with its interactive displays will be open to the public this **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October** from 6 till 8pm. Children coming during those times must be accompanied by an adult. For more information about Bibleworld please visit: **scottishbiblesociety.org**

## CrossReach Week

CrossReach Week starts today **9<sup>th</sup> October** and runs until **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>**. The week begins with a launch service this afternoon at 4pm in Letham St. Mark's Church in Perth when the Moderator of the Church of Scotland Rt. Rev. Dr. Russell Barr will be preaching. During the course of the week, Dr. Barr will visit some of CrossReach's care and support services across Scotland. Please remember the Moderator and the staff and service users of CrossReach in your prayers this week.

## Questionnaire

If you have not yet filled in the short questionnaire that was inside the latest Bridge magazine, please do so and place it in the box in the vestibule. Thank you.

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