



4 July 2024

Summer Services

We are sharing our services over the summer with Bearsden Cross Parish Church.

The services will be held here in New Kilpatrick until Sunday 21 July and then from 28th July to 18th August (inclusive) the services will be based in Bearsden Cross Parish church.

We look forward to being together in worship and friendship over the summer months.

All the services will be at 10.30am. If you are needing permission for parking at the Cross Church, please contact the church directly closer to the time.

Minister

Roddy has had his operation and is now recuperating.

Until he is back, both **Graeme Wilson** (0141 942 0507) and **Andrew Frater** (0141 956 4868) will cover any pastoral needs.

The services will be led by Graeme, both here and in the Cross Church.

New Kilpatrick Ramblers

The next NK Ramblers walk is a moderately easy walk at Mains Woods and the Antonine Wall on Saturday 13 July.

Further information, including meeting place and time, will be on a poster on the church hall noticeboard. All who like to walk are welcome.

Kelvingrove Organ Recitals:

Chris Nickol will be playing at Kelvingrove Art Gallery this afternoon, 4th July, at 1pm, and on Wednesday 10th & Thursday 25th July at 1pm, and Sundays 14th & 21st July at 3pm.

Glasgow City Mission Fundraiser

Glasgow City Mission has been supporting those affected by homelessness, poverty and addiction in Glasgow for nearly 200 years.

New Kilpatrick has supported The Mission for many years, including volunteering at the evening Drop Ins and the Overnight Welcome Centre, which this year saw nearly triple the number of guests compared to last year.

On Friday 6th September, **Eileen Young** will be launching off from a crane down a zip wire alongside the river Clyde! She is hoping to raise £500 to support the work of The Mission.

If you are able to donate, please use the link below.

<https://glasgowcitymission.enthuse.com/pf/eileen-young>

For more information, you can contact Eileen on eileen.young3@icloud.com or 07762 899127.

St Gregory's Food Bank

Holiday time is here again, but let's not forget those in our community who are hungry. Please keep filling our trug.

Basic non-perishable, nutritious foods are needed along with tea, coffee, sugar and long-life milk.

Baby essentials are most welcome too, as are financial donations.

"Grow for St. Gregory's" - Anyone interested in supplying freshly harvested vegetables for the Foodbank, please contact Peter Davies - email: psd@dmgovan.com

The halls are open Monday to Friday (9.00 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.) and Sunday mornings.

Diary

Thursday 4 July

Daybreak 1.30pm in the hall.

Friday 5 July

Coffee Pot 10am in the hall

Sunday 7 July

Morning Worship 10.30am

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Tuesday 9 July

Baby & Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround.

SingSong! 2pm in the hall.

Wednesday 10 July

Baby & Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround.

Midweek Service 11am in the hall, followed by coffee and cake.

Thursday 11 July

Baby & Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround.

Friday 12 July

Coffee Pot 10am in the hall.

Sunday 14 July

Morning Worship 10.30am

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Monday 15 July

Monday Club 2pm in the hall.

Tuesday 16 July

Baby and Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround

Wednesday 17 July

Baby and Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround

Midweek Service 11am in the hall, followed by coffee and cake.

Thursday 18 July

Baby and Toddlers 9.15am in the walkround

Rock Choir

Bearsden & Milngavie Rock Choir's recent Friends & Family Performance raised **£1300 for Scottish Women's Aid and St. Gregory's Food Bank.**

Our grateful thanks go to New Kilpatrick Church and everyone who supported the event. A wonderful evening in a beautiful setting.

Crossreach

Crossreach is the social care arm of the Church, the principal way in which, as God's people, we express our response to the needs of others in our communities.

At the recent General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, Crossreach reported on their work supporting those with disabilities, dementia, special needs, substance dependence and other needs. More information can be found on Crossreach's Impact Report:

<https://www.crossreachevents.org.uk/impact-report-2023/#s3>

Local Crossreach services are:

- **The Mallard**, Springburn, Glasgow
Short breaks for children with disabilities
- **Williamwood House**, Netherlee, Glasgow
A care home for older people with dementia
- **Threshold**, Bridgeton, Glasgow
Support for adults with learning disabilities
- **Go2**, Springburn, Glasgow
Support for young people with disabilities
- **Dumbrock House**, Strathblane
Supporting four children aged 8 - 16 in a safe and supportive environment.

More information at www.crossreach.org.uk

Support offered by Crossreach on behalf of the church brings people into a direct experience of God's love for them.

If you know of anyone interested in a career within care, Crossreach has vacancies for a Support Practitioner at Dumbrock House in Strathblane, and a Care Worker at Williamwood House in Glasgow. Further information and more vacancies at <https://www.jobtrain.co.uk/crossreach>

Thought for the Week

"I look upon all the world as my parish."
(John Wesley)