

Welcome to Worship

In person and Online

New Laigh Kirk



**A caring welcoming church at the heart
of Kilmarnock reaching out to you with
the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Sunday 21st August 2022

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Welcome

A very warm welcome to worship this morning from all at New Laigh Kirk. We are delighted you are here today and hope you enjoy worshipping with us. Please make yourself known to those sitting beside you.

Whether you are a guest or regular attender we invite you to find your welcome place among us, a place to belong, to join in regular worship, to join in the life of our Kirk.

This order of service is posted to help you with the live stream.

Please ensure you log on through the New Laigh Kirk Website
<http://www.nlk.church/> and click the button watch live Sunday 11.00am.

Tea and coffee is served in the church immediately after the service, please join us for company and a catch up.

May God richly bless you in your worship today.

Order of Service

Call to worship

Bless the Lord, oh my soul

Oh my soul

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before

Oh my soul

I worship your holy name

The sun comes up

It's a new day dawning

It's time to sing your song again

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me

Let me be singing when the evening comes

Bless the Lord, oh my soul

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger

Your name is great and your heart is kind

For all your goodness I will keep on singing

10,000 reasons for my heart to find

Bless the Lord, oh my soul

And on that day when my strength is failing

The end draws near and my time has come

Soon my soul will sing your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forever more
Bless the Lord, oh my soul

Bless the Lord, oh my soul
Oh my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
Oh my soul
I worship your holy name

Prayer

All age address

Come on everybody,
Praise the name of Jesus
All the people on the earth,
Let them hear
Come on everybody,
Praise the name of Jesus
All the people on the earth,
Let them hear

Joy is like a fountain,
Raining down upon us
Joy is like a Golden Crown...
So Come on everybody,
Praise the name of Jesus
Hallelujah Hallelujah (x4)

Children leave for Ignite picnic in the halls

Reading Jeremiah 1:4-10

Video Anthem All people that on earth do dwell
All people that on earth do dwell
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice
Serve him with joy his praises tell
Come now before him and rejoice

Know that the Lord is God indeed
He formed us all without our aid
We are the flock he comes to feed
The sheep who by his hand were made

*O let the earth rejoice
Lift up your voice and magnify his holy name
O let the earth rejoice
Lift up your voice and magnify his holy name*

O enter then his gates with joy
Within his courts his praise proclaim
Let thankful songs your tongues employ
O bless and magnify his name
O let the earth rejoice

Because the Lord our God is good
His mercy is forever sure
His faithfulness at all times stood
And shall from age to age endure
O let the earth rejoice

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost

Reading St. Luke 13:10-17

Hymn 198

Let us build a house where love can dwell
and all can safely live,
a place where saints and children tell
how hearts learn to forgive;
built of hopes and dreams and visions,
rock of faith and vault of grace;
here the love of Christ shall end divisions:
*All are welcome,
all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.*

Let us build a house where prophets speak,
and words are strong and true,
where all God's children dare to seek
to dream God's reign anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness
and as symbol of God's grace;
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus:
*All are welcome,
all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.*

Let us build a house where love is found
in water, wine and wheat:
a banquet hall on holy ground,
where peace and justice meet.
Here the love of God, through Jesus,
is revealed in time and space,
as we share in Christ the feast that frees us:
*All are welcome,
all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.*

Let us build a house where hands will reach
beyond the wood and stone
to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,
and live the Word they've known.
Here the outcast and the stranger
bear the image of God's face;
let us bring an end to fear and danger:
*All are welcome,
all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.*

Let us build a house where all are named,
their songs and visions heard
and loved and treasured, taught and claimed
as words within the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter,
prayers of faith and songs of grace,
let this house proclaim from floor to rafter:
*All are welcome,
all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.*

Prayer of Intercession

Hymn 724
Christ's is the world in which we move;
Christ's are the folk we're summoned to love;
Christ's is the voice which calls us to care,
and Christ is the one who meets us here.
To the lost Christ shows his face,
to the unloved he gives his embrace,
to those who cry in pain or disgrace,
Christ makes, with his friends, a touching place.

Feel for the people we most avoid —
strange or bereaved or never employed.
Feel for the women and feel for the men
who fear that their living is all in vain.
To the lost Christ shows his face,
to the unloved he gives his embrace,
to those who cry in pain or disgrace,
Christ makes, with his friends, a touching place.

Feel for the parents who've lost their child,
feel for the women whom men have defiled,
feel for the baby for whom there's no breast,
and feel for the weary who find no rest.
To the lost Christ shows his face,
to the unloved he gives his embrace,
to those who cry in pain or disgrace,
Christ makes, with his friends, a touching place.

Feel for the lives by life confused,
riddled with doubt, in loving abused;
feel for the lonely heart, conscious of sin,
which longs to be pure but fears to begin.
To the lost Christ shows his face,
to the unloved he gives his embrace,
to those who cry in pain or disgrace,
Christ makes, with his friends, a touching place.

Sermon

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn 202

Stand up and bless the Lord;
all people now rejoice:
stand up and bless the Lord your God
with heart and soul and voice.

Though high above all praise,
above all blessing high,
who would not fear his holy name,
give thanks and glorify?

O for the living flame
from his own altar brought,
to touch our lips, our minds inspire,
and wing to heaven our thought!

God is our strength and song,
and his salvation ours;
then be his love in Christ proclaimed
with all our ransomed powers.

Stand up and bless the Lord,
the Lord your God adore;
stand up and bless his glorious name
both now and evermore.

Benediction

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Church news and activities

A **Silver Sunday service** will be held in the church on **Sunday, 28th August at 3.00pm**. We shall welcome older members who find it difficult to come to church for morning worship, but the service is open to everyone. Following a short time of worship, there will be refreshments and an opportunity to enjoy a chat with friends. Anyone who requires transport should contact Barbara Graham, Tel: 01563 522108 or E:barbara.graham74@btinternet.com.

Our final **Guild summer meeting** is on **Monday, 29th August at 7.15pm**. At this meeting we will be organising our Coffee Morning which is on **Saturday, 3rd September from 10.00am to noon**. A good turnout is requested at this important meeting and members are asked to bring bottles, books, jigsaws and raffle prizes for the various stalls. (Any of these, not all!)

Guild Coffee Morning – tickets will be on sale **today, 21st August** and **Sunday, 28th August** or at the door on **Saturday, 3rd September**. Price £2.50. Please support our fund-raising for Guild projects.

Calgary Burns Club Singers (Canada). The Robert Burns Federation are pleased to welcome the Calgary Burns Club Singers for this concert on **Tuesday, 30th August at 7.00pm** in the church. This choir has performed all over Canada and this is their first tour outside North America. Many choir members are Scots migrants and their Musical Director, Henry Cairney, is an Ayrshire man. The choir has a repertoire of songs by Robert Burns as well as traditional Scottish music and other songs. The choir will be augmented by a support programme of Scottish talented performers.

Admission is free and donations for the educational work of the Robert Burns World Federation will be appreciated.

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Calgary Burns Club Singers



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Starts 7pm

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