

POLBETH HARWOOD CHURCH

Order of Service

18th August 2019

10am Polbeth Harwood
United Summer Worship



Worship led by
Rev Dr Jonanda Groenewald

Organist
Catriona Curtis

Gathering of God's People

Time when we greet one another and prepare for worship.
Feel free to remain seated during worship if this is more comfortable for you.
Remain seated while the offerings are received.
Those who are able, please stand for the entry of the Bible.
Words of welcome and intimations.

Worshipping God Together

Call to Worship (Psalm 95)

Minister: Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord;

All: for the Lord our God is great.

Minister: In his hands are the depths of the earth,

All: and the mountain peaks belong to him.

Minister: The sea is his, for he made it.

All: and his hands formed the dry land.

SOGP Hymn 22 Colours of day

Opening Prayer and the Lord's Prayer:

We ask this in the name of Jesus who taught us to pray:

All:

**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.**

Children's talk: Rev Dr Jonanda Groenewald

CH4 Hymn 143: Who put the colours in the rainbow?

Reflecting on God's Word

Reading: Job, chapter 38, v1;
 chapter 39, vv 5 - 8; 13 – 22; 26 - 29

MP Hymn 987: Here is love vast as the ocean

Sermon: Rev Dr Jonanda Groenewald

The offering:

Our offerings are given for the ministry and mission of the church, while the organist plays a hymn.

Prayers of dedication, thanksgiving and intercession: Rev Dr J Groenewald

CH4 Hymn 549 How deep the Father's love for us

Blessing

Sung threefold Amen

Please remain standing as the Bible is removed

Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God,

*We thank you for your constant kindness, your unfailing love,
your ceaseless provision of all our needs.*

You are the source and sustainer of our lives;

Wherever and whoever we are,

you are always with us,

surrounding us with your love.

In you we put our trust.

Amen

Intimations

A very warm welcome to all visitors to our worship this morning.

Any items for the next issue of The Link should be passed to the editor Jen Stuart, at thelinkeditor@west-kirk-polbeth-harwood.co.uk, by Saturday 24th August at the latest

Dates for the diary

- Sunday 1st September Holy Communion (in both congregations at the regular service times of 9.45am and 11.15am)
- Saturday 7th September Garden Fete 11am – 3pm at the West Kirk

United services during August will be held in Polbeth Harwood Church, starting at 10am

In addition, dates of future events can be found detailed in the calendar section of the website www.west-kirk-polbeth-harwood.co.uk