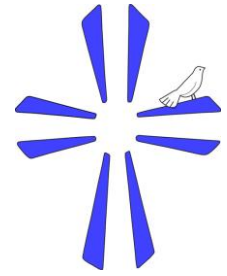




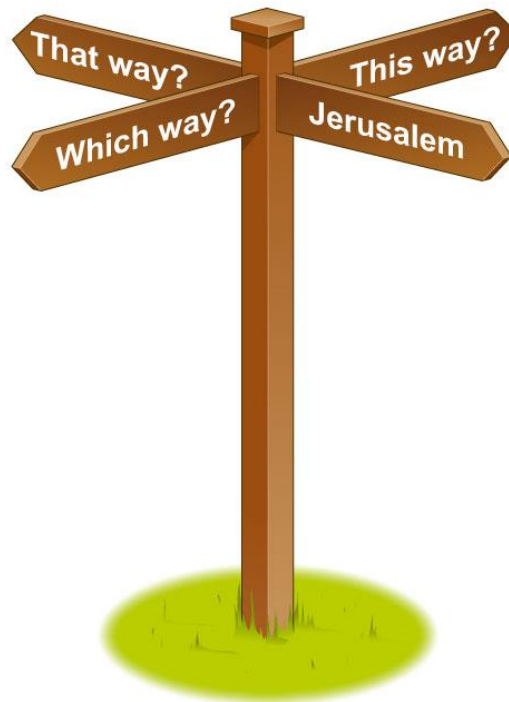
West Kirk of Calder Church of Scotland



Order of Service

4th November 2018

9.45am West Calder
Morning Worship



Worship led by
Revd Scott Raby

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

Minister: Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord,

All: to the house of the God of Jacob.

Minister: He will teach us his ways,

All: so that we may walk in his paths.

CH4 Hymn 715 Behold the mountain of the Lord

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: "It's the way you see it" Revd Scott Raby

JP Hymn 261 Twelve men went to spy in Canaan (Sing through twice)

There is a crèche available for young children under 3 years of age.
Those wishing to use the crèche facilities are welcome to return for the remainder of the service

Reflecting on God's Word

Reading: Joshua, chapter 14, vv 6 – 14 (page 230 of bible)

Reader: Rhoda Lawton

CH4 Hymn 619 Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me

Sermon: "The Undiscovered Country" Revd Scott Raby

Responding to God's Word

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

Prayers of dedication, thanksgiving & intercession: Rhoda Lawton

CH4 Hymn 512 To God be the glory

Blessing

Sung threefold Amen

Please remain standing as the Bible is removed

Prayer

*Living God,
Guide us in your paths,
showing us where we can
use our gifts to help others in their daily lives;
use our time to benefit the world we live in
and contribute to improving life for all.
Amen.*

You are invited to come for tea and coffee served in the hall

Intimations

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

If you are new to our congregation,
and would like to make contact or know more about us,
we would encourage you to complete the welcome card to be found in the pews
and hand it to either the minister or duty officers on your way out of church.
There is a list on the church vestibule notice boards of the various people with whom
contact can be made for church business.

Dates for the diary

Wednesday 7th Nov Minister's Office Hours at West Kirk 10.30 – 12 noon
Wednesday 7th Nov Rehearsals start for Christmas Choir at 7pm in the church

Friday 9th Nov Polbeth Ladies 'At Home' evening at 7pm when the topic is
Social Bite, a charity dedicated to homelessness

Friday 9th Nov The Wee Sleep Out at Polbeth Harwood.

This is primarily for children aged 8 – 16 whom we're asking to spend a night under the
stars (provided it is dry) to raise money for Social Bite.

We would love as many people as possible to sign up for this event & there are
permission slips available which should be completed & returned as soon as possible.

Link to our fundraising page.:

<https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/Team/PolbethHarwoodandWestKirkYouthGroups>

Sunday 11th Nov United Remembrance worship at West Kirk at 9.45am,
conducted by Rev Dr Jonanda Groenewald, thereafter at
West Calder war memorial at 11am

Sunday 11th Nov 'Beyond the Kirk Walls' service at Stewart Court at 2pm

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

Duty Team for Sunday 11th November 2018

Door Duty Team:	M Arnott; A Jessiman; W Arnott
Car Run:	George Stott
Reader & Prayers:	Alan Jessiman
Tea Rota:	Olive Gibson & Margaret Hogg
Creche:	Nicola Young & Louise Smith
Flowers: given by	Margaret Greenhorn
arranged by	Margaret Greenhorn
delivered by	Margaret Brock