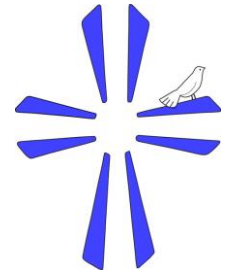




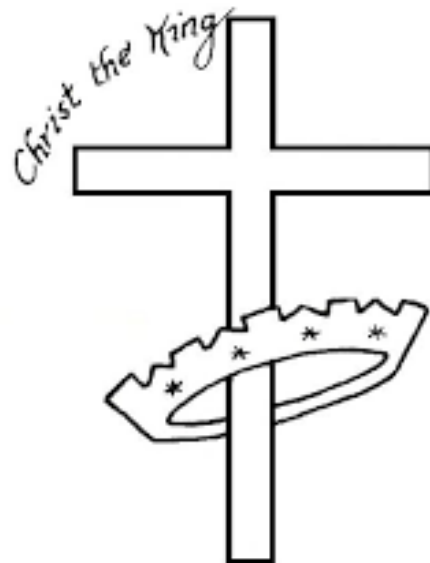
# West Kirk of Calder Church of Scotland



## Order of Service

25<sup>th</sup> November 2018

9.45am West Calder  
Morning Worship



Worship led by  
Rev Alison Quilter

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: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, come into his courts with praise.

**All: Give thanks and praise his loving name!**

Minister: Come Lord Jesus, as we come to you now

**All: Reign in our hearts, reign in your church, reign in your world.**

**CH4 Hymn 129                      The Lord is King! Lift up your voice!**  
(sing verses 1, 2, 3 & 5)

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 Alison Quilter

**JP Hymn 289                      Who's the king of the jungle?**

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: John, chapter 18, vv 33 – 37 (page 1087 of bible)

Colossians, chapter 1, vv 11 – 20 (page 1182 of bible)

Reader: Rev Suzanne Dunleavy

**MP Hymn 1000 King of kings, majesty**

Sermon: Rev Alison Quilter

## **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: Rev Alison Quilter

**CH4 Hymn 449 Rejoice! the Lord is King**

Blessing

**Sung threefold Amen**

Please remain standing as the Bible is removed

*Prayer*

*Gracious Lord,*

*When you invite us to make your kingdom happen here on earth,  
you assure us that nothing is impossible*

*and fill our hearts with the power and presence of your Spirit.*

*So thank you, Lord, for the gift of possibility*

*and for the trust you place in us*

*as builders of a better, fairer, more caring world.*

*May we seek to follow the example of Jesus in all that we do.*

*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

Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Minister's Office Hours at Polbeth Harwood 10.30 – 12 noon
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	Christmas Candy Bar from 10am
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Celebration of Holy Communion at 9.45am in West Kirk, conducted by Rev Dr Jonanda Groenewald
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Gift Service at West Kirk at 9.45am, with gifts going to Bethany Trust Annual Bereavement Service at West Kirk at 3pm
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Pastoral Care Christmas Party in West Kirk hall 1 – 4pm
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Evening of Christmas Music in West Kirk at 7pm
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> Dec	African Children's Choir concert in West Kirk at 7pm

In addition, dates of future events can be found detailed in the calendar section of the  
website [www.west-kirk-polbeth-harwood.co.uk](http://www.west-kirk-polbeth-harwood.co.uk)

## Duty Team for Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018

Door Duty Team:	J Murray; A Milne; M Greenhorn
Car Run:	Lorna Graham
Reader & Prayers:	Alison McNaught
Tea Rota:	Olive Gibson; Marian Miskelly & Margo McEwan
Creche:	Nicola Young & Pauline Bird
Flowers: given by	Mr & Mrs Elliot
arranged by	Alison McNaught
delivered by	Moira McRae