

Christian Meditation Group: starts on Monday 14th January and will continue to meet on the second and fourth Mondays of the month. All meetings will be in the Church and begin at 7pm

Tai Chi Classes: 5 week workshop starting on Monday 21st January from 10-11am in the Main Hall. Places must be booked, £3 per class – see poster for details

Blood Donations: Broom Church, Wednesday 23rd January, 2-3.30pm and 5-7.30pm

Food Bank and LHM: both organisations appreciate everything received from us. Donations can be placed in yellow buckets every Sunday

Social Media: our Social Media Team is constantly updating the [website](#) with information for you. Connect to our Facebook page and the latest YouTube video of the Sunday Service from <https://mearnskirk.church/>

Barnabas Fund Speaking Tour: 'the challenges of political Islam and secular humanism facing the Church in the UK and globally'. Saturday 19th January, 2.30-4.30pm at The Tron Church, Glasgow. Booking essential, see poster for details

Used Stamp Appeal: the Church of Scotland World Mission runs this appeal on an ongoing basis. All postage stamps whether British or Foreign, old or new, single stamps or collections are suitable. Please cut the stamps off envelopes, leaving a margin of at least ¼ inch around the stamps. Stamps can be left any Sunday morning in the church vestibule

Tablet Taster Session: Beginners Guide to Buying a Tablet. Wednesday 30th January, 1.30-4pm in the New Hall. Booking essential – see poster for full details

YouTube: the services will be uploaded on to YouTube. Please see the sign in the Vestibule with information on where to sit if you do not wish to be filmed

MEARNS KIRK

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We extend a warm welcome to any visitors who are worshipping with us and would invite you to leave your name and address in the Visitors Book which is in the Vestibule

Intimations for Sunday 6th January

Church Flowers: the flowers this week are provided by Mrs M Andrews

Prayer: if you wish prayer for any matter please contact Mary Paton, 639 8609

Dementia Lunch Club: runs every Thursday, 12 – 4pm in the New Hall

Bereavement Group: this TUESDAY at 7pm in the New Hall

Prayer Time: last Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in the New Hall

Wednesday Service: in the New Hall at 10.30am

The Guild: our first meeting of the year will be on Wednesday 9th January when we are joined by the East Renfrewshire Talking Points Team. We are in the New Hall from 2pm, do come along and join us

Kirk Session: meets this Wednesday at 7.30pm in the New Hall

Blether and a Brew: this Tuesday in the New Hall from 2-3.30pm

Extraordinary Kirk Session: Monday 21 January at 7.30pm. As instructed by the General Assembly we meet to discuss vision and mission for the next 3 years in relation to the national church decline

JUNIOR PRAISE 210

Rise and shine and give God
His glory, glory
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children of the Lord

MEARNS KIRK ORDER OF SERVICE

6th January 2019

10.15 am Service

Welcome

Family News

Call to Worship

Hymn (printed) JP210 Rise and shine

Family Time

Hymn 321 Come and join the celebration

Hymn 320 Joy to the world

Call to Prayer

Prayer

Bible Readings: Isaiah 60: 1-6 (P643) Mary Deas
Ephesians 3: 1-12 (P174)
Matthew 2: 1-12 (P1)

Hymn 325 Bethlehem, a noble city

Offering: We give our gifts for the work of God in the Church and the World

Hymn 807 Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Prayers of Gratitude and Concern

Hymn 326 As with gladness

Sermon

Hymn 543 Christ, be our light!

Benediction
Sung Threefold Amen
(Please remain standing)