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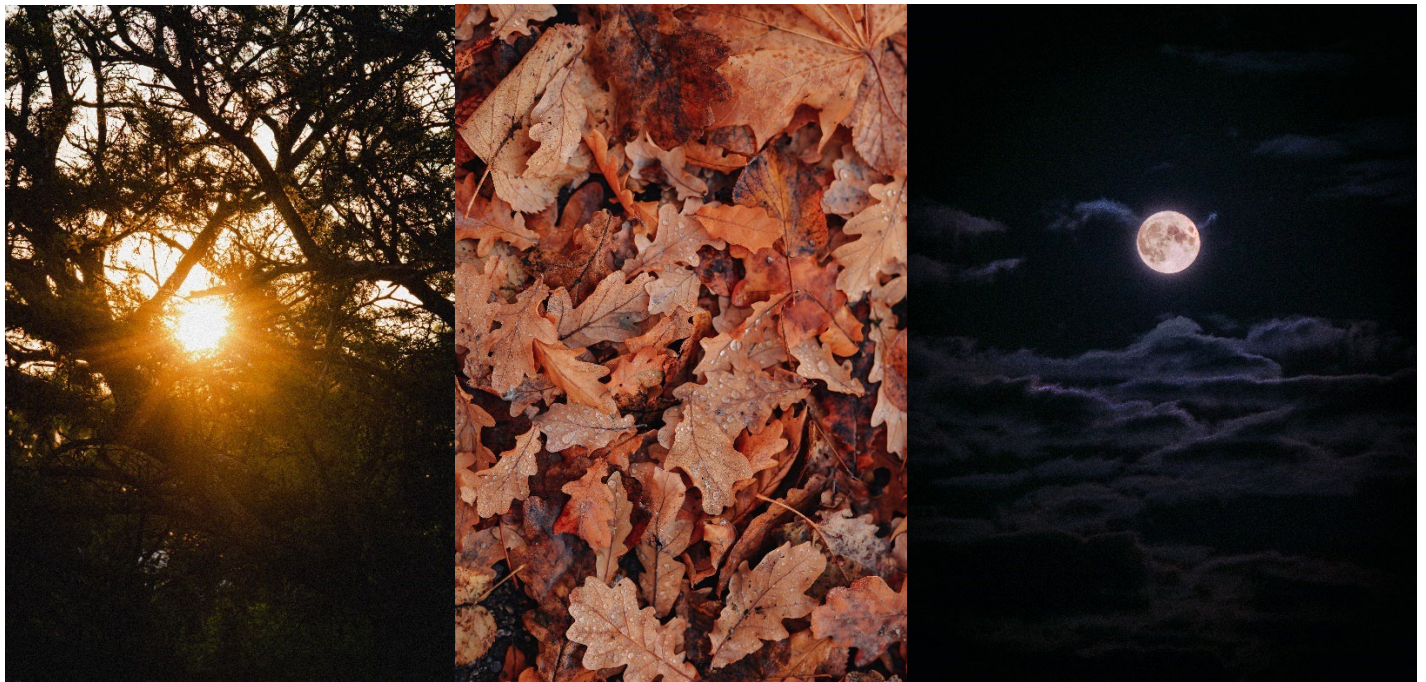


Christ Church, Morningside

DIOCESAN COMMUNICATIONS

Have you got news or stories from your church you'd like to share? If so, our Communications Officer Miranda would love to hear from you! Please drop her a line at communications@dioceseofedinburgh.org to share your goings on.

We also have active Facebook, Twitter and Instagram accounts for all the activities in the Diocese. Please do not hesitate to send Miranda your best pictures of anything you would like to be shared on our social media accounts, whether it be a coffee morning, charity fundraiser, or a special service e.g. blessing of pets. We love getting your pictures and stories!



If you have any lovely Autumn-themed pictures of your church cloaked in golden leaves, or illuminated by the late afternoon sun, do send them to Miranda at communications@dioceseofedinburgh.org

If you've any news, stories or photos you'd like to share, please drop Miranda a line.

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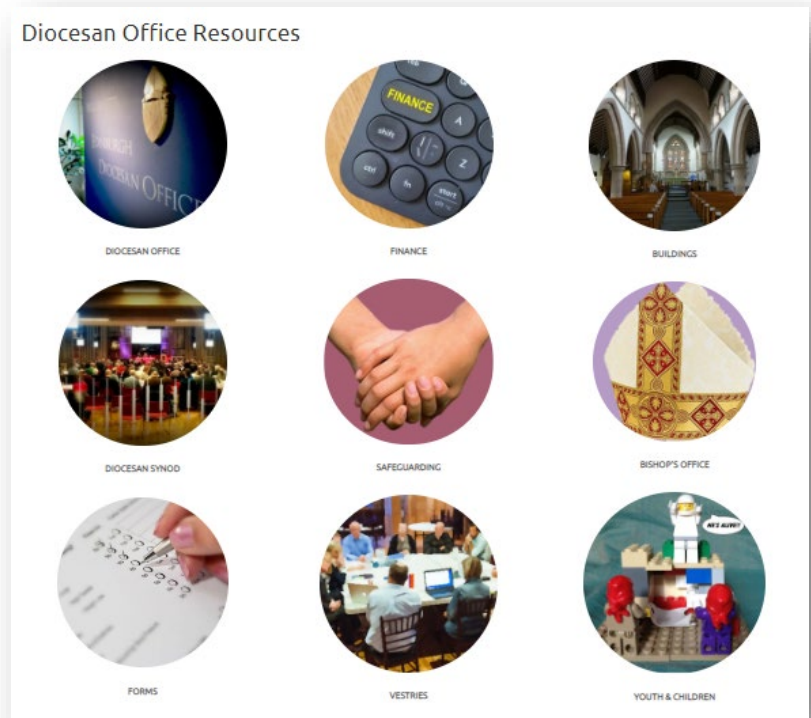
Instagram: @dioceseofedinburgh

In case you are new to the diocese, you may like to know that we have a website page with resources and answers to many of your questions at:

<https://edinburgh.anglican.org/diocesan-office-resources/>

Subjects are:

- Diocesan Office
- Finance
- Buildings
- Synod
- Safeguarding
- Bishop's Office
- Forms
- Vestries
- Youth & Children



Have a browse!

DIOCESAN ENVIRONMENT GROUP – WEBPAGE PUBLISHED



Our new **Diocesan Environment Group** will help support and encourage charges to work towards net zero carbon emissions by 2030. It reports to the Diocesan Standing Committee. The website of the Diocesan Environment Group is packed with ideas and resources to help the SEC become carbon neutral by 2030. It includes sections on Sharing Stories, Resources and Funding. The group is being led by Bethany Nelson, and you can contact her at bethany@psandgs.org.uk. The website can be found at <https://edinburgh.anglican.org/environment/>

The September newsletter can be found here: <https://edinburgh.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/DEG-Newsletter-Sept22.pdf>

Some of the resources available include:

- A toolkit by The Provincial Environment Group of The Scottish Episcopal Church to guide churches towards reaching net zero;
- The **Energy Footprint Analyser** to calculate your carbon emissions associated with heating and energy usage;
- A series of webinars by the Church of England.

You can also visit the Heat Hack scheme to help churches and other community buildings become more energy efficient: <https://heathack.org>

ONLINE SUPPORT FORUM

There are now **50 users** signed up to the various forums.
Recent posts (in the last few weeks) include:

- *What is the process for erecting signage outside a church building?*
- *GDPR – retaining data? how long?*
- *Contactless donations*
- *Energy suppliers*



Why not join up and subscribe?

If you wish to subscribe to the forum, you can do so here:

<https://edinburgh.anglican.org/forum-registration/>

COMMITTEES

- 14th Nov Buildings Committee
- 17th Nov Mission and Ministry Committee
- 24th Nov Standing Committee

You can now fill in the C35 application directly in a PDF form!

<https://edinburgh.anglican.org/diocesan-vestry-resources/resources-diocesan-office-buildings/>

DIARY

THE BISHOP'S DIARY

- Sunday 13th Nov Preaching at St Giles, National Remembrance Service
- Sunday 20th Nov Preaching and Presiding, Mustard Seed, Easter Road
- Sunday 27th Nov City of Edinburgh Blessing at the Nativity, St Andrew Square
- Sunday 4th Nov Presiding at St Peter's, Lutton Place
- Sunday 4th Nov Ordination of Jo Twigg to the Priesthood, St Paul's and St George's

NOTICES

Come and Sing Carols for BBC Scotland Watchnight

Tern TV is producing [Christmas Celebration](#), readings and carols presented by Sally Magnusson, to be screened just before midnight on Christmas Eve on BBC ONE Scotland and on iPlayer.

We are recording in [St Mary's Cathedral, Palmerston Place, Edinburgh](#), from 7pm-10pm on [Thursday 17th November](#).

If you'd like to be a member of the congregation, please email susan.burgess@terntv.com with your name and phone number. If you are a part singer (but you don't have to be), please indicate if you are Soprano, Alto, Tenor or Bass.

We look forward to seeing you.

Jo Clifford and Lesley Orr's The Covid Requiem

Performances of The Covid Requiem on **Thurs 10th/Fri 11th Nov, 7pm**, by Jo Clifford and Lesley Orr, with the Choir singing Faure's Requiem.

Jo Clifford and Lesley Orr's The Covid Requiem is a beautiful and emotional work, written as a reflection and as a remembrance. Alongside the Choir of St Mary's Cathedral, Edinburgh, singing Gabriel Fauré's exquisite Requiem Mass, the words and music form a dialogue in which we can reflect on the strangeness and tragedy of the last few years, and remember all those who have died, and all those who mourn.

Tickets are available here: www.traverse.co.uk/whats-on/event/the-covid-requiem. The writer, Jo Clifford, is also looking to incorporate personal stories into the text. If you would like a friend or loved one remembered, please email their name and a little snippet about them - e.g. 'Gordon Smith, who loved classic cars' - to Marion Chatterley (marion@cathedral.net). This can be someone who has died of Covid, or anyone who has died since the pandemic began, since Covid undoubtedly affected them and their loved ones.

Free Community Activities with Bethany Christian Trust

Are you looking for warm, friendly spaces to help connect individuals from your church into the community, and a place for them to learn new skills, build confidence and meet new people?

This Autumn we'd love you to visit Bethany's free community activities happening across the city. Our varied programme includes computer drop-ins, lunchtime meals, recovery groups, conversational English groups, a toddler group, homework club and men's activity group, along with opportunities for walking, crafting, upcycling, creative writing and more.

Our activities are open to all from across the city, particularly for those who are lonely and socially isolated and potentially at risk of homelessness. Feedback from those attending our groups has included:

- *"I've got more structure in my life again and different groups to get along to in the week. It's taken me away from the things that were stressful and taking up my time."*
- *"It's built up my confidence and it pushes you to do something you wouldn't normally do. This place helps you build yourself back up."*
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For more information about our groups, please see the attached programmes or check out our new website for further details <https://bethanychristiantrust.com/get-help/>

We'd be grateful if you could also share our Autumn programmes with your congregations, and as always, we would love to hear from you about any ways you'd like to get involved with our work so please do get in touch!

Vacancy for the position of **Convener of the Ethical Investment Advisory Group** at the General Synod Office.

A convener for the reconstituted Ethical Investment Advisory Group (EIAG) is being sought, and any lay or ordained members of the SEC who are interested in the position are being encouraged to get in touch. An interest in Christian ethics and a basic knowledge of investments is essential. The ethics of investments are complex and the convener will have oversight of a group where differing views are held in tension. The group will work closely with Investment Committee and report to Standing Committee. The overarching aim will be to provide advice that is grounded in Christian theology, but practicable for Investment Committee to implement. It is anticipated that the group will meet twice a year either online or in person at the General Synod Office.

If you would like to register an interest in the Convenership post or would like more information about it please contact Malcolm Bett (treasurer@scotland.anglican.org) or Daphne Audsley (DaphneA@scotland.anglican.org).

The Reverend Aaron Moffat-Jackman (Priest-in-Charge, St Peter's Episcopal Church, Musselburgh) will be presenting two episodes of New Every Sunday on BBC Radio Scotland for Black History Month. They'll be aired at 7.30am on Sunday 2nd and 9th October and will be available on BBC Sounds for the following month, at the following link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m00lcp4d>

In addition, St Peter's Church in Musselburgh are looking for a votive candle stand that someone might be throwing away, or willing to sell at an affordable price. If you are able to help, please contact Revd Moffat-Jackman directly using the contact details below.

Reverend Aaron Moffat-Jackman, Priest-in-Charge, St Peter's Episcopal Church, Musselburgh
revaaron@stpeters.scot 07717893466



From the HISTORIC RELIGIOUS BUILDINGS ALLIANCE (HRBA):

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS TO SAVE ENERGY AND MONEY

At the recent Church of England DAC Conference, a crowd-sourced note of practical suggestions was started to save parishes energy and money with the winter heating season fast upon us.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1n8AjYIkam1LFskMiaun3FwUY6Nx7n9HfaOwFsFQdNeM/edit>

NATIONAL CHURCHES TRUST: MAINTENANCE GRANT

The Foundation Grant Programme offers our small grants of between £500 and £5,000 towards urgent maintenance works and small repairs identified as high priority within a recent Quinquennial Inspection or Survey Report. Also, small investigative works and surveys. Project costs should be up to £10,000 excl. VAT and awards will never exceed 50% of the costs. Decisions are made on a rolling basis.

<https://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/get-support/grants/foundation-maintenance>

BISHOP'S LENT APPEAL

Bishop of Edinburgh
Lent Appeal

INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR BISHOP'S LENT APPEAL 2023

The Bishop of Edinburgh is inviting bids and nominations from people across the Diocese for what could be the focus of the Bishop's Lent Appeal in 2023.

Bishop John Armes sponsors a Lent Appeal each year with the funds raised shared equally between two charitable organisations. One at home within Edinburgh Diocese and the UK and one elsewhere in the world.

Over the past few years we have contributed to a wide variety of projects such as sewing machines in Papua New Guinea, the work of IJM, and of the Ecumenical Accompaniment Programme in Palestine and Israel.

In our home diocese we have supported Waverley Care and Faith in Older People and St John and recently Fresh Start Borders, helping families move from homelessness to permanent tenancies.

Last year saw us supporting one charity, based at home and supporting those worldwide.

Although it may seem early, we would hope that you can help by submitting your suggestion by **Friday 18th November 2022**. This allows us time to contact the successful nominee to discuss their goals and expectations and allow for planning.

Nominations should be no more than a single A4 side of information about what they do although web links can be included. Where appropriate, please do let us know of any personal involvement with your nominee or a note about how you know of them and if available, the contact details of the charitable organisation itself.

Please send your suggestions for the attention of Bishop John at BishopsPA@dioceseofedinburgh.org

CANON 35

The Diocesan Buildings Committee has granted consent for the following projects:

- **Jedburgh St John the Evangelist** – Installation of defibrillator
- **Dalkeith St Mary the Virgin** – Installation of CCTV cameras
- **Linlithgow St Peter's** – Church sound system
- **Penicuik St James the Less** – Installation of live-streaming camera
- **Edinburgh St Michael and All Saints** – Removal of chancel platform
- **Edinburgh Christ Church Morningside** – Temporary/trial – lectern steps/rail
- **Edinburgh St Cuthbert's Colinton** – New electronic organ
- **Edinburgh St Salvador's** – Creation of Peace Garden
- **West Linton, St Mungo** – New heating system
- **Jedburgh, St John the Evangelist** – Additional board for incumbents' names
- **Kelso, St Andrew** – Removal of 3 pews and replacement with chairs
- **Edinburgh St Mark's Portobello** – Installation of bike racks and bin store
- **Edinburgh St James the Less, Leith** – Installation of live-streaming cameras
- **Edinburgh St David of Scotland, Pilton** – Replacement of external signage
- **Dalmahoy, St Mary** – Installation of new heating

New Convener sought for Ethical Investment Advisory Group

A convener for the reconstituted Ethical Investment Advisory Group (EIAG) is being sought, and any lay or ordained members of the SEC who are interested in the position are being encouraged to get in touch.

In June this year General Synod adopted the revised Ethical Investment Policy Statement for the SEC Unit Trust Pool (UTP). Drafting this was the final part of the remit of the EIAG which had been set up to look at specific issues relating to the UTP arising from General Synod 2019.

Standing Committee has agreed that EIAG should be reconstituted with a new remit, and is now seeking someone to convene the new group for the next five years. An interest in Christian ethics and a basic knowledge of investments is essential. The ethics of investments are complex and the convener will have oversight of a group where differing views are held in tension. The group will work closely with Investment Committee and report to Standing Committee.

The focus of the new group will be to provide advice to Investment Committee on matters relating to ethical investment, principally to consider how the broad aspirations in the Ethical Investment Policy Statement and the associated Policy on the use of Pooled Funds (2019) can be put into practice for the UTP. It is envisaged that the work will include discussion of topics recommended and requested by Standing Committee and other committees, as well as responding to concerns raised by members of the SEC in relation to the implications of current events.

The overarching aim will be to provide advice that is grounded in Christian theology, but practicable for Investment Committee to implement.

It is anticipated that the group will meet twice a year either online or in person at the General Synod Office.

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Advent 2022



Treasuring the Questions: Weekly Reflections Online

During Advent, we remember a time of strange arrivals, quiet miracles, God come to earth as an infant, and a lot of other things we don't really understand. This series is about journeying faithfully when we have more questions than answers, valuing the moments of light, learning to trust through the days of darkness. A new audio reflection is available each week to listen to in your own time. Additional reflective material includes writing, poetry, images and Scripture. Starts November 26th. Cost: £25, see website for details.

Trusting the Mystery: A Quiet Day for Advent

Saturday 26th November, 10.30-4pm, Christ Church Centre, Morningside

This Quiet Day is an invitation to pause and catch our breath, make space in our hearts for the gifts of this season. It offers a chance to ponder the things we might not understand, treasure the questions, watch for the light. The day will draw on a mixture of reflective approaches and creative material, with guided reflections and individual quiet time. Can stand alone or as introduction to the online series. Cost: £30 (£20 conc) includes lunch.

IMAGE: JOSH BOOT/UNSPLASH

Reflective Events for Advent 2022
Book on www.heartinpilgrimage.org.uk

PROPERTY & PLANNING

Churches and Historic Buildings: Bats

For information

The Lord Bishop of St Albans [asked](#) His Majesty's Government "how many (1) church buildings, and (2) other historical buildings, in the UK are adversely affected by the presence of bat roosts."

In response, the new Minister for Civil Society, Lord Kamall, said that "[data from partner bodies] highlighted that around 60% of pre-16th century churches contain bat roosts, many home to nationally important breeding colonies. Churches are known to house larger roosts than other, natural sites. Of 120 churches with bats consulted by the project partnership, for the 2015 project questionnaire, 90 churches reported damage caused by bats to the fabric of the church building, 81 churches reported damage to more than one monument, and 97 churches reported damage to fixtures and fittings."

[Source: Parliament, 22 September]

Government outlines plans to help cut energy bills for businesses

For information

BEIS has announced that through the [Energy Bill Relief Scheme](#), the Government will provide a discount on wholesale gas and electricity prices for all non-domestic customers (including all UK businesses, the voluntary sector like charities and the public sector such as schools and hospitals) whose current gas and electricity prices have been significantly inflated in light of global energy prices. This support will be equivalent to the [Energy Price Guarantee](#) put in place for households.

It will apply to fixed contracts agreed on or after 1 April 2022, as well as to deemed, variable and flexible tariffs and contracts. It will apply to energy usage from 1 October 2022 to 31 March 2023, running for an initial six-month period for all non-domestic energy users. The savings will be first seen in October bills, which are typically received in November. Customers do not need to take action or apply to the scheme to access the support. Support (in the form of a p/kWh discount) will automatically be applied to bills. The level of price reduction for each business will vary depending on their contract type and circumstances (see [here](#)).



2 Staff Vacancies at St Mungo's Church, Balerno

St Mungo's is a large contemporary and family-focused Word and Spirit Church located principally in the suburban village of Balerno in southwest Edinburgh but with a second location in Livingston.

Our vision is to Be Love and we place a high value during our gatherings on sung worship, Bible-based teaching, prayer ministry focused on the renewing work of the Holy Spirit and outreach.

We are a church with multiple ministries serving the communities of both Balerno and Livingston in the areas of community outreach; youth and children's work; pastoral care and counselling.

We are looking to fill the following 2 posts:

1. Livingston Youth and Children's Worker [21-25 hours per week]; Salary is c.£33,000-£35,000 [pro rata] depending on experience. [No closing date]
2. Team Administrator [Permanent post: 20 hours per week]; Salary is c.£25,000-£28,200 [pro rata] depending on experience. [Closing date: 31 October 22]

** All positions receive benefits including a pension scheme with 10% employer contribution, 7 weeks' annual leave [5 weeks + public holidays] and a training and development budget.*

Full application packs can be downloaded from the vacancies page on our website [<https://stmungos.org/vacancies>] and more details available by contacting recruitment@stmungos.org.

St Mungo's is a Christian organisation and all posts carry an Occupational Requirement in line with Equality Act 2010. Applicants should have and be able to evidence an active Christian faith and commitment.



Word and Spirit



Worship and Prayer



Family



Kingdom

The Lantern Group invites you to ...

A Morning for Quiet Reflection

Finding God today

- Through the Mess
- None the Less



Please let us know if you plan to attend.

Please phone 01368 850604 or email: janet.mckinnell@btinternet.com and indicate whether you will be at Holy Trinity or will join us online the following week.

The programme will be led by members of the Lantern Group, who share a common interest in the Ignatian way of prayer and spiritual development.

Saturday 5 Nov 2022

Holy Trinity Church,
Haddington

10.00am to 1.00pm

Coffee, tea and biscuits provided. Please bring sandwiches for a shared lunch at the end.

Saturday 12 Nov 2022

Online via Zoom

Room will open at 10.00am
for a 10.15 start

Link will be sent to those who register (see above) a couple of days before.

Bring your own coffee/tea!



Words written and performed by
Jo Clifford and Lesley Orr

The Covid Requiem

Music by Fauré sung by The Choir of
St Mary's Cathedral

A reflection on and remembrance of recent times, with original words and iconic music

Thu 10 & Fri 11 Nov • 7pm

St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral

Palmerston Place, Edinburgh EH12 5AW



Book via the Traverse Theatre

Tickets: £15 (concs available)

traverse.co.uk
0131 228 1404



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St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral is a Scottish Charity (SC014741).

www.cathedral.net



CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, MURRAYFIELD

On Saturday 12 November at 5pm

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Edinburgh City Organist

**John
Kitchen**

**From Bach and Elgar to
Gilbert & Sullivan**

♪ A wide-ranging
programme of organ
favourites ♪

**Followed by Fizz and
🍷 Nibbles!! 🍷**

Admission by donation (suggested £10 per adult)
to defray costs and fund future concerts.

To book your place contact Linny Lawson on
linnylawson@hotmail.co.uk or by phone to
(0131) 337 3476. Seats will be unreserved.

The Church of the Good Shepherd,
13 Murrayfield Avenue,
EH12 6AU.



Dr John Kitchen MBE

Come and Sing Carols for BBC Scotland Watchnight

17th November 2022

at 7-10 P.M.

St Mary's Cathedral, Palmerston Place

Edinburgh EH12 5AW

Tern TV is producing Christmas Celebration, readings and carols presented by Sally Magnusson, to be screened just before midnight on Christmas Eve on BBC ONE Scotland and on iPlayer.

If you'd like to be a member of the congregation, please email susan.burgess@terntv.com with your name and phone number. If you are a part singer (but you don't have to be), please indicate if you are Soprano, Alto, Tenor or Bass. We look forward to seeing you.



**Come
and Sing!**

Handel's
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Sat 10 December

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Organist **Imogen Morgan** from St Mary's Cathedral

St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral
Palmerston Place, Edinburgh EH12 5AW
www.cathedral.net

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BRIDGE *to* FREEDOM

Christian Recovery Programme

MONDAYS 2-4PM IN LEITH
THURSDAYS 2-4PM IN MOREDUN
FRIDAYS 2-4PM IN GOREBRIDGE

ONLY REQUIREMENT NEEDED IS A WILLINGNESS
TO GET WELL & BREAK FREE FROM SUBSTANCES

EMAIL JOEMCCORMACK@BETHANYCHRISTIANTRUST.COM OR
PHONE 07458016976 FOR VENUE DETAILS & MORE INFO



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LEITH FRIENDLY CRAFTERS

With Inspiring Leith. Chat and work on your own craft project . For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

BRIDGE TO FREEDOM

A Christian recovery programme which includes both group and 1 to 1 sessions. For more information contact Joe on 07458 016 976.

CLICK & CONNECT COMPUTER DROP-IN

Get help with computer skills, writing a CV, online forms, emails, bidding for houses and more. Please contact Marina on 07436 379 806 to book a place.

UPCYCLING

With Inspiring Leith. Come and learn with others to upcycle items which can then be sold to benefit the work of Bethany Christian Trust. For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

WALKING GROUP

With Inspiring Leith. Enjoy a walk with others . For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

THE BUGLE CREATIVE WRITING GROUP

Get support to write an article, poem or story in thematically based creative writing sessions. Opportunities to see your work published in print or online. Artwork and photography also considered for publication. For more information contact Sam on 07818 893 093.

MEN'S GROUP

Join in weekly activities, learn new skills & meet others. We meet at South Leith Baptist Church. For more information contact Sophie on 07990 078 377.

CONVERSATION CLUB

With Inspiring Leith. Learn English in a relaxed and fun environment . For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

CITADEL COURT GARDENING

Work with other local residents on the garden next to Citadel and Persevere Court. For more information contact Hannah on 07879 121 682.

ACTIVITIES AT CABLE WYND HOUSE

Gardening and craft activities or planning with residents of the flats. In the garden or foyer. For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

HEALTH ISSUES IN THE COMMUNITY

With Inspiring Leith. Find out more about health issues effecting the community . For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

BOOK GROUP

A down-to-earth group that reads for the pure joy of it. Join us on zoom 885 1919 5801. For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

THE WELL

The Well is a clean, dry, music and spoken word event which exists to give artists and performers an opportunity to share their art with a wider audience maybe for the first time. For more information contact Colin on 07919 557 691.

WHAT'S ON IN LEITH

Autumn/ Winter

2022/23

FREE COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES WITH BETHANY CHRISTIAN TRUST

WEBSITE

www.bethanychristiantrust.com



BethanyChristianTrust1



@bethanychtrust



MONDAY

LEITH FRIENDLY CRAFTERS

10.30am

In the Learning Centre

BRIDGE TO FREEDOM RECOVERY GROUP

2pm - 4pm

Please contact Joe for venue details on 07458 016 976

TUESDAY

CLICK & CONNECT COMPUTER DROP-IN

10.30am - 12.30pm

In the Learning Centre

UPCYCLING

1pm - 2.30pm

Ocean Terminal Community Space

WEDNESDAY

WALKING GROUP

10.30am

**Please contact Colin for dates and information on 07919 557 691*

THE BUGLE CREATIVE WRITING GROUP

1.30pm - 3.30pm

In the Learning Centre

THURSDAY

MEN'S GROUP

10.30am - 12.30pm

South Leith Baptist Church

CONVERSATION CLUB

11am - 12.30pm

Ocean Terminal Community Space

CITIDEL COURT GARDENING

10am

In the community garden next to Citadel and Persevere Court

ACTIVITIES AT CABLES WYND HOUSE

3pm - 4.30pm

In the garden next to Cables Wynd House

HEALTH ISSUES IN THE COMMUNITY

Taster sessions commencing on 15th September.

**Please contact Colin on 07919 557 691 for more details*

FRIDAY

BOOK GROUP

2.30pm

Join us on zoom 885 1919 5801

1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

THE WELL MUSIC NIGHT

7pm - 9pm

St James Episcopal Church

FINDS US AT

THE LEARNING CENTRE

65 Bonnington Road, EH6 5JQ

OCEAN TERMINAL COMM SPACE

1st Floor, 74 Ocean Drive, EH6 6JJ

LEITH MOUNT SURGERY

2 Lindsay St, EH6 4EG

SOUTH LEITH BAPTIST CHURCH

Casselbank Street, EH6 5HA

CITADEL COURT

Couper Street, EH6 6JP

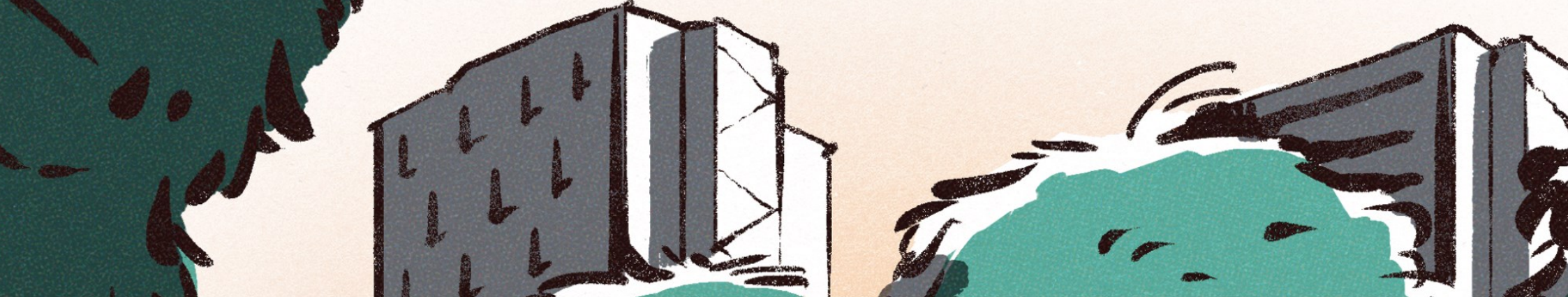
HAMILTON WYND

Lindsay Street, EH6 4BG

ST JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH

11A John's Place, Leith, EH6

Our Community Development work in Edinburgh is made possible thanks to the generous support of many individuals, communities, partner organisations & supporters. We acknowledge the support of the Scottish Government through a CYPFEIF & ALEC fund, Digital Lifelines, Improvement Fund and the Edinburgh Health and Social Care Partnership.



In Moredun we work in partnership with a number of organisations, including the Tron Kirk Gilmerton & Moredun, St Barnabas Episcopal Church and Edinburgh City Council.

Contact Us

For more information about Bethany's work in Moredun please contact our Edinburgh Community Development team on 0131 454 3119

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Moredun What's On

**AUTUMN/WINTER
2022/23**

FREE ACTIVITIES IN THE
MOREDUN COMMUNITY



Baby & Toddler Group

Mondays 9.30am - 11.30am

Goodtrees

Join us with your wee one for crafts, stories, toys, music, refreshments, fun and support.

Contact Rilza for more information on 07823 413 004 or rilzamontgomery@bethanychristiantrust.com

Everyday English

Tuesday mornings online & Goodtrees

Develop your English language skills in a relaxed setting.

This women's group is suitable for beginners and anyone who wants to improve their English. It focuses on conversational English as well as some reading and writing. The classes are a mix of learning online and face to face at Goodtrees Neighbourhood Centre.

Contact Felicity for more information on 07890 557 398 or felicityfyall@bethanychristiantrust.com

Homework Club

Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

Goodtrees

Do you speak English as an additional language? Would you like to help your child with their homework? Come along as a family for our weekly Homework Club, run in partnership with Edinburgh City Council. ESOL support is also available for parents to help them gain skills and confidence in helping their children with the Scottish curriculum and to communicate with the school.

Please note that parents are expected to stay and work with their child during the group.

Contact Rilza for more information on 07823 413 004 or rilzamontgomery@bethanychristiantrust.com

Bridge to Freedom Recovery Group

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Bridge to Freedom is a Christian recovery programme which includes both group and 1 to 1 sessions. The group is open to people of all faith and no faith, who are serious about the recovery journey.

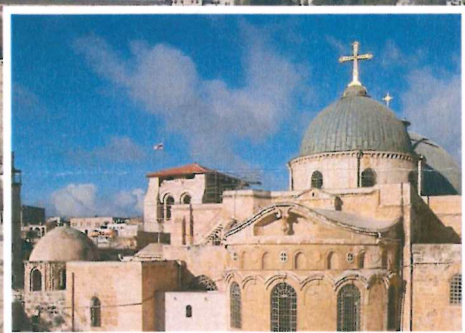
We look at topics such as identity, anger management, coping with stress and forgiveness.

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