

# W e l c o m e   t o   L i b e r t o n   N o r t h f i e l d

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We extend a warm welcome to any visitors who have joined us today, and our prayer for all who gather is that each one of us may meet with the Living God in our time of worship together.

### Sunday

10.30am 'Prayer time in vestry. (All welcome)

11.00am 'Morning Worship'

6.30pm 'Evening Worship'

### Monday

2.00 to 3.00pm Mum's and Tot's Group .'

### Wednesday

10.30am to 11.30am 'Prayer in Church.'

7.30pm 'Bible Study and Alpha Follow-up Groups.'

### Friday

9.30am to 11.30am 'New Life Tots.'

### Saturday

10.00am to 11.00am 'Prayer Meeting in Upper Room.'

### Sunday

10.30am 'Prayer time in vestry. (All welcome)

11.00am 'Morning Worship'

6.30pm 'Evening Worship – To be confirmed

### Fellowship

After our service, tea/ coffee will be served in the Large Hall , all our welcome.

### Recordings

A copy of our weekly service is available on CD for anyone interested including all past services.

These can be requested from our sound men on the computer.

### Prayer Ministry

If you have a specific need and would like someone to pray with you, please wait behind after the service in the area to the right of the pulpit.

In the interests of all, we would encourage all mobile phone users to please switch off their phones during the time of worship.

Liberton Northfield Parish Church – for newsletter 25 May 2014  
from Rev Dr Jared Hay, Interim Moderator.

### Update from Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee has been going about its business quietly and diligently in the background, but we want to bring you up to date with our progress.

Following the advertising of the vacancy, we had quite a number of inquiries, some of which resulted in applications being received. However, after interview, while the applicants had many strong attributes, the NC decided not to pursue the matter further, with one applicant withdrawing.

In that this is a mutual process of exploring the suitability of applicants for LN, it has worked well, but without a positive result as yet. However, there is still an inquiry that we are not yet in a position to follow up fully, and if it does not lead us to the appropriate person we will re-advertise in due course.

One or two of the NC have indicated that they have been asked questions about their work. Please resist the temptation to ask. We will be going about our work as expected and when we have something to tell you we will tell the whole Church to keep everyone informed. Keep us all in your prayers, and continue to ask for God to touch someone with a real sense of call to serve him here.

### The Chewachong family

It's a great joy to be with you today for the Presentation of Arielle-Amora Amosons. This is a pre-baptismal ritual within the culture of the Church in Cameroon, and we are delighted to share it with Amos and Florence and the children today, presenting their little daughter before God for his blessing. Remember them all in your prayers as they adapt to having a larger family within a different culture.

Blessings  
Jared.

### USEFUL NUMBERS

If you are aware of anyone who requires or may benefit from a visit then please contact:  
Irene Hoy (664 8413) or Rachael Whyte (664 5974)

## Kids Club October 13-17 2014

There is a meeting on Tuesday June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm at Liberton Northfield with Angus Morrison (our team leader from Scripture Union) for ANYONE interested in helping out at the kids club in October. . If you like working with primary school age children come along and see where you can use your talents. It is important to come to this meeting to apply for Protection of Vulnerable Group or PVG registration in advance (by the end of August) and this takes a few weeks to process. If you already have PVG registration, please bring your membership number with you. If you can't make it to this meeting but would like to be involved, please let Helen Palmer know (Helenpalm10@aol.com). Thanks.

## Our Flower Ministry

Every week flowers brighten up our church because we have a flower ministry. Some people new to our church and also not so new may not know how it operates. Well briefly here is how it works, there's a Flower List in the Hall of Friendship (that's the name for the area between the sanctuary and the church hall), simply write your name beside the date on which you want to donate the church flowers. Most people donate church flowers to commemorate dates special to them, such as a birthday, anniversary or the passing of a loved one. Typical donations are around £20 and the money should be given to Evelyn Eadie, usually on the Sunday before the date in question or on the particular Sunday. Evelyn purchases and expertly arranges the flowers in the church. After the service, you'll see several ladies arrange the flowers into bundles. These flowers are then distributed to people, mainly within our parish but this is not a prerequisite, who are ill, house-bound or just in need of encouragement. There's also a 'flower box' for donations, located in the middle of the rear pew.

Thanks for continuing to support this very important ministry.

Members of the property committee would like to invite people to join in the annual clean up day 31st May 9am to 12pm. We are looking for people to clean in the church buildings with group members to clean out old unwanted items from their cupboards. A gardening group is also required to work in the Manse.

Please come along celebrate the Church's birthday on Pentecost Sunday 8th June 2-4pm at KLM's Celebration Sunday on the KLM Land, Gracemount Avenue. There will be Light and Life and fun and games and music and free ice-cream

At Celebrate Recovery in the Hub Ravenscroft Street on Thursday 29th May, 7 for 7.30 pm, Emily Ackerman is coming to share the amazing story of her journey to healing and wholeness, of how God kept her and her family through 2 decades of illness and touched her and restored her to health last year. (Meal at 7.30pm). Contact Shona Haggie (664 4352) for further details.