

*EAGLAIS GHÀIDHEALACH
NAM MANACH LIATH*



GREYFRIARS

kirk in worship

life in all its fullness / beatha na lànachd

**Dr Duncan Sneddon
Sunday 08 March 2020**

SEIRBHIS GHÀIDHLIG

SALM 96: 1 – 4

ÙRNAIGH

Adhradh Aideachadh Aslachadh

SEANN TIOMNADH

Genesis 32: 22 – 32

TIOMNADH NUADH

Lucas 18: 1 – 14

Taisbeanadh 5: 1 – 8

SALM 143: 1 – 2

SEARMON

TABHARTAS

ÙRNAIGH agus ÙRNAIGH AN TIGHEARNA (The Lord's Prayer)

Ar n-Athair a tha air nèamh, Gu naomhaichear d'ainm.
Thigeadh do rìoghachd. Dèanar do thoil air an talamh,
mar a nìthear air nèamh.

Tabhair dhuinn an-diugh ar n-aran làitheil. Agus math dhuinn
ar fiachan, amhail a mhaitheas sinne dar luchd-fiach.

Agus na leig ann am buaireadh sinn; ach saor sinn o olc; oir
is leatsa an rìoghachd, agus an cumhachd, agus a' ghlòir,
gu sìorraidh.

AMEN

SALM 86: 1 – 3

AM BEANNACHADH

SALM: Metrical Psalms are found in the last section of the Bible
or New Testament.

Readings are from the 1992 Revised Gaelic Bible. Visitors may also follow the
New Testament passages from the Gaelic-English Testaments available.

Visitors are invited to join us informally, after the Service.

(Church Notices on separate sheet)

For this week's congregational notes, please see the separate sheet.

NOTES

The Kirk's new and improved **web site** is at www.greyfriarskirk.com. Please visit it for up-to-date information on all our activities.

The **Minister**, Richard Frazer or the **Associate Minister**, Ken Luscombe, are happy to meet anyone to discuss any matter. To arrange an appointment or a visit, whether you are a member or not, please contact either Richard on 667-6610 or by email at minister@greyfriarskirk.com, or Ken by email at associateminister@greyfriarskirk.com, or the Kirk office on 225-1900.

The **Gaelic Service** at 12.30 pm today is led by Dr Duncan Sneddon. Later, the **Study Service** at 7.00 pm in the Charteris Centre, 140 Pleasance, will be on the topic " LIFE IN CHRIST: THE LAW FULFILLED AND TRANSCENDED".

Forthcoming Services:

Thursday 12 March: Mid-week Prayers at 1.10 pm – please join us
for 20 minutes of quiet prayer and reflection.

Sunday 15 March: Morning Service at 11.00 am.

Gaelic Service at 12.30 pm – Mr John Archie MacMillan.

Refugio at 7.00 pm – Holy Communion with silence and symbol.

Sunday 22 March: Morning Service at 11.00 am, and Gaelic Service at 12.30 pm.

Sunday 29 March: Holy Communion at 11.00 am, and Gaelic Service at 12.30 pm.

Sunday 5 April: Holy Communion at 9.30 am, and Morning Service at 11.00 am.

Gaelic Service at 12.30 pm.

Traffic restriction: because of the replacement of a gas main in Teviot Place, there will be **no right turn** from Teviot Place into Forrest Road until 29 March. Meanwhile, the only vehicle access to the Kirk will be via Lauriston Place then turning **left** into Forrest Road.

The Greyfriars **lunchtime concert** at 12 noon this Thursday, 12 March, will be a recital by accordion duo **Valerie Barr** and **Alena Bulatetskya**.

This Thursday, 12 March, there will be the regular **Coffee Morning** from 10.30 am to 12 noon at the Charteris Centre, 140 Pleasance.

Heart for Art continues on Thursday 12 March, from 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm at the Charteris Centre, 140 Pleasance. There are information leaflets on one of the tables in the Kirk.

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Next Sunday, 15 March, at the morning Service will see the ordination of two new elders, Anne Bradbury and Jamie Sutherland, whom we welcome to the Kirk Session.

Trees help in maintaining the ecological balance of the earth by emission of oxygen and absorption of carbon dioxide. Fruit orchards are also wonderful places for community. Come and witness the planting of the first five trees of the Orchard Project in the Greyfriars Kirkyard between the 11 am and 12:30 pm services on Sunday the 15th of March. We'd love to have you join us for this special time!

All are welcome to this year's **Lent Studies** with our local ecumenical partners which begin next Sunday, 15 March, at 1.00 pm in Augustine United Church on George IV Bridge, and will continue until 5 April. Each study session will consist of a film showing, followed by discussion.

The **Kirk Session** will meet in the Kirk at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 25 March.

Invitation to the Robin Chapel, Craigmillar: in thanking Greyfriars Kirk Session and congregation for the recent welcome gift of Communion Silver, the Trustees of the Thistle Foundation would like to welcome any visitors to the **Robin Chapel** (in Niddrie Mains Road, EH16 4EA -- see www.robinchapel.org.uk) at 2.00 pm on Thursday 26 March. Visitors will be given the opportunity to learn of the history of the Robin Chapel, its Royal connections, and its ongoing work. There will be the opportunity to view the outstanding stained glass windows depicting scenes from the "Pilgrim's Progress", and the intricate wood carving which is unique. Visitors will also be invited to come to the Foundation's Centre for Wellbeing and learn something of the work done by its 450 staff with people facing various disabilities. Afternoon tea will round off the event which will end about 4.00 pm. The visit is free, but we would ask you to enrol for it on the Eventbrite website* so that we can have an indication of numbers for catering.

* <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/d/united-kingdom--edinburgh/events/> and search the events for 'robin chapel'.

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