***The vision of the Church of Scotland is to be a church which seeks to inspire the people of Scotland and beyond with the Good News of Jesus Christ through enthusiastic, worshipping, witnessing, nurturing and serving communities.***

Entry of the Bible

*(we stand as the Bible is brought into church)*

Introit ***Creation Sings*** *(words on screen)*

Welcome - Grace & Call to Worship

Praise **1112** *God, whose almighty power*

Prayer of Approach and the Lord’s Prayer

**CHAT FOR ALL**

Praise CMP 249 *How lovely on the mountains (v 1 & 4)*

**BIBLE READING Romans ch 10 v 8 – 15** (pg 1137)

(Audrey Gray)

Choir *The Lord’s my Shepherd*

**REFLECTION on GOD’s Word**

Praise MP 532 *O, the deep, deep love of Jesus*

**Prayers of Thanksgiving and for others**

**Praise** 251 *I, the Lord of sea and sky*

Benediction

**Notices**

**A warm welcome is extended to everyone** this morning and especially to any visitors worshipping with us today.

**Please take a few minutes to read the screens** as there may be information, which was received too late for the printed intimations.

Our minister, the **Rev. Fiona Maxwell, can be contacted** by telephone on 01563 521762, by mobile on 07507 312123 or by email, [FMaxwell@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:FMaxwell@churchofscotland.org.uk)

Next Sunday, 29 October, Worship will be led by the Rev Bill Jackson. The Minister will not be available from Friday 27 October to Wednesday 1st.  Please contact the Session Clerk if you have any pastoral concerns or questions.

The email address for the **Church Administrator** is kppcchurchoffice@gmail.com or phone 07394 173977. Please note the new email address for the church administrator.

If you are watching the service via live stream the digital order of service is available on the church website under the services page.

There is now creche and young church facilities in the side chapel, if you have children with you, please use this room as and when you need to.

Tea/coffee will be served after morning worship, please come down to the hall for a warm cuppa and even warmer chat and fellowship**.**

**Reachout Together** are holding an **Autism Awareness Information Evening** on Monday 23 October from 7pm – 9pm at Kay Park Church, please use the front door.

**The Guild** meet on Tuesday 24 October at 2pm when the speaker will be Rachael Hynes who will speak about Parkinson’s, all welcome.

**Wednesday Walkers** meet at the Kay Park at 10am at the top car park near the Burns Centre, enjoy a walk round the park and a good chat and then have coffee/tea in the church café. All welcome.

**Wednesday café** is open every Wednesday morning from 10am – 12 noon. Please tell your friends and neighbours and come and enjoy the company and chat.

**BLYTHSWOOD SHOEBOX APPEAL**

Our shoeboxes this year are going to Ukraine or Eastern Europe and should be brought to church next Sunday 29th October. Information leaflets can be found on the Communion Table as you enter church or downstairs at the office window.

If you have a few hours to spare in the first two weeks of November, Fullerton ConneXions in Irvine are looking for volunteers to help with the processing of all the boxes received in Irvine and Kilmarnock? Thank you in advance for your support.

**From Scotland to Taiwan exhibition** is from 8 October to 31 October in the St. George's Tron Church of Scotland, Glasgow. Exhibition open from 10.30 – 16.30 Mon – Sat.

**Fellowship of Kilmarnock Churches** next service is on Sunday 29 October at 3pm at Winton Place Church. This service will be looking at the work of Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF).

**Communion** will be celebrated as part of worship on Sunday 1 November.  Elders should meet in the halls at 10.30am

**The Fellowship of Kilmarnock Churches** newsletter for October is available on the Communion Table as you come into church.

**Foodbank**- Items can still be left at the back of the church in the wicker basket, these items are then taken to the Salvation Army for their foodbank, supplies are required urgently, so please give generously.

**New to Kay Park?**

If you are new to Kay Park, please feel free to approach the Minister, Rev Fiona on (01536) 521762 or the Session Clerk, Janette Steven, (01563) 401209, for further information about the Church and Membership.  If you would like information about giving to the church financially, please contact the Treasurer, Alex Steven on 01563 401209



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**Rev. Fiona Maxwell**

**Organist**

**Mr Alex Ferguson**