

SUNDAY 12TH APRIL 2020

E-NEWS

The replacement for our Pews News over the coming weeks, at Bellshill Central Parish Church

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HAPPY EASTER
THE LORD IS RISEN
HE IS RISEN IN-DEED!

Easter Sunday Online Morning Worship

Our Easter Sunday online worship begins at 10.45am via our watch live page or YouTube channel. We hope you can join us.

During the service we will celebrate together in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. So that we can share in this "virtually" please prepare for yourselves a piece of bread and some wine/juice.

The hymns this week are all part of the live worship so there is no need to have them on our E-NEWS leaving more room to share in some news about our church and church family.



EASTER SUNDAY READINGS

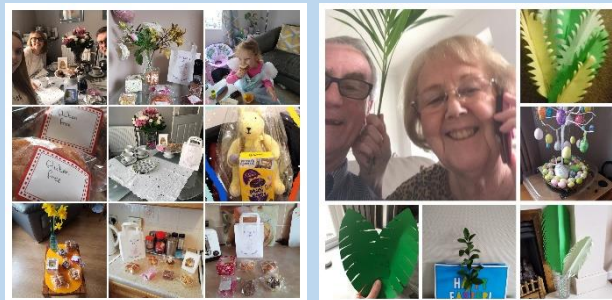
Acts 10:34-43

John 20:1-18

What's been happening?

Over the last few weeks we have been really very lucky to have had celebrated in a lovely daffodil tea, and the Aitken's delivered some lovely goodies for some church members to enjoy.

We were able to have an online raffle for a lovely Easter knitted bunny with chocolate knitted by Lorna's mum. We raised over £100, and the winner was **Jessie Weir!** Well done, and thank you Susan for keeping tabs on the tickets!



Remember for Easter Sunday we want to see your decorated boiled eggs or your home made Easter Bonnet. Take a picture and send it through to us.

Ways to contact the Church...

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Church Finance

Please keep up to date with your financial giving to your Church. Please continue with your standing orders and direct debits. If you give by way of envelopes/donations save these and bring to Church when we re-open.

If you would like to change to direct bank giving please let us know and we can give you the necessary information.

There will be a significant impact on our Church finances over these weeks so your continued generosity will be particularly important and very much appreciated.

Keeping in touch

In these challenging times it is important that we stay in close contact with our church family, please let Kevin or Stanley know ASAP about anyone unwell, needing the support of the church or any regular pastoral care.

We've set up a WhatsApp group and are enjoying keeping in touch each day, sharing some much needed humour and just staying connected. If you have a smartphone and the WhatsApp "app" and would like to be part of this group let us know.

Remember to phone those who aren't online, share some news, ask them how they are, it really will make all the difference.

BCPC Prayer Pointers:

Dedicate 5min of prayer time each night at 8pm – *the power of corporate prayer!*

If you can, light a candle to shine **God's love & light** into the darkness

Pray for yourself, your family & those sick and isolated by COVID-19

Pray for Dr's, nurses & our NHS

Pray for researchers looking for a cure

Pray for our leaders and governments

Pray for our Minister, Rev Kevin de Beer

Ask God's love and healing on the world

Sunday 19th April

News and music from 10.45am and online worship from 11am.

FAVOURITE HYMNS – if you have a favourite please let Alan know and we will try and include it in the online worship.



Keep safe throughout the week, follow the Government's advice, keep in touch with each other and pray without ceasing.

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