

SUNDAY 7th March 2021

E-NEWS

The replacement for our Pews News during
Online Worship, at Bellshill Central Parish Church

Bellshill Central Parish Church of Scotland Charity: SC012556 - Welcome to this weeks E-NEWS, we hope that you find this a useful addition to our online services. To access our Sunday services online please visit our website www.bellshillcentral.church/watch-live

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Welcome to Church – 3rd Sunday of Lent

The 3rd Week of Lent Sunday Prayer

To use before before worship

God of light and God of night

Creator of seed and mountain
raindrop and fountain

We bring our offering of praise.

God of right and God of might

Lover of child and childless
rich and homeless

We bring our offering of praise.

What does Psalm chapter 19 mean?

This psalm begins by referring to the heavens and the sky as proofs of God's creative work. The first verse uses Hebrew terms similar to those found in the first verses of Genesis. The existence, structure, and details of nature shout the reality of a Creator.

David states this revelation continues both night and day. The point is not merely that nature looks impressive. The function of the universe also announces the incredible design of God. A vivid example of this is how earth is affected by the sun. The sun rises in full strength, traverses the sky, and sets at the opposite end of the horizon. The sun's warmth and rays touch everything on earth.

As well as nature, God can be seen in the inspired Word He gives mankind. God's revelation in Scripture is perfect, trustworthy, right, pure, clean, and true. It revives the soul, brings wisdom, creates joy in the heart, gives enlightenment, and endures forever. God's written revelation in Scripture is more valuable than the finest gold and sweeter to the taste than honey. These are framed in a poetic, repeated structure, which echoes some of the book of Proverbs. God's servant finds warning and great reward in His written revelation.

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#LiveLent 2021 church resources: God's Story, Our Story

We invite you this Lent to take part in the Church of England's Lent resources theme for 2021, building on the success of recent years, is #LiveLent: God's Story, Our Story.

From Ash Wednesday (17 February) to Easter Sunday (4 April), there are six reflections for each week, written by Stephen Hance, the Church of England's National Lead for Evangelism and Witness. Each reflection includes a short passage from the Bible, a brief exploration of the reading, and a prayer. Additionally, each week has a unifying theme and an action to be taken during the week.

Lent Prayer Group @ BCPC

Next meets online via ZOOM on Monday 8th March at 7pm. This is an informal group and you are invited to join in, simply by listening and praying – contact Kevin or Alan for the joining instructions.

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ADVANCE NOTICE

Communion Online

Next Week - Sunday 14th March 2021



If you have a favourite hymn, or a reading, please let us know and we can try to incorporate them into our Sunday Services. Contact Kevin, Stan or Alan with your requests. If you would like to take part by doing a reading or prayer let Alan know.

ZOOM CATCH UP

After the service
Sunday 7th March 12noon

