

BELLSHILL CENTRAL PARISH CHURCH
Sunday 6th July 2025 at 11am



Songs of Praise Service

**We hope you enjoy worshipping God with us and feel at home
in our Christian community.**

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Please stand as the Bible is placed in the pulpit

GATHERING HYMN **God sent His son**

Welcome & intimations

Call to worship
(join in the words in **Bold**)

HYMN – At the Name of Jesus

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Talk 1 – Be careful what
you say

HYMN – Brother, sister, let me serve you

Readings: Psalm 34 (part 1)

HYMN – Lord, you have come to the seashore

Readings: Psalm 34 (part 2)

HYMN – I, the Lord of sea and sky

Talk 2 – Stained Glass

HYMN – All things bright and beautiful

Prayers for Others

HYMN – We are called to welcome strangers

Offering & dedication
with "There is a hope"

HYMN – You are before me Lord, you are behind

Blessing

RECESSIONAL HYMN **And can it be (vs 1, 4,& 5)**

Please remain standing as the Bible is removed from the pulpit

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come;
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us
not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the
power, and the glory, for ever. Amen

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT BELLSHILL CENTRAL PARISH CHURCH whether you are here in person or online, you're here every week, are here for the first time or the first time in a long time, we bid you a very warm welcome. We livestream via www.youtube.com/bellshillchurch

PULPIT SUPPLY – Today: Worship Group, next Sunday Rev Alan McKenzie

READERS – Today Elspeth Dornan; next week Hugh Ainsley

SONGS OF PRAISE takes place this morning. The service includes some of your requested hymns.

STATED ANNUAL MEETING takes place today, after the morning service. All church members are asked to stay behind for this short meeting.

TEA AND COFFEE are served today. On duty: Sheena Bowman, Liz Morton, Lynne Swan and Anne Dillon.

FLOWERS – Today's flowers are provided by the Flower Fund. If you would like to make a monetary donation just pop it in the offering marked "Flower fund" or if you'd like to contribute flowers, please speak to Susan McGleish.

PRAYER BOOK is at the front door of the Church, please write any names or situations that need a prayer. **ONLINE PRAYERS** – no meeting tomorrow.

BOWLS – resumes in September. **CHOIR** – resumes in September.

TUESDAY WALKERS – meeting this week at 7pm, here at the church

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR ELAINE GATENBY - Wednesday 16th July at 12.30pm in the EU Church, thereafter to Holytown Crematorium at 1.30pm.

HALL MAINTENANCE takes place from Monday 14th July to Saturday 19th July. The halls are fully closed for these dates.

OPEN CHURCH takes place on Friday 18th July from 12pm – 1pm, please pop in for a quiet space, to reflect and pray.

FRIDAY WALKERS possibly meeting on 18th July, at 1pm here at the Church

AUTUMN CHRONICLE – deadline is Sunday 17th August. Copies should be available Sunday 24th August for distribution.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUNDAY – 10th August at 11am with Ian Douglas.

OFFERINGS – if you wish to change to bank transfer speak to June or Zandra. **GIFT AID**, if you're a UK taxpayer, we can claim back 25p for every £1 you donate. Please see June for more info to take part.

PASTORAL ISSUES – Rev Margaret will be on annual leave for the whole month of July. If you have any pastoral needs please contact Stanley Cook in the first instance. Margaret returns on **Sunday 3rd August**.

REQUESTS – Alan is happy to have a talk with you to play a requested piece of music or slot in a favourite hymn, raising funds for the Church.

ONC DONATIONS – There is a box in the vestibule if you want to drop off non-perishable food stuffs for the Neighbourhood Centre.

PRAYERS FOR THE PRESBYTERY MISSION PLAN – please continue to uphold our office bearers and representatives as we discern our way through this process and how our congregation can continue to reach out into Bellshill.

TODAY'S PRAYER – Guide us, great Redeemer, as we walk the brief and temporary path of life on earth. As we worship, raise our vision to the life eternal which awaits us in your kingdom, and inspire all who hear our songs and praises to trust in you, the everlasting God. Amen.

If you wish to become a member of our church family by profession of faith, or by transfer from another congregation, please speak to Stanley Cook.

BCPC Data Protection – Photographs – At our events it is likely that photos/ videos will be taken, they may appear in the Chronicle, newspapers, social media or website to publicise our activities. If you **DO NOT** wish to be included in a photo/ video that might be published, please let one of the duty team know straight away or email hello@bellshillcentral.church within 24hours to register your request or to see sight of the photo/ video.

	DOOR/OFFERING	FLOWERS	COUNT
6/7/25	Jessie Bence Helen Daly	Lesley Marshall June Cook	Lesley Marshall Sheena McKeown
13/7/25	Cathy Bryden Chemaine Jarvie	Liz Morton Sheena Bowman	Drew Aitken Jane Aitken