

Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday 15th February 2026 at 11am



Bellshill Central Parish
— *Church of Scotland* —

We hope you enjoy worshipping God with us and feel at home in our Christian community. All are welcome in this place. Worship is led by Ian Douglas

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Please stand, if you are able, as the Bible is brought in

CHOIR INTROIT	SERMON
Love Divine (Stainer)	HYMN Lord Jesus, what a wonder
Welcome and intimations	
Call to worship	Offering
HYMN 103 Fill you hearts with joy and gladness	<i>Salut d'amour (Elgar)</i>
Prayer and Lord's Prayer	Prayers of dedication and intercession
Children's talk	
HYMN 448 Shine, Jesus, Shine	HYMN 515 Soldiers of Christ, Arise!
Readings:	Benediction and South African Amen
2 Peter 1: 16-21	
Matthew 17: 1-9	RECESSIONAL HYMN
ANTHEM	May the Lord bless you
Angel voices (arr. Tambling)	<i>Toccata from symphony no 5 (Widor)</i>

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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 BCPC. Whether you're here in person or online, a regular or visiting today, we warmly welcome you. Livestream via: www.youtube.com/bellshillchurch

EASTER EGG APPEAL – please start bringing your Easter eggs to church and leave them on the East Side tables. Eggs will be distributed to our community before Palm Sunday.

PREACHERS – Today and the month of February: Ian Douglas.

READERS – Today Zandra Swan, next week Hugh Ainsley

CHURCH FLOWERS – are gifted by Lucy and Kevin Galloway in memory of Ollie. To donate financially, place your gift in the offering marked "Flower Fund". If you'd like to contribute flowers, speak to Susan McGleish.

SPRING CHRONICLE deadline is **today**. Pass your news and articles to Alan asap – hello@bellshillcentral.church. Copies should be ready to distribute next week. **Grateful thanks to ONC for the printing of this edition.**

PRAYER GROUP meets tomorrow at 7:30pm on Zoom. **Prayer Book** is at the church front door for any names or situations to be added.

THE GUILD meets on Monday at 1.30pm; for Dominoes. All are welcome, even men are made welcome.

PANCAKE DAY FUNDRAISER for Hope for Autism takes place on Tuesday 17 February from 11am-1pm. Please come along.

WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES

Bowls – 2pm; **Choir** – 7pm. All welcome to come along and join in.

OPEN CHURCH takes place on Friday 27 February between 12noon and 1pm. Please pop by for some peace & reflection.

FRIDAY WALKERS meet on Friday 27 February at 1pm at the church – all welcome.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER Friday 6 March – local details not to hand yet.

CHEESE AND WINE NIGHT – takes place on Saturday 7 March. Tickets on sale soon. It's always a fun night – please come along.

COMMUNION – Sunday 8 March. There will be a retiring offering.

REQUESTS – Alan is happy to play a requested piece of music or slot in a favourite hymn, raising funds for the Church. **The organ music at the offering and the exit are requested by Mary Mathew.**

ONC DONATIONS – There is a box in the vestibule to drop off non-perishable food stuffs for the Community Fridge.

PASTORAL CARE – during the month of February please contact Stanley Cook or your elder if you need any pastoral support.

OFFERINGS: If you'd like to switch to bank transfer, speak to June or Zandra. **GIFT AID:** If you're a UK taxpayer, we can claim back 25p per £1. For details, please see June or Donis.

PRAYERS FOR THE PRESBYTERY MISSION PLAN – for our office bearers and our ongoing call to reach out into Bellshill.

If you wish to join our church family — by profession of faith or transfer from another church — speak to Stanley Cook.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY – Light breaks through in ways we rarely expect. God's presence doesn't always remove the hard things, but it steadies us as we face them. Small acts of kindness, courage, and trust become the places where grace quietly reshapes the day.

	Door Duty	Counting	Flowers	Screens
15/2/26	E Dornan L Fulton	J & S Cook	L Marshall J Cook	Lynne
22/2/26	M Martin L Watson	L Marshall S McKeown	L Morton S Bowman	Peggy

Our mission statement:

"We seek to look forward in faith, to worship God and to serve him in the community. To offer hope of a better future and to encourage people of all ages to know and love Jesus as Lord and Saviour."