



Bellshill: Central Parish Church

Sunday 11 October 2026 at 11am

HARVEST SUNDAY 2026

CHOIR INTROIT – When all Thy mercies

WELCOME AND INTIMATIONS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN – Let us sing to The Lord, Our Creator (Sing Hosanna)

PRAYER

HYMN – God, who made the earth

TALK

HYMN – Let us gladly with one mind (Harts)

READING – Deuteronomy 26: 1-11

ANTHEM – All That I Am (William Himes)

TALK

HYMN 505 – All that I am

OFFERING/DEDICATION (collected during hymn)

PRAYER

HYMN – Come, you thankful people, come (St George's Windsor)

BLESSING

SUNG BLESSING – You Shall Go Out With Joy

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.

PASTORAL – let Stanley or your elder know of any folks in hospital, not well, bereaved, etc, or just needing a visit.

Rev Margaret is very happy to offer Home Communion to anyone who wishes it. If you would like her to visit, please phone 01357 671664. *NB: this number is a landline and cannot receive texts.*

PREACHING ROTA – 18/10 Rev Margaret; 25/10 Ian Douglas

READERS – today Elspeth Dornan; next week Hugh Ainsley

FLOWERS – To donate financially, place your gift in the offering marked Flower Fund. To donate flowers, speak to Susan McGleish.

HARVEST SERVICE – takes place **today**. You are asked to bring along donations for the ONC of non-perishable items for the community fridge project. **HARVEST LUNCH** takes place after the service. Lunch will consist of soup and crusty bread with tea, coffee, homebaking to follow. There will be some seasonal goods for sale. Please advise of dietary requirements.

THE GUILD continues tomorrow at 1.30pm with a welcome social and syllabus update. All are welcome to come along.

PRAYER GROUP should meet tomorrow at 7:30pm. The joining link is shared in the church chat. Please speak to Naomi if you are interested in future meetings - prayer@bellshillcentral.church

PRAYER BOOK is at the front door, to add any names or situations.

BOARD/SESSION MEETINGS - Tuesday 13 October 7:30pm. If you can't attend, please let Cathie or Stanley know in advance. Rev Muriel Pearson will be in attendance. **NB note change of date.**

DATE FOR THE DIARY – Monday 9 November – Clothes Show. Tickets will be available soon. Please come along to support this fun event.

CONCERT AT NEWARTHILL CHURCH on Saturday 24 October at 2.30 led by Duncan Mackay. Music will feature Classical, Scottish, Jazz, Film and modern pop hits. Donations in aid of Church funds.

BOWLS have resumed on Wednesdays at 2pm. All welcome.

CHOIR has resumed on Wednesdays at 7pm. All welcome.

COMMUNITY SURVEY - Help us shape the future of BCPC by completing our survey and sharing it with friends, neighbours, family. Use this link >>> www.tinyurl.com/BellshillCentralSurvey or scan the QR code on the back page. **Survey closes 11 October.**

Please invite people along to our events. Please take a spare paper survey or poster to share and return completed paper copies to the church. We're also looking for volunteers to come along to our NHS sessions, chat with people waiting, offer a cuppa and encourage them to complete the survey.

OPEN CHURCH IS BACK - Everyone's invited — pop in for some quiet, open space and a short act of worship. Bring a friend or invite a neighbour. You don't need to be a member or have been before. Just come as you are. Fridays 23 Oct and 20 Nov from 12noon to 1pm. There will be a very short service at 12:30pm.

FRIDAY WALKERS - Join us on 23 Oct and 20 Nov (all weather permitting). We meet at 1pm. Everyone's welcome — a lovely chance to catch up, enjoy company, then a blether and a brew afterwards.

OUR NEXT MOVIE NIGHT takes place on 23 October at 7:30pm. All are welcome. The film is "Grease" a great sing along with John Travolta and Olivia Newton John. Donations for the organ fund.

SHOEBOX APPEAL — Please bring your boxes to church ASAP. We need to have the boxes before the end of October. There are paper copies of the shoebox slip available at the front door. See Jayne in the Choir.

REQUESTS — Alan is happy to play a requested piece of music or slot in a favourite hymn, raising funds for the **ORGAN FUND**.

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.

ONC DONATIONS — There is a box in the vestibule to drop off non-perishable food stuffs for ONC. **On the first Sunday of the month**, we invite everyone to bring one item for the appeal.

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

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK - Harvest reminds us that every blessing is a gift from God. A grateful heart remembers God's goodness and shares generously with others. This week, let us give thanks, give generously, and give glory to God.

DUTY TEAMS

This week:	Door Duty:	Elspeth Dornan / Liz Fulton
	Counting:	Anne Guy / Alan Mathew
	Flowers:	Helen Daly / Jessie Bence
	Screen:	Lynne

Next week:	Door Duty:	Ian Gibb / Lorna Watson
	Counting:	Peggy Walker / Liz Fulton
	Flowers:	Peggy Walker / Annette Mather
	Screen:	Annette

**Please scan this QR code to take part in our
online community survey.
CLOSING DATE IS TODAY**



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."



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Harvest Appeal

for ONC Community Fridge

Please see the most needed items
for the project from the list below

Almost all kinds of tinned goods
are acceptable but meatballs
seem to be popular.

Other non perishable items
are welcome.

Thank you
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Harvest Lunch

Sunday 11th October

**Tickets (£5) on sale
27th September and 4th October**



Lunch will consist of
soup and crusty bread
with tea, coffee and
homebaking to follow.



There will be some
seasonal goods
for sale.



Please advise when buying your ticket
of any dietary requirements.





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Join us for a

FAMILY

Film Night

*Great
film
for all
the family!*



★ **FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER** ★
AT 7:30PM

AT BELLSHILL CENTRAL CHURCH

**IN AID OF THE
ORGAN FUND**



Bellshill Central Parish Church of Scotland would like your help!

We have been at the centre of local community life for over 150 years, and we want to continue to be so for many years to come.



As we explore a new future for how we serve you, we want to make sure that our presence in your community is providing what is needed, and contributes to the good of all in Bellshill.

To help us do this, we have created a short survey so we can gather your views.

**To complete our survey please go to
tinyurl.com/BellshillCentralSurvey
or scan the QR Code below.**

**The survey is open until our Harvest
Celebrations on Sunday 11 October**

If you would prefer to complete this manually, or require any survey support, please contact Dan Rous on info@communitydan.co.uk



*This survey is being conducted by Bellshill Central Parish Church of Scotland
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