



Milton of Campsie Parish Church  
Registered Scottish Charity No SCO14735  
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Intimations – March 2019



The Retiring Offering in March is to raise money so we can contribute to children's costs in attending the Scripture Union Holiday Camp.

### **February**

- Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship followed by tea and coffee.  
Donations to East Dunbartonshire's Food Bank will be welcomed today.  
Tickets for The Guild Open Night featuring The New Day Singers will be on sale after Worship.
- Tue 26<sup>th</sup> 3.00 p.m. The Guild – City Group Rally, Springburn Parish Church.  
10.00 a.m. The Coffee Morning, with Pause for Thought at 11.00 a.m.  
Tickets for The Guild Open Night featuring The New Day Singers will be on sale at the Coffee Morning.
- Wed 27<sup>th</sup> 6.30 p.m. Time to Pray, in The Gladys Aylward.  
7.30 p.m. The Fellowship – "The Meaning of Life" – Rodney Johnston. This is an Open Night.

### **March**

- Fri 1<sup>st</sup> 12 noon Meet to Eat in the Eric Liddell.  
7.30 p.m. World Day of Prayer – Milton of Campsie Parish Church
- Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship including The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper, followed by tea and coffee.  
Tickets for The Guild Open Night featuring The New Day Singers will be on sale after Worship.
- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> 2.30 p.m. Pastoral Care Communion.  
8.00 p.m. The Core Group meets in the Gladys Aylward.
- Tue 5<sup>th</sup> 10.00 a.m. The Coffee Morning, with Pause for Thought at 11.00 a.m.
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup> 6.30 p.m. Time to Pray, in The Gladys Aylward.  
7.30 p.m. The Guild – an Open Evening with The New Day Singers.
- Fri 8<sup>th</sup> 12 noon Meet to Eat in the Eric Liddell. A Bread & Soup Lunch with home baking, tea/coffee for a suggested donation of £3.
- Sat 9<sup>th</sup> 10.00 a.m. Fairtrade Fortnight - a Hot Chocolate Morning from 10.00 – 11.30 a.m.
- Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship followed by tea and coffee.  
1.00 p.m. GoMAD Xtra in the David Livingstone.
- Tue 12<sup>th</sup> 10.00 a.m. The Coffee Morning, with Pause for Thought at 11.00 a.m.
- Wed 13<sup>th</sup> 6.30 p.m. Time to Pray, in The Gladys Aylward.  
7.30 p.m. The Fellowship – "Creating Music" - Jack Robertson.
- Fri 15<sup>th</sup> 12 noon Meet to Eat in the Eric Liddell.
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup> 12.45 p.m. Private Party
- Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship followed by tea and coffee.  
2.00 p.m. Join Phyllis at Birdston and Lillyburn for the monthly Service there.
- Tue 19<sup>th</sup> 10.00 a.m. The Coffee Morning, with Pause for Thought at 11.00 a.m.
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup> 2.00 p.m. The Guild – "Hidden Treasures" – David Walker.  
6.30 p.m. Time to Pray, in The Gladys Aylward.  
7.15 p.m. The Congregational Board meets to consider the Annual Accounts.  
8.00 p.m. The Kirk Session meets in the David Livingstone.
- Thur 21<sup>st</sup> 7.30 p.m. The Guild – Council Spring Meeting, Cadder South Halls.
- Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> 12 noon Meet to Eat in the Eric Liddell.

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- Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship followed by a Bread & Soup Lunch and then the Stated Annual Meeting of the Congregation.  
**Articles for The Messenger should be submitted by today**
- Tue 26<sup>th</sup> 10.00 a.m. The Coffee Morning, with Pause for Thought at 11.00 a.m.  
*Information for the **April Intimations** should be handed in today.*
- Wed 27<sup>th</sup> 6.30 p.m. Time to Pray, in The Gladys Aylward.  
 7.30 p.m. The Fellowship – A.G.M. followed by a Fish Supper.
- Fri 29<sup>th</sup> 12 noon Meet to Eat in the Eric Liddell.
- Sat 30<sup>th</sup> 8.30 p.m. Earth Hour – see below.
- Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> 11.00 a.m. Sunday Worship followed by tea and coffee.  
 Donations to East Dunbartonshire's Food Bank will be welcomed today.  
Note:- If you forget on the last Sunday of the month, you can hand donations in on any Sunday, at the Tuesday Coffee Morning or at Friday's Meet to Eat.

### From the Eco-group

#### Lovely Lemon

Don't use chemically based stain removers on vegetable and fruit stains. Instead apply lemon juice, a powerful but natural bleaching agent, to get rid of stains before you wash as normal. If you can, dry on a line outdoors in direct sunlight for increased stain-removing power.

**Bottle your Ideas** - Before you send your plastic bottles for recycling, think of ways you can use them in your home that will prevent you from having to buy more plastic. For instance, cutting the ends off water bottles turns them into excellent protective covers for seedlings.



**Earth Hour 2019** – Turn off your lights between 8.30 and 9.30 p.m. on Saturday 30th to show you want action over climate change. Join nearly 2 **billion** people throughout the world in the biggest grassroots movement **ever**. Register, and find out a whole lot more, at [www.earthhour.org](http://www.earthhour.org) - and keep doing your bit for the environment afterwards (that's why there's a + after the 60).



**Hot Chocolate Morning.** To mark this year's Fairtrade Fortnight, the J & P Group are holding a Hot Chocolate Morning, (tea & coffee will also be available) on Saturday, March 9th from 10.00 - 11.30am in the Church Centre. This year's theme, "She deserves a living income", highlights the poor earnings of farmers around the world, but particularly the cocoa farmers of West Africa, where much of the world's cocoa is grown. Tickets are now available, priced £2.00 per person or £5.00 for maw, paw and the weans. Please do come along, enjoy some hot chocolate and other fairly-traded goodies, and learn more about how we can help others through our shopping choices.



#### Regular weekly meetings

Sunday	Morning Worship	11.00 – 12.30	The David Livingstone
	Jigsaw, EPIC, Crossover	11.00 – 12.30	The Stirling Halls
	Ignition Dance	4.00 - 8.00 p.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
Monday	Toddler Group	9.30 – 11.30 a.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot/Eric Liddell
	Hobbies Club	2.00 - 4.00 p.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
	Zumba	6.30 – 7.30 p.m.	The David Livingstone
	The Perfect Puppy Co.	6.30 – 8.30 p.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
	Badminton Club	8.00 – 10.00 p.m.	The David Livingstone
Tuesday	Coffee Morning	10.00 – 11.30 a.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot/Eric Liddell
	Pause for Thought	11.00 – 11.30 a.m.	The Mary Slessor
	MG Dance	12.30 – 1.30 p.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
	Ignition Dance	6.30 – 9.30 p.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
Wednesday	Slimming World	9.00 – 11.00 a.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot
	Toddler Group	9.30 – 11.30 a.m.	The Elisabeth Elliot/Eric Liddell
	Time to Pray	6.30 – 7.00 p.m.	The Gladys Aylward
Thursday	Yoga	9.15 – 11.30 a.m.	The David Livingstone
Friday	Meet to Eat	12.00 – 2.00 p.m.	The Eric Liddell
	B.B. Anchor Sect.	6.15 – 7.15 p.m.	The David Livingstone/Elisabeth Elliot
	B.B. Junior Sect.	7.00 – 8.15 p.m.	The David Livingstone/Elisabeth Elliot
	B.B. Company Sect.	7.30 – 10.00 p.m.	The David Livingstone/Elisabeth Elliot