



Giffnock Park Church

Sunday 1st of March

11:00 am

Minister:

Organist:

Rev. Calum D. Macdonald

Miss Hebba Benyaghla

Order of Service

Intimations & Welcome

MP 237 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Children's Address

MP 54 Bind us together with chords that cannot be broken

Reading: Ephesians 3: 7 - 20 & John 14: 1-6

Dedication of the Offering

MP 579 Restore O Lord the honour of your name

Prayer of Intercession

MP 894 My Jesus I love thee I know thou art mine

From Hidden 2 Whole Hidden Boldness

MP 770 Will your anchor hold in the storms of life.

Benediction

Scottish Charity No. SC002965



Good Morning everyone,
 As the Lenten period gets underway, we begin to look to the future. With all that is going on around us in the world today, we need to be able to see with the eyes of hope through these dark and uncertain days of continued and even escalating conflict. The eyes of Christian hope always see the approaching time of Easter as the ultimate example of hope, hope in a Saviour's love, hope in his sacrifice and ultimately in his promise being fulfilled.

The story of hope offers us something else too, the right to be Bold and funnily enough that is to be our theme for the second Sunday of Advent where we explore what it means for us to be Bold in our aspirations of bearing witness to others of the things of Faith by the things we say and by the things we do – both go hand in hand.

It is my hope this season of Lent, that like the opening scenes of Joshua in the Old Testament, we find the means to be bold and be strong mindful that God is with us.

Have a great Week

Calum D. Macdonald

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday

Sunday:

11am Morning worship with Tea & Coffee

Monday:

1.45pm The Monday club

6.15pm Cathcart Junior Chess Club

7pm Eastwood Choir

7.15pm Cathcart Chess Club

Tuesday:

9.30am The Park Church Toddlers

6pm 4th Giffnock Rainbows

7pm 4th Giffnock Guides

Wednesday:

9.30am The Park Church Toddlers

10am Church Office (till 12 noon)

4.30pm McCarthy School of Dance

Thursday:

10am Church Office (till 12 noon)

1.30pm Eastwood Art Club

6.30pm Joe Wilson's Guitar Class

7.15pm Park Ladies Keep Fit

Friday:

4.30pm McCarthy School of Dance

Saturday:

9.30am Alison's Aerobics

11am – 3pm Ukrainian Hub



Quiz Night
Friday 6th March @ 7.30pm
in GHA Braidholm Road
Tickets £5
(includes a Roll & Sausage)

5 2 7 @ the Park
Saturday 7th March
5pm - 7pm
Open to all from S1 - S6

Door Duty Roster

- 1st Mar** Sheila Dorrens, Allan Steele, Anne Hamilton
8th Mar David Mackie, Fiona Mackie, Dan McPhail
15th Mar Peter Watson, Sally Hamilton, Jenny Cameron
22nd Mar Bert Dickov, Sandra Dickov, Isobel Cochrane
29th Mar Fiona Gilbert, Alex Gilbert, Val Richmond

Giffnock: Park Church - Ukrainian Appeal

Many thanks for the support offered to this appeal. As the term of the appeal has now drawn to a close, the task now will be to oversee the transport arrangements to get all these gifts across Europe to Ukraine. Please remember those who have become refugees here in the UK as well as those still living in Ukraine in your prayers, especially as the conflict enters its 5th year.



Tuesday 2nd March 2026

1.30pm – 3.30pm

All Welcome

**The Next Joint Churches Cluster Service
Sunday 22nd March in Eastwood Church
11am**

Should you need a Lift to this Service, please add your name or that of your loved one or friend who might need transport assistance. A sheet is available in the Church Vestibule and Jubilee Hall.

**Our 79th
Annual Spring
Show
Mearns Horticultural Society**

Saturday 14th March 2026.

Your Help is needed for this to make this as good a success as it was last year. If you are able to volunteer and help out in our Tea Room that day that would be most helpful. We will also be looking for Donations of Baking and Loaves to serve on the day and Your help with this will be of great assistance. As preparations get under way, could you let Anne Hamilton know that you are Available – Many thanks

Ephesians 3:7-20

⁷ I became a servant of this gospel by the gift of God's grace given me through the working of his power. ⁸ Although I am less than the least of all the Lord's people, this grace was given me: to preach to the Gentiles the boundless riches of Christ, ⁹ and to make plain to everyone the administration of this mystery, which for ages past was kept hidden in God, who created all things. ¹⁰ His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms, ¹¹ according to his eternal purpose that he accomplished in Christ Jesus our Lord. ¹² In him and through faith in him we may approach God with freedom and confidence. ¹³ I ask you, therefore, not to be discouraged because of my sufferings for you, which are your glory.

A prayer for the Ephesians

¹⁴ For this reason I kneel before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family^[a] in heaven and on earth derives its name. ¹⁶ I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, ¹⁸ may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, ¹⁹ and to know this love that surpasses knowledge – that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.