JOHNSTONE KIRK

Sunday 16th August, 2026.

Morning Worship
At 11.00 am

Welcome to Johnstone Kirk

A special welcome to you if you are a visitor. We are very pleased to have you with us. We have a visitors' book that you are welcome to sign and the Minister would be pleased to meet you before you leave church today.

Worshipers are kindly requested to switch off mobile phones before the service commences.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to worship

Hymn 198
Let us build a house

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 463
Fairest Lord Jesus

Readings:
Isaiah 56:1,6-8
Matthew 15:21-28

Hymn 718
We cannot measure

SERMON

Hymn 259
Beauty for brokenness
(Please remain seated as the offering is uplifted)

Prayers of Dedication, Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn 622
We sing a love

Benediction and Threefold Choral Amen

We worship today at 11 a.m.
Our worship this morning will be led by the Very Rev. Dr. Lorna Hood and next Sunday 23rd August by Rev. Jim Boag.

This week -

Johnstone Kirk Junior Drama
Wednesday 7-9pm

Get up and Go with Kirsty Galt, KG Fitness
Saturday 10.00 a.m. till 11.00 a.m. Please come along and join us. All fitness levels welcome.

Tea and Coffee

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be served in the Keanie Hall following this morning's service. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship.

We kindly ask that a donation be given to cover running costs.

Prayer Promoter

"Choose peace not because everything is perfect, but because your soul deserves a peace where problems are visitors not permanent residents".

The deepest peace comes when you stop fighting battles that were never meant to live inside you.
Some things will trouble you because you care, some will hurt you because you expected better.
Some will remain unanswered because life does not explain everything immediately,
But you don't have to carry every unanswered question into tomorrow.
Sometimes you heal by excepting, sometimes you heal by forgiving, sometimes you heal by walking away,
And sometimes you heal by saying, "I have done what I can the rest is no longer mine to control".

Kirk News

What a glorious summer. We hope you have had a wonderful time whether at home or abroad.
The time for thinking about our new session has arrived and we cannot wait to tell everyone what you have in store for the life at Johnstone Kirk over 2026/27.
If your articles can be sent to valeriechambers29@gmail.com by Sunday 23rd August we would be very grateful.
Looking forward to hearing from you all.

The Editors

Beetle Drive – 21st August at 7pm

This is the last day to get your tickets for the Beetle Drive, either from Betty Usher or any member of the Ways & Means Committee.

Thank you for your continued support.

Johnstone Kirk Junior Drama – Tickets Now On Sale

This year is the 30th Anniversary of Johnstone Kirk Junior Drama 1996 - 2026. The production we are putting on to mark this Anniversary is Disney's Frozen Jr. The children have been working so hard rehearsing. Please come along and support them. TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE.
This takes place at Johnstone Kirk on Thursday 17th and Friday 18th September at 7.30pm. Due to younger children being interested in coming along we have decided to put on a Saturday Matinee on the 19th September at 2pm. Cost of tickets are Adults £12 and Children 5 and under £10. Booking forms are in the vestibule or speak to Linda Rae 07901 334952 to order tickets

Many thanks, Linda Rae

