

Parish News

EAGLESHAM PARISH CHURCH



*Eaglesham Fountain. July 17th. Evidently a leak and a stuck valve resulting in high pressure build up
Photo by Ronald MacLean*



BB enjoy the summer weather at camp in Arran

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Notices

Deaths

June 24. Mary Livingston, 61 Montgomery St

July 1. David Martin. Gilmour St

August 10. Cathie Smith. 21 Barlae Ave

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Hebrews 10:23-25

Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching

A Pastoral Note

Dear friends,

I thought it good to write a brief note explaining my presence around your congregation. Andrew was signed off on sick leave in May. It is the normal procedure within the Church of Scotland to appoint an Interim Moderator when a minister is off for an extended period to keep things ticking over until the minister's return. Presbytery has given me this role. As you pray for Andrew please pray I do a good job for you!

While I have been enjoying this role I expect (and pray) that my time amongst you will be brief and that Andrew will return in better health shortly.

The Kirk Session has decided to appoint a locum and the Rev. John Martindale has kindly agreed to take that role. John will lead worship on Sunday mornings from 2nd September and will also be available for pastoral concerns during the week. Please feel free to contact Anne at the office or your elder as necessary. John served as locum at my own congregation of Maxwell Mearns Castle Church prior to my arrival. I know our congregation appreciated his care.

At the top of this letter I have included some verses from Hebrews 10. I find it a great encouragement and also very thought-provoking. Events in life can dent our faith, yet the writer calls us to an unswerving trust because Jesus is absolutely faithful. No matter what might catch us by surprise in life, Jesus has promised to receive all who believe in Him in glory and also to journey with us through life as we head there! Hold to this hope unswervingly!

Perhaps surprisingly, the writer pens these words not simply to us as individuals, but to the community of believers. We have responsibility to help each other. We may go to church without thinking much about our aims. The writer challenges us to consider something. He challenges us to consider how we might spur one another to love and good deeds. That takes some thought as well as action. For those of us a bit casual in attendance in worship, he adds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another! We are

to be a place of wall-to-wall encouragement! We need to be with each other for that to happen.

The disruption of a minister's absence may tempt us to step back from congregational life. This bible author says, keep holding, professing, spurring, meeting and encouraging one another!

Though John will be locum, I remain Interim Moderator and you should feel free to contact me whenever necessary (my details are enclosed in this newsletter).

Rev Dr Scott Kirkland
Maxwell Mearns Castle Church
Waterfoot Road, Newton Mearns,
GLASGOW G77 5RE

Father Douglas MacMillan

We are very sad to report that Father Douglas has had another spell in hospital. He was vexed at this turn of events because it meant he was unable to conduct two funerals and a wedding as planned. He has suffered a number of setbacks to his health in recent years, including a prolonged stay in hospital followed by a lengthy period of recuperation in the care of the Little Sisters of the Poor in Greenock. At the time of printing he is still undergoing investigation but on this occasion he hopes to be back home quickly. Despite his poor health, he remains positive and as resolutely cheerful as ever. We wish him well for a speedy recovery and safe return to his beloved Parish.

Kairos resumes on Sept 16th in the Carswell Centre and thereafter on the third Sunday of each month. On these days there is an early service at 9.30am in the Church

A friendly supportive midweek opportunity - the **Wednesday morning service** is at 11am every week in the Carswell Centre.

Session Notes

As you know, our Minister Andrew has been off work with ill-health since the middle of May. At the time of writing, we are still unsure as to when he will be coming back to work, but in the meantime, I know we will all be praying for him, and wishing him a return to full health when he will be able to be back amongst us.

Andrew's absence has meant a number of changes in the organisation and running of our church. We have been lucky to have Rev Dr Scott Kirkland appointed as our Interim Moderator, and more recently, Rev John Martindale has been appointed our Locum Minister. Scott explains more about his role and that of John in a separate article in this Parish News. In addition we have been well supported by Glasgow Presbytery in relation to arrangements for pulpit supply over the past few months. They have also been able to identify Ministers to lead our Session Meetings, and thus our Session has been able to continue to take important decisions over the past few months - e.g. the review of salaries for our employees, appointment of our Locum Minister etc.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those people (too many to name!) who have not just continued to support our church in their usual ways during Andrew's absence, but the many who have also taken on additional responsibilities cheerfully and with enthusiasm. You know who you are!

Wendy Armstrong
Session Clerk

"Why pray when you can worry?"

It's one of those quotes you know you've heard, but not sure where. The Faith Development Team decided to take up "prayer" as the theme for the coming months. It's a strange thing, but most people have prayed at some point in their lives, often as a last resort. Yet in better times it can seem too difficult to find the right words, and worrying might seem like a better option.

In the coming months the team hope to offer different, hopefully non-scary, opportunities to expand and enrich our prayer life. This will include a series for DNA (Discipleship, Nurture and Action) groups to work on. There will be more opportunities to "post" prayer requests, and an opportunity for quiet reflection.

Often prayers in the Bible are from the heart (even from the gut!), rather than wrapped in theological language. In the Psalms David said things like: "Hear me, O God, as I voice my complaint" (Psalm 64:1), or "Keep me safe, O God" (Psalm 16:1). He said it as it is, giving his worries and thanks to God. We hope that with encouragement, prayer will become our "go-to" option, whether we're feeling worried or joyful, knowing that God wants to hear all our concerns.

Gillian Norval
Faith Development Team

A Favourite bible passage...Alistair Anderson

Hebrews Ch 13

I have been a life long member of the Scripture Union. As A teenager I enjoyed the camps, usually at St Andrews. Our mentor was a colourful reverend called "Boss" Meiklejohn who was equally talented in both bible teaching and camp fire entertainment.

As a churchgoer I was familiar with the New Testament stories about Jesus, usually in the early Gospels but I was introduced at one point to the letter to the Hebrews which was written to a group of Christians faced with increasing opposition and in danger of abandoning their faith. Hebrews I learned was described as God's instruction book for the Christian faith. As such it is uplifting to read all 13 chapters.

However my favourite is chapter 13, particularly verses 1 to 6, beginning 'keep on loving one another as Christian brothers' and ending 'for God has said "I will never leave you, I will never abandon you". Let us be bold then and say "The Lord is my helper, I will not be afraid. What can anyone do to me?" '

If you have a favourite passage or verse you would like to share with others please get in touch...Ed

Christian Aid and Climate Change



On Saturday August 25th we welcomed Christian Aid to the Carswell Centre for a briefing in advance of a fundraising 'Power walk' at Whitelee Wind Farm. The 'power' aspect of the walk was not intended to imply speed or the physical fitness of the participants but to focus on the issues of our energy supply and consumption and how this can influence climate change. One of the walkers was Rev Susan Brown of Dornoch, Moderator of the General Assembly, and in a short address she talked about individual responsibility and explained the Church's concern over this issue.

'As Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland I hear stories from around the world about the impact of climate change. The Church of South India informs us of the terrible impact of climate chaos on farmers. From Malawi we hear stories of drought and flood, and Pacific churches tell us that whole islands are at risk from rising sea levels. The human impact is huge and growing and it is the poorest who suffer most.

We live in a world where everyone and everything is interconnected. How we live in this tiny corner of the earth, the greenhouse gases that we produce, the way we use the world's resources with little regard for the future: all create challenges for our own communities and communities around the world. And all of us will have to cope with the effects of climate change, which for many firth of these shores can be a matter of life and death. We need to live more considerately and cherish this planet as the gift it is.

It is for these reasons that the Church of Scotland along with other churches – and a growing number of faith-led organisations like Eco-Congregation Scotland, Christian Aid and SCIAF—are part of the Stop Climate Chaos Scotland campaign to make Scotland a net zero-emission economy by 2050'.

Environmental Justice. A discussion with Ross Greer

Climate change is perhaps the dominant issue of our time. It challenges the activities of both government and individuals. As part of its consideration of this Eastwood Churches Peace and Justice Forum has invited Ross Greer to an open meeting on Sept 17th. Ross is an MSP for the West Scotland region representing the Green Party. He is the youngest member of the Holyrood parliament and has previously been a member of the Church of Scotland's youth assembly. This is an opportunity to meet Ross and to join in discussion of a crucially important issue.

Monday Sept 17th at 7pm. Stamperland Parish Church. All welcome to attend

Nevis Ensemble at the Lodging House Mission

Elaine Paterson and Wendy Armstrong went along to the Lodging House Mission on 2nd August to join Service Users for a lunchtime concert by the Nevis Ensemble. This Ensemble has been recently formed as Scotland's first 'Street Orchestra'. Their vision is that music should be for everyone and everywhere. As well as the LHM, the Ensemble's August tour took in places as diverse as the Faslane Peace Camp, Erskine Home, Waverley Train Station and numerous Glasgow Underground Stations, Glasgow Night Shelter, and even, on Monday 6th August, the summit of Ben Nevis! But I don't think they took the double basses up with them to this venue.

This concert was really enjoyed by all with a fine mix of music, ranging from Scottish Songs (featuring LHM Service users in fine voice), Dancing Queen (with LHM clientele showing some innovative dance steps), music by The Proclaimers (500 miles) as well as pieces of classical music. They did take some requests - Dancing Queen was followed by an impromptu a cappella Mamma Mia!

If you want to follow the Nevis Ensemble and catch up with them in the future you can contact them at hello@nevisensemble.org and subscribe to their newsletter.

BB News

Our 64th Consecutive Camp at Kings Cross, Arran was a great success once again. The sun shone for most of the camp albeit for a wet parade day to church. The boys enjoyed a vast array of activities as well as inter-tent sports and games. Morning inspection was hotly contested as ever with a very high standard being set by the boys. Our food this year was also of very high quality and our cooks Chris Paterson and Alan Stern did a fabulous job once again.

Camp as you know is the highlight of the 205th Co Section year and we had over 95% attendance from the boys which goes to show how popular and well run camp is.

A big thanks to my staff as always for making it a great camp enjoyed by all, and to the staff who help that are not at camp but organise to make it happen. We are grateful too for the help of parents & friends who donate their resources to make camp a success & affordable for the boys.

Best Camper 2018 Ryan Robson. Best new camper 2018 Mark McInnes.

Richard Burt, O/C camp



The BB band play at Corrie Doon nursing home, Whiting Bay every year. The sun evidently didn't shine every day this year

Junior Section August 2018

The new session starts back with our enrolment on Thursday 6th September at 7.00pm. We hope to see all our boys from last year, our new P4 boys who have just finished in the Anchor Boys & any other boys who are keen to join in our fun on a Thursday evening.

Activities include Games, Badge Work, Achievements, Themed Nights, Football, Athletics, Swimming, Assault courses, Stories, Party Events, Company Trips, Summer Weekend Camp & lots, lots more.....
come and see for yourself!!

We look forward to another excellent session ahead!

Sandy's quiz answers are Sanda, Davaar, Gigha.

Tearfund



Save the Date!

Eaglesham Church is taking part in Tearfund's Big Quiz night. It's on Saturday the 17th November at 7pm in the Carswell Centre and we will have a guest speaker from Tearfund. It's going to be lots of fun, so save the date!

BB Minibus and Garage



The new Boys' Brigade minibus is now fully in use by the Company and for various community purposes. The proposed garage, to be located behind the Carswell Centre is about to go ahead now that funding is all in place.

The Company Staff and Boys are delighted to have achieved all this and wish to thank all those who have helped in the massive fundraising effort. Many individuals and groups in the congregation have organised and supported events to enable the hard-working BB Parents & Friends Group to match the funding applied for from grant-awarding bodies. In this respect we acknowledge the considerable grant-aid received from the Whitelee Windfarm Fund for the minibus; Ardoch and Nether Enoch Fund, the Dalziel Trust and the Leader Fund for the garage; and East Renfrewshire Council for their advice and support.

Photo - Billy Inglis (retiring Captain) and Martin Fraser (new Captain)

.The regular **Mary's Meals lunches** start again on Wednesday Sept 19th at noon. Come along to enjoy company with home made soup, bread and baking then and on the third Wednesday each month thereafter - Oct 17 and Nov 21.



In addition to their well known school meals programme Mary's Meals also provides the school children with items necessary for them to undertake their studies. Many children receiving Mary's Meals don't have basic learning tools such as pencils, pens, notepads, sharpeners etc. You can support them to get the most out of their lessons by donating a backpack full of the things they need. For many children, a Mary's Meals backpack will be the first gift they have ever received.

Currently Mary's Meals Glasgow warehouse is short of backpacks in which to send out these gifts. If you happen to have a backpack or small rucksack that you no longer use we would be grateful if you would consider donating it. These can be dropped off to Doug Lamont at 22 Bonnyton Drive, or give him a call on 01355 302368 and he will collect it directly from you.

Our Team Convenors

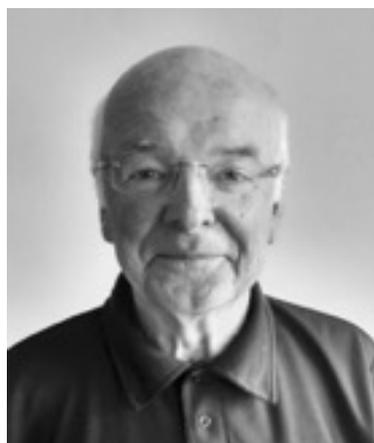
The Church Session with the elders meeting together is legally responsible for the church's activity but much of the work is done by smaller groups with individual convenors. Who are they and what do they do?



Maureen Hunter

Admin Team have 15 members who

- Maintain the accounts for the Church, prepare budgets reflecting Session's priorities and monitor the church's financial situation.
- Maintain and renew fabric in all our buildings and ensure adequate insurance cover.
- Administer hall lets, letting conditions and charges.
- Look after the financial aspects of Church Life – salary administration, FWO, Gift Aid, organisation accounts etc
- Look after the administrative tasks of Church life – door duty and beadle rotas, staff contracts, retiral offering recipients, data protection requirements.
- Liaise with C of S in Edinburgh on legal or financial matters.



Sandy Robertson

Pastoral Team organise the provision and distribution of the flowers in Church on Sundays, the distribution of gifts after the Harvest service and distribute poinsettias to the household at Christmas. The long established Kirk Carers assist with hospital transport. Each year we arrange a 'wine and nibbles' evening, to which are invited groups who give of their time and talent to help the church to function. The team also coordinates the Walking Group, and arranges occasional visits to museums or other places of interest, most recently to the BBC and to Dumfries House, the latter a very informative tour with afternoon tea.



Gillian Norval

Faith Development has an overall vision to encourage a closer relationship with God. to do this we

- Encourage people to read and understand the Bible
- Provide activities which help to deepen people's understanding of their faith.
- Encourage small groups (DNA, Discipleship Nurture and Action) to meet and get to know the Bible, God and each other better.
- Encourage prayer, both individual and with others.



Tom Mann

Youth Strategy aims to support our excellent Youth and Children's Worker and ensure that all our organisations have the resources to fulfil their objectives.

Our Youth Worker has a remit to engage with the uniformed organisations of the Boys' Brigade, Brownies and Guides but also to lead many other activities that include Junior Badminton, EPYC (similar to a Youth Fellowship), Messy Church and our very successful Summer Club. He is also involved in worship including a prominent role in our Kairos service which is an alternative contemporary service held on the third Sunday of each month.

The long term aim of the team is to encourage young people to participate in Church life both now and when they mature into young adults and beyond.



Outreach Team engages with the wider community both locally and internationally to promote the Church and to try to draw non-Christians to faith.

Locally, this involves publicising and helping to organise Church-led events and services, producing the Eaglesham Outlook magazine for community wide distribution and ensuring the Church is involved in external celebrations such as the Village Fair.

Overseas, Eaglesham Parish Church is partnered with Tearfund's Cambodian Hope Organisation project (CHO).

CHO aims to reduce child trafficking in north-western Cambodia as well as to provide vocational training to reduce unemployment.

The Guild

Over the summer we held our tea and chat afternoons and enjoyed catching up with members and others who joined us. We now have a very varied and interesting syllabus for 2018/9. The two charities we will be supporting are Playlist for Life and Guide Dogs. We have also chosen two of the Church of Scotland Guild's six new projects - Seema's Project which supports street children in Pune, India, and the Boys Brigade which continues through its Christian ethos to enrich the lives of young people.

We start off on Wed 3rd October with a musical evening welcoming the Strathaven singers. From then up to Christmas we continue weekly with the range of topics listed below. Our annual Christmas Cracker coffee morning will be held on Saturday 24th November - join us perhaps for a bit of Christmas shopping. New members are always welcome. It is not necessary to attend every week - we would be pleased to see you any time. Meetings are held in the Carswell Centre at 7.30pm each Wednesday and are open to all. This includes men - we have a few regulars already.

Fiona Hamilton, Guild Secretary

October 3. Strathaven singers

October 10. Seeking the way...this year's Guild theme

October 17. The Dumfries House story. Stephen Kay, their Head of IT and Communications

October 24. The Boys Brigade - Guild project

October 31. Panel night - discussion with local worthies?!

November 7. The MacBrayne story. Ian McCrorie, teacher, musician, author of books on CalMac

November 14. Sights and sounds of Vietnam with Gregor Brown

November 21. Playlist for life - musical therapy charity particularly for those with dementia

November 28. Sandra Middleton. A musical tour of Scotland.

December 5. Dorothy Russell. Chaplain to HMP Prison, Shotts

December 12. Christmas musical night

Other dates for your diary

details elsewhere in Parish News

Sept 17. Environmental Justice - Ross Greer

Sept 19. Mary's meals restart

Sept 28. Heart and Soul swing band

Oct 2. Eaglesham Community Club restart

Oct 6. Fischy music Big Sing

Nov 17. Tearfund Big Quiz

Scottish Bible Society

The Lord is near to those who are discouraged; he saves those who have lost all hope. Ps 34

This is the introduction to an appeal from the Bible Society for their work in Iraq. We are all aware of the persecution and destruction that has included churches and Christians during the traumas of recent years. The Society are providing a new supply of bibles and accompanying this with bible based healing programmes aimed at overcoming the scars left by mental and physical trauma.

More detail on this work and the opportunity to contribute financially can be seen at www.scottishbiblesociety.org

FROM LIFE AND WORK

Neurobiology, free will and moral responsibility

Life and Work interviewed philosophical psychologist Dr Tillmann Vierkant who worked with the Church Society, religion and technology project on the implications of new research for understanding free will. Recent developments in genetics and neurobiology have encouraged the 'zombie' concept of behaviour controlled by unconscious processes. Neuro-imaging in simple tasks seems to suggest changes before conscious intention of acting. So, extrapolating ahead, what if Eve was pre-determined to pick the apple - was she guilty of any sin? Robbing us of responsibility for our actions would have major legal, philosophical and theological ramifications. Dr Vierkant's take on all this involves 'compatibilism'. Even if your behaviour is determined by your brain that does not mean that it cannot also be free. And also the current neurobiological evidence remains questionable. Debate over individual responsibility for actions is longstanding - Greek philosophy, Augustine and Aquinas. No doubt it will continue for some time yet.

The Society, Religion and Technology Project (SRT for short) was set up by the Church of Scotland in 1970 to examine some of the vital issues in the intersection between science, religion and technology....www.srtp.org.uk

Diversity - Trinidad and Tobago

Rev Keron Khellawan attended this year's General Assembly representing the Presbyterian Church of Trinidad and Tobago - islands where the labels multi-ethnic and multi-faith apply in spades. His father is Hindu, mother Anglican and grandfather presbyterian. As well as the variety of Christian denominations and one of the largest Hindu populations in the Western hemisphere there is a Muslim population of West African origin. He admits they are unable to escape entirely the fundamentalist voices from each community which receive attention by shouting loudest. However his own experience of an education which encouraged learning about the different religions reflects a community which is largely well integrated and tolerant; and where folk from different religions celebrate each other's traditions. "We need to be able to get along with each other. We live on an island - there is nowhere else to go!"

Fischy music

Some of us may be the wrong generation but others will have grown up with Fischy music which celebrates 20 years as a charity this year. It was started by Stephen Fischbacher when he found song writing and singing helped him and his family after the death of his wife. Since then he and his team have brought music and lyrics about life with all its ups and downs to festivals, churches, youth groups and schools. Songs such as 'We're the only we in history' and 'You are a star' have become firm favourites. Life and Work has an interview with Margaret McLarty, one of the team. 'I love my job. The part I look forward to most is leading our 5 week song-writing projects where we work with a class or group to write, record and perform a song. It's all their lyrics, melody and vision and there is such a sense of pride at the end from everyone'

20th Birthday Big Sing. Assembly Halls, Edinburgh. October 6th at 3pm

Life and Work, the Church of Scotland's monthly magazine. £12 for 6 issues - see the website; or contact Parish News editor if you would like to subscribe via the church.

.....and more music

The Church of Scotland's 20-piece swing band performs a unique blend of upbeat gospel, swing, jazz and blues numbers together with some original compositions, all in a jazz groove. The group is the brainchild of Robin Hill, minister of Longniddry, and it comprises players and singers drawn from across Scotland's Central Belt. They perform at the General Assembly's 'Heart and Soul' festival - hence the name. Their concerts raise funds for the Church's HIV programme.

Hear them at Wellington Church, Southpark Ave on Friday Sept 28th at 7.30pm

Sandy Robertson's geographical teaser

My journey today takes me close to three islands, but I have time to visit only one. I start at a castle on a rock (the name means Good Fort) which was used by the Kings of Dalriada and was visited by Bruce in 1306. The adjacent island, resembling an upturned piece of cutlery, had a lighthouse erected in 1850. Nearby a small holiday resort developed, with a fine beach, a golf course and a couple of hotels, both now gone.

I travel 10 miles north to the main town in the area. Blaeu's map of 1660 showed several settlements around Loch Kilkerran, but the loch and the main settlement were renamed in the 17th century by the local Earl. The loch, and its wished for contents, featured in a popular song of the 1960s. My second island, accessible from the town at low tide, is famed for a painting of the crucifixion. I don't linger in the town, but admire a couple of listed buildings, the Old Library and Museum (the work of one of Scotland's few knighted architects), and an Art Nouveau cinema of 1913, thought to be one of the oldest surviving in Scotland.

I drive a further 20 miles north to a ferry point to take me to the third island. It is noted for a garden, laid out by the Laird who took over in 1944. His wealth came from the sale of a malted hot drink. The island slid gradually into economic decline, but was revived by a community buy-out in 1992.

Name the three islands.

This one is really challenging...Ed

A note from Bill Livingston

Those of us, having lived in Eaglesham for some years, or being born in the village, have a deep love of the place. With its wide open spaces and its stands of fine trees, its range of wild life and its peace and serenity, this is surely God's place. But there is a deeper and more subtle beauty in this place. Over the past month or two, since the death of my Wife, I have been made aware of the depth of love which runs through our Village folk, this made evident by the support and compassion, which I have received from Members of our Churches and others over this difficult time. I feel it necessary to say thanks for this love and support and to remind our villagers of God's love which is surely evident in this place.

East Renfrewshire Food Bank, part of the Tressell Trust, is based in Barrhead. Their food parcels typically include tinned food, cereals, soups, pasta, rice, tea, coffee, biscuits. Donations locally can be made to the collection point in the Carswell Centre.

Eaglesham Community Club meets in the hub at the Carswell Centre from 2pm – 4pm on the first Tuesday of the month for a varied programme of Speakers, entertainment etc (plus, of course, tea/coffee and cake).

Our programme for the remainder of the year is

- Tuesday, 2nd October – The History of Pollock House – Speaker Kenneth Mallard.
- Tuesday, 6th November – Rev I. M. Jolly – DVD
- Tuesday, 4th December – The Great American Songbook – presented by Two's Company, a local semi-professional duo.

Everyone is welcome (there's a small charge of £1.50 for tea/coffee).

Maureen Hunter

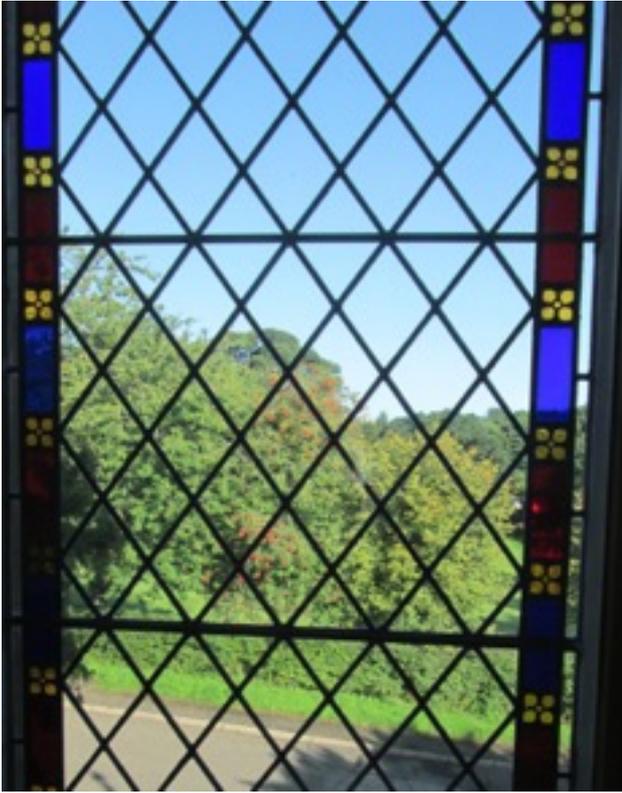
The church Choir resumes its practices in the Carswell Hall on Thursday 13th September at 7.30pm. We like to think we are a happy group of people who enjoy singing and our role to lead the congregational singing. That singing is good for you has been medically proven! Why not consider the offer to join us. In Eaglesham we are fortunate to have a choir when so many churches locally and nationally don't have one. Please seriously consider our offer - we particularly require men. All that is required is that you enjoy singing. The choir will be working towards Harvest, Remembrance and - wait for it - Christmas.

Alan Gillon

Organist and Choirmaster.

ps. I have been invited to accompany Singers in the National Mod this year which is in October in Dunoon.

Starter Packs, initially a small Christian initiative and now a large multi-faith charity is based in Govan. They accept the whole range of bedding, furniture, kitchen equipment and utensils, and clothing to give to those, often previously homeless, struggling to establish their home. Larger items can be uplifted by contacting Starter Packs at 0141-440-1008. Smaller items can also be uplifted or call Sandy McIlwham locally



Sunshine and colour from the Carswell Centre upstairs room



Moderator Susan Brown enjoys a bright and breezy day with Christian Aid at Whitelee



Lots of activity, participation and enjoyment at another successful summer club