Church Information and Dates

-Please stay behind after the service for refreshments

This week

- -Tuesday and Friday Welcome 10:30am-12noon (free tea/coffee and chat and church open for prayer and reflection).
- -West End Cardmakers: Tuesday at 12noon
- -Prayer Meeting and Bible Study: Thursday at 10:30am (Church) 7:30pm (Manse)
- -Friday: Knit and Knatter 11am-1pm
- -Lord's Day (16 November): Morning Worship 11am: The Minister

November

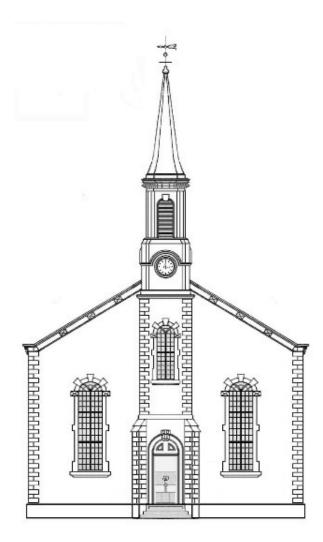
- -Orbiston Neighbourhood Centre Service: 2nd at 1:30pm
- -Christmas Fair 15th 11am-3pm
- -Committee of Management 17th at 7pm (Fellowship Hall)
- -Meet at the Manse: Wednesday 19th, 2-4pm, 7-9pm, Saturday 22nd 2-4pm
- -Hatton Lea Nursing Home Service 18th at 2:30pm
- -Kirk Session 24th at 2pm (Manse)
- -Caledonia Fiddles concert 27th at 7:30pm

December

- -Nine Lessons and Carols 14th at 6:30pm
- -Christmas Concert with Jonathan Buchan 18th at 7:30pm
- -Christmas Eve: 7pm, and 11:15pm (EU Congregational Church)
- -Christmas Day 10:30am

The Congregational Magazine and Gift Aid Declarations are now available in the vestibule. If you wish to become a member of the church by professing faith in Christ for the first time, or by transfer from another congregation, please speak to the Minister. A leaflet on membership can be found in the vestibule.

Announcements to be submitted by Friday at 8am.



United Free Church of Scotland Bellshill: St Andrew's Church Sunday 9 November 2025 – 6:30pm

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Order of Service

Please stand when the Bible enters

Intimations
Call to worship

Praise: MP 498: O God our help in ages past (St Anne)

Prayer

Praise: MP 543: Onward, Christian soldiers (St Gertrude)

Scripture Readings: Old Testament: Psalm 126

New Testament: Hebrews 12:1-12, 12-17

Praise: MP 482: Nearer my God to thee (Bethany)

Sermon: From Tears to Joy

Offering

Praise: MP 171: Give to our God immortal praise (Duke Street)

Prayers of concern

Praise: MP 4: Abide with me (Eventide)

Benediction

Please remain upstanding for the departure of the Bible

What has God said to you, or shown you today?

Sermon: From Tears to Joy

I. Marvel at how God has helped you in the past (1-3)

- A. I must be dreaming!
- B. Laughter and songs of joy
- C. Glory to God and joy for us

II. Trust God to do it again! (4-6)

- A. Pray for God's full restoration and blessing
- B. Know that God will turn your sorrow into joy
- C. Commit yourself to the Lord and continue to do good

Notes:

Bellshill: St Andrew's United Free Church SC016252 is part of the United Free Church of Scotland SC008167.