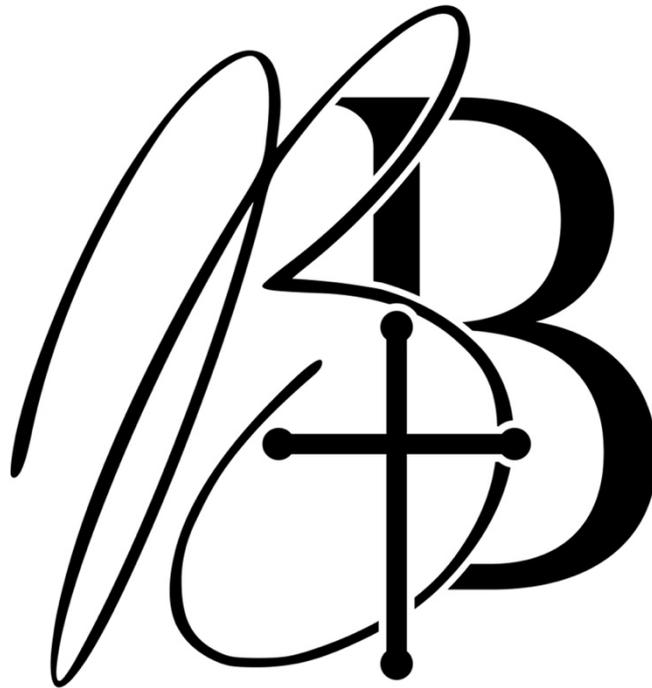


Welcome to worship at



Bellshill and Bothwell Parish
Church of Scotland

Sunday 8th February 2026

Minister: Revd. Iain Majcher

Organist: Mr Matt Edwards

Asst. Organist: Mrs Janet Young

Ministry Student: Aileen Macdonald-Haak



ORGAN PRELUDE

We have a gospel to proclaim

WORDS OF WELCOME AND NOTICES

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAYERS OF APPROACH & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen

ALL AGE TALK

ALL AGE SONG

Let your light shine

FIRST READING

Psalm 112: 1-9

SECOND READING

Matthew 5: 13-20

HYMN CH4 252

As a fire is meant for burning

SERMON

PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

We pause to pray in silence and spend time with God while we listen to the music.

HYMN CH4 362

Heaven shall not wait

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

We pause to pray to God for the world, our community and one another.

HYMN CH4 543

Longing for light

BENEDICTION We remain standing if we are able for the blessing.

ORGAN POSTLUDE

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Welcome to worship in Bellshill and Bothwell Parish Church. Whether you join in person or online, come every week, are here for the first time or the first time in a long time, a very warm welcome.

Join us tonight and every Sunday evening in our West Halls at 5pm for a contemporary service with tea, coffee, juice and biscuits before the service.

This service is live-streamed. Should you not wish to appear in the recording, please speak to our welcome team.

You'll find tea, coffee, juice, and biscuits ready for you after the service in the Church Centre. We'd love for you to stick around for a cup of something warm and a good chat.

Our reader today is

WHAT'S ON TODAY

The Creche is open from the start of the service and can be used at any point during the service, please ask at the door for more information.

Sunday School is on for any Primary School-aged children. We leave after the all age song and all children are welcome to join in.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

West Blend Café: every Tuesday at 10am in our West Halls, we would love to see you.

The Guild meets again in the Church Centre at **7.15 on Monday 9th February**, when we are delighted to welcome, as our Guest Speaker, our very own Ministry Student, Aileen Macdonald-Haak. All are sure of a warm welcome.

Bothwell Memory Café: meets on **Tuesday 10th February** in our Bothwell Centre for those living with dementia. The weekly activities include art, musical entertainment, fun quizzes, and baking. The café is open from 12:30 to 14:15, offering tea, coffee, a light lunch, and homemade baking.

"The Bothwell History and Heritage Society" will host 'An evening with Joanna Baillie' in the Community Hub, Main Street, Bothwell on **Tuesday 17th February 2026 at 7.30pm**. Please join us for an entertaining, illustrated talk on her connection to Bothwell, her life and work. All are welcome with a donation of £5 to funds requested."

Allopus: meets on **Thursday 19th February, 11am - 1.30pm**, with Guest, Beauty by Karen.

NOTICE

Funeral of the late Heather Barr(nee Sneddon), will be held in the Church on **Thursday 12th February at 12 noon**.

GIVING

If you wish to make an offering today to Bellshill and Bothwell Parish Church, please use the basket at the top of the steps on your way out. Contactless giving is also available at the entrance. All financial gifts go towards the church's work. Alternatively, please use the QR code to give via our secure online giving platform.

