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# Kirkliston Parish Church

We invite Visitors, Neighbours and Friends to share in Sunday Worship

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## Newsletter


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### LETTER FROM THE MINISTER



Christmas is the time of year when we celebrate what the Church calls the incarnation—the birth of God in Jesus Christ. In the famous carol  service from Kings College Cambridge, the story is told from the prophecies of centuries before to the birth of Jesus in the stable. We hear also about the visit of the shepherds and wise men from the East. The 9 lessons are interspersed with carols beautifully sung. Watching this service, which is broadcast all over the world, I always feel ‘this is Christmas’.

Christmas is a time of great joy. We give and receive gifts and cards. We feast on turkey and Christmas pudding. Why? A while ago now, I discovered there is another ‘birth’ to celebrate when, quite by accident, I came across these words:

*Christ could be born a thousand times in Galilee-  
But all in vain until He is born in me.*

Discovering this simple verse led me to a deeper understanding of Christmas and the mystery that is the incarnation. The words of the lovely carol ‘O Little Town of Bethlehem’ took on new meaning.

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*How silently, how silently, the wondrous gift is given,  
So God imparts to human hearts the blessings of His Heaven.  
No ear may hear His coming but in this world of sin,  
Where meek souls will receive Him, still the dear Christ enters in.*

It was the late theologian Michael Quoist who said, "many people spend their time denying His incarnation. They search the sky and miss Him right here on earth, where He is to be found in their daily lives."

We are all busy at Christmas. Even your minister has presents to buy, shopping to do, cards to send and a family to feed! But please, don't miss Christ at Christmas. Take an hour out of all that busyness to remember just why we do all this 'stuff'! There are many different opportunities to worship the Lord in your church at Christmas. There is only one Christ and he came to earth for you and for me. He alone is the reason for the season and wise men (and women) still follow Him! Is there room in your heart for Him?

*'Mary gave birth to her first born, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.'*  
(Luke 1:7)

**Kirkliston Church Website**  
[www.kirkliston-parish-church.org.uk](http://www.kirkliston-parish-church.org.uk)

If anyone has information that they feel would benefit from insertion on the website please forward to Rob Keating at [kirkglen@aol.com](mailto:kirkglen@aol.com) .

This information should be church related such as coffee mornings, fund raising, social events and the like. Also if you think that we could have other links or information not currently on the site please send me links and or information.

Rob Keating

## The Tree in The Window

In the little window stands a tinselled Christmas tree,  
Gay with candles, red and gold, a lovely thing to see.

Lighting up the grim surroundings for the passer-by  
With a glow that warms the spirit and delights the eye.

To the ugly street there comes the hint of holy things,  
A flash of glory in the gloom, a rush of angel wings.

The heart is touched by something that is strange and mystical,  
And faith returns, the faith of childhood, new and wonderful.

This is what we need today, so shine out little tree!  
Give us back what we have lost: Faith, Hope, Simplicity.

A little girl, dressed in her Sunday best, was running as fast as she could, trying not to be late for Bible class. As she ran she prayed: "Dear Lord, please don't let me be late! Dear Lord, please don't let me be late!"

While she was running and praying, she tripped on a stone and fell, getting her clothes dirty and tearing her dress. She got up, brushed herself off, and started running again! As she ran she once again began to pray, "Dear Lord, please don't let me be late... But please don't push me again !"

.... And finally, to give you some practise groaning at those Christmas cracker jokes.... Even before mobile phone texting was a possibility, the Two Ronnies demonstrated that even words can be done away with. Ronnie Corbett is a diner, Ronnie Barker a waiter.

Corbett: F U N E X? Barker: S I F X.

Corbett: F U N E M? Barker: S I F M.

Corbett: O K I L F M N X. Barker (to kitchen): A U M N X 4 1.

## Flower Calendar January 2008 to March 2008



<b>JANUARY</b>	6	MRS WATSON, MAITLAND HOG LANE
	13	MRS MAC CONNACHIE, MAITLAND ROAD
	20	MRS DOIG, STONEY FLATS, SOUTH QUEENSFERRY
	27	MISS BOWMAKER, QUEENSFERRY ROAD
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	3	MRS BRECHIN, THE SQUARE
	10	MRS BROOKS, STEWART PLACE
	17	<b>VACANT</b>
	24	MRS FAIRBAIRN, NEW LISTON
<b>MARCH</b>	2	MRS HAYES, THE GLEBE
	9	MRS EDMOT, LOANHEAD COTTAGES
	16	MRS KING, THE GLEBE
	23	MRS BROWN, ALAN PARK
	30	MRS GLASS, RATHO STATION

### FLOWER DELIVERY

<b>JANUARY</b>	MRS BROWN, MRS BIRD, MRS KING
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	MRS BUCHANAN, MRS GLEN
<b>MARCH</b>	MRS MAC CONNACHIE, MRS WRIGHT, MRS ROBERTSON

**Help**

If you would like to help whether it is with deliveries, a donation or arranging the flowers please give me a phone. The more people who are involved the easier it is for everyone and I can assure you that you will get a lot of pleasure from helping out even if it is only once a year.

Thank you to all the helpers, flower arrangers, those who have given to the flower fund and everyone who has offered words of encouragement. I can assure you that it is much appreciated.

During December as you know the Church is decorated for Christmas, however if you would like to donate to a vase of fresh flowers please let me know as I always have flowers each week to hand out to those who need to know they are in our thoughts and prayers.

JOYCE BROOKS  
Flower Convenor Tel: 0131 333 3710

## C.A.B. Christian Action Bus

Exciting things are happening in Kirkliston Church and one of them is our C.A.B.

We have purchased a van and made it child friendly. We intend to go into the village and interact with children of various ages. Adapting our way of thinking must be done if we are to make the Christian faith real to all kids whether they have a relationship with the church or not.

I read somewhere that we spend 50% of our time and energy trying to get people of the world to join in our church, but may be we should spend time getting the church to join our world.

We would like to have the C.A.B. out and about before the end of the year so please pray that all goes to plan (God's plan).

Christina Pearson

A worthwhile thought to consider today:

“If you want to test your memory, try to recall what you were worrying about one year ago today.”

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

WISH YOUR FRIENDS A MERRY CHRISTMAS....

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...and save time writing individual cards, by signing the card in the Church Centre and making a donation to this year's nominated Charity, using the envelopes provided. Your envelope can then be placed in the offering bag in Church.

The card will be on display in the Church Centre  
from Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.



# 1st Kirkliston Boys Brigade



The darker nights are almost upon us again, after what has been a mild and colourful autumn.

We started back on the 27<sup>th</sup> August with 32 boys. We had one boy drop out over the summer, but we have regained two of our former boys who have been tempted back again, bringing our number up to 34 boys.

We could really do with a few more anchor boys as we are very short of primary two boys. If you know of any P2 or 3 boys who may be interested please send them along on a Monday night.

On our first night back, we had the boys designing their Christmas card entries, and I am pleased to say that we have just been told it is one of their efforts that will be popping through your door this Christmas.

Company section is the strongest they have been for many years, with 13 boys, and they are able to participate once again in the football league on a Saturday. They have had mixed fortunes, but they are improving all the time.

With the October break behind us we can now get down to an uninterrupted session up to the Christmas break, and concentrate on our badge work.

We have a few competitions coming up in the winter months, that we are hoping to participate in, weather permitting as always. We are also hoping for a mild day for the Remembrance Sunday service and parade, which is an important date on our calendar of events.

We have had to alter our meeting times slightly, so that all sections can get their use of the main hall. Our new times are:-

Monday nights

Anchor Boys: - 6.15 -7.15 pm

Junior Section: - 7.30 – 9.00pm

Company section: - 7.00pm – 9.30 pm

Our session ends on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December for a two week break, starting back Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2008..

On behalf of the 1<sup>st</sup> Kirkliston boys and staff, I would like to thank you all for your continued support throughout the year, and wish you a Happy Christmas when it comes

Valerie Edwards

(OIC Anchor/Junior sections)

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Visit our website: <http://1kirkliston.boys-brigade.org.uk>

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# The Guild

It's strange to think as we write this that Christmas is already approaching. Where does the time go? The Guild has started its new session and has, at the time of writing, enjoyed

two meetings so far – the first was led by the Rev. Ian Gilmour who spoke to the Guild about our theme for this year “Body, Mind and Spirit”, focussing particularly on the mind and the second was a talk on the” History of Scotmid” especially in the light of the new development taking place in the village. We are now looking forward to talks on the work of Lepra and one on Dementia, and we are also having a visit from the Fire Service to talk about fire safety in the home. These talks will be followed in December by our Christmas meal.

Sunday November 18<sup>th</sup> sees the start of Guild Week and the Rev. Keating has kindly agreed to lead the service that morning with the Guild very much in mind. It is planned that members of the Guild will take part in the service. During that week, the Guild is hosting an Afternoon Tea and entertainment for the older people in our community as part of our outreach. This will take place on the afternoon of Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November in the Church Centre from 1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. Further information will be available nearer the time.

It is encouraging to note that following our last article in the newsletter, some gentlemen have come along to our meetings and we sincerely hope this will continue and indeed widen. The Guild is open to all.

We would take this opportunity, on behalf of the Guild, to wish everyone a happy and peaceful Christmas and New Year.

Jan and Gill

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## KWAI RIVER HANDICRAFTS

You will by now have had a chance to purchase the Christmas selection of cross-stitch cards made by a group of Burmese refugee women on the Thai border at Sangklaburi. This project gives employment to over 20 women who would otherwise have no way of earning a living as they are not allowed work permits or travel permits.

There is also a new selection of birthday cards, etc. and these can be ordered any time from Linda Moss. The new catalogue is on the Partners in Mission notice board in the Church Centre.

## Transport to Church

### Drivers Rota December 2007 — March 2008

DECEMBER	2	Bill Paterson
	9	Ann/David Denholm
	16	Bill McKay
	23	Wilson Marshall
	30	Elaine Robinson
JANUARY	6	Peter Melville
	13	Keith Moss
	20	Gordon/Maggie McConnachie
	27	Anne Reilly
FEBRUARY	3	Rob Keating
	10	Bill Paterson
	17	Ann/David Denholm
	23	Elaine Robinson
MARCH	2	Wilson Marshall
	9	Bill McKay
	16	Peter Melville
	23	Keith Moss
	30	Gordon/Maggie McConnachie

If you would like to help with transport, need help getting to church or require any more information please contact:-

ANN DENHOLM

Transport Convenor Tel: 0131 333 1834



## SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

This session we are doing an A to Z of bible stories, starting with "Adam" and at the time of writing this, we are up to K (King David). The children have enjoyed the variety of stories and activities and are also having fun trying to guess what the next story will be. They really enjoyed marching round and round the walls of Jericho, carrying the Covenant Box and with trumpets blaring, until the walls (which looked a lot like the Church Centre tables!) tumbled down. As we are rapidly approaching Christmas, we will be busy in the next few weeks, preparing for our Nativity, which will take a different form this year.

The Family Service will be on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December and our Sunday School Christmas Party will be held on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December from 4pm - 6pm.

Sunday School will be on holiday on 30<sup>th</sup> December and 6<sup>th</sup> January and will resume on 13<sup>th</sup> January.

The Beginners Sunday School is doing well, being run by Moira Gaynor and Margaret Brechin with a rota of helpers, but it would be good to have a few more volunteers on the rota, as two adults are needed each week. No preparation or experience is required, just someone to sit in and be an extra hand. Please prayerfully consider volunteering for this.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who support the Sunday School either by prayer or donations of money. We really appreciate this.

Wishing you all a very Happy Christmas from the Sunday School.

Linda Moss

———— B.A.B.E. ————  
(Blessed And Beautiful Everyone)

By the time you read this we will have had our autumn B.A.B.E. night. These nights are about ladies having a nice friendly chill out time and so far this has certainly been the case.

We are having our winter night on 30<sup>th</sup> November so ladies put this in your diary and make it a date.

Christina Pearson

### **DORCAS LUNCH CLUB**

The Dorcas Lunch Club reopened its doors on the 18<sup>th</sup> September and we have caught up with our regular friends and welcomed new ones.



Margaret Fairbairn, Jenny Riddell & May Scott have retired from the team. Margaret, as well as helping with the lunches, produced the beautiful floral table decorations for the Christmas lunch. May has been our cashier and collected the money each week. Jenny has moved to Burntisland & we wish her & Colin well in their new home. We thank these ladies for their contributions to Dorcas

Margaret Brechin Convenor (0131 333 3252).

A Morning Prayer.....

“Lord, thou knowest how busy I must be this day. If I forget thee, do not thou forget me.”

## **Fabric Report**

Work Recently Completed :-

Manse.	New gas boiler installed. Walls in garden cement rendered
Church.	New handrail fitted on stairs to balconnies.
Church Centre.	Broken pathway concreted.

There are still about 12 wooden chairs left after being replaced by ones from St Columba's Hospice. Anyone wishing to take any number of chairs can contact me on 0131 333 3115

Charles Wright.  
Fabric Convenor

### **ALPHA**

We are now half way through our Course which is being held in Dalmeny Church Hall on Thursday evenings and run jointly with Dalmeny and South Queensferry Churches. Thirty five people, including leaders and helpers, meet each Thursday evening and we are looking forward to spending time together on our 'weekend away' at St Mary's Kinnoull, a Christian Conference Centre near Perth. Rev Mark Davidson, who was recently the Assistant Minister at South Queensferry Parish Church, is with us for the whole weekend and is giving two of the talks. We are grateful to those who are praying for the Alpha Course and ask that they continue to support us.

Katie Marshall 0131 333 3209.

## Prayer Breakfast

Prayer Breakfasts are held every second month in the Church Centre at 9.30am. The next Breakfast will be on Sunday 11th November. All welcome. We continue to meet each Sunday at 10.30am in the upstairs media room in the Church Centre for a short time of prayer before the service. Please come along for 15 minutes and join us.



1 Thessalonians Ch.5 v 17&18 Pray continually ; Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Katie Marshall

## Queensferry Churches' Care in the Community

### Can Collection at Tesco South Queensferry Sunday 16th December 2007

Are you able to spend 60- 90 minutes collecting at Tesco to help raise funds for Queensferry Care in the Community ? If so, please speak to Jan Wemyss or call the Haven 331 5570.

Wilson Marshall

The folk who look happiest, and those who seem bright,  
With smiles on their faces and feet that are light,  
Are not always those who have lived in the sun,  
But those who faced darkness and fought it, and won.

## CHURCH REGISTER

### ***BAPTISMS: "They brought young people to Jesus"***

14/10/07: Lucy Helen Elder, 6 Glendinning Way Kirkliston

4/11/07: Lea Hogg. 148 Lenzie Avenue Deans Livingston

4/11/07: Ross John Paterson, 17 Glendinning Road Kirkliston

### ***WEDDINGS: "Those whom God has joined together..."***

#### **Marriage Blessing**

20/10/07: Elaine and Tommy Robinson, 8 Maitland Road Kirkliston

### ***FUNERALS: Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life"***

2/8/07: Georgina Warden, 19 Almodside Kirkliston

9/8/07: Duncan Scott, 3 Maitland Road Kirkliston

15/8/07: Robert McLeary, 32 Clerics Hill Kirkliston

2/9/07: John Kay, 32 Dundas Place Kirkliston

12/10/07: Sheila Hogg, 14 Maitland Road Kirkliston

## CRECHE UPDATE

Hard to believe that Fall is here, and winter is just around the corner. It has been a great time for the Creche with new parents/volunteers offering to help. A special warm welcome to our new parents: Susan Riddle, Sheila Lamb, Janice Moutter and Linda White who are giving of their time to help us out. I would like to also thank the long standing Creche volunteers for their amazing support as well, which includes Sally Melville, Carol Glass and Rosie Summers, and also Margaret Brechin. Thanks so much everyone. Here's to making the Creche an enjoyable and comfortable, as well as safe environment for our most precious resource, our children. I know the parents who use our service value and appreciate it so that they can enjoy an hour of spiritual uplifting during Rev. Keatings services.

Here's to keeping up the good work, with God's help and blessings!

Debbie Melville  
Creche Coordinator

## YOU are invited to join us for an EVENING PRAISE SERVICE



On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month,  
in the Thomas Chalmers Church Centre.

Refreshments are served after the Service

And all are very welcome.

Please bring friends and family

**FUTURE EVENING PRAISE SERVICES**

**(Mark them in your diary and on your calendar)**

9<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 13<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 10<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

More than 20 years ago deliverances were brought to and approved by the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland regarding the dispensing of Holy Communion to church members and non members. It was left up to individual churches to decide how and when to implement these deliverances. The Kirk Session has agreed that the time is now right for us here in Kirkliston Parish Church to make some changes in line with almost every other Church in Scotland. (the Presbytery of Edinburgh Clerk has told us that there are perhaps 3 or 4 churches adhering to the old system in our Presbytery)

Firstly, a word of explanation:

- Receiving the sacraments of bread and wine at Communion no longer depends on membership of the church. (this harks back to the days when Elders had the 'power' to discipline non-attenders. The 'stool of repentance' or actual monetary fines for instance.
- **Anyone** who professes faith in Christ Jesus can receive Communion. (this includes children if the parents/minister approve)
- It is no longer a requirement to count the numbers and record the names of those attending Communion as it does not affect a person's membership.

Therefore, from 2008 the practice of issuing Communion Cards to members will cease. Elders **will** still be required to visit their districts and issue members (and others with 'invitation cards' along with Newsletters/fliers etc as required.)

Because a record of attendance at Communion is **no longer** required, the practice of collecting cards and taking names at the doors of the church will cease. We will not be keeping a record any more of who has attended Communion in the last 5 years and who has not! (those who had not been at Communion would have, in the past, been removed from the roll).

The Kirk Session recognises that there are a considerable number of people who attend our Church on a regular basis who are not members and they **cannot** be excluded (in Church Law) from receiving Communion. Equally we recognise that a few members attend Church regularly but **never** attend on Communion Sunday, for a variety of reasons. They cannot be 'struck off' because of this. We will welcome anyone to our Church in Kirkliston -member or not- who professes faith in Christ **and** those who are still 'searching'.

However, we are still required to keep a roll of members as accurately as possible. This means that Elders and members **must** tell our roll-keeper (Joe Henderson) or the minister of any changes in our membership, by death or moving away for instance. We would rather be told a few times than never!

If anyone has questions about these changes, please speak to the Minister.



**SOME DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:**

9<sup>th</sup> December: our usual evening service in the Church Centre at 6.30pm. This offers an alternative form of worship from the morning service. Please support those who put so much effort into this service.

16<sup>th</sup> December: worship at 11am in the church. This will be a service of lessons and carols.

20<sup>th</sup> December; Kirkliston Primary School Christmas Service in the church (time to be confirmed) but please do support our young folk. This is always a very 'special' service.

23<sup>rd</sup> December: Family worship at 11am in the church. This service will include the Nativity from our Sunday School.

24<sup>th</sup> December: Worship for Christmas Eve firstly at 6.30pm in the church. This is especially for those with young families. Following the service there will be mince pies and mulled wine/juice served in the Square and hopefully a visit from Santa Claus!

At 11.30pm there will be a 'watchnight' service by candlelight in the church. All are welcome.

25<sup>th</sup> December: Worship for Christmas Day at 10am in the church. This is a short service- we are all busy people! Children bring along a gift from Santa to show us!



Three boys are in the school yard bragging about their fathers.

The first boy says, "My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a poem, and they give him £50".

The second boy says, "That's nothing. My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a song, and they give him £100."

The third boy says, "I got you both beat. My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a sermon, and it takes eight people to collect all the money!"



## Church Without Walls

The Committee meets monthly in the Church Centre to explore a wide range of opportunities within our Church. Outreach is one area we are looking at and the Outdoor Service and BBQ on 9th September in the Gateside area of our village was a great success with over 90 attending.

We are working through the Church of Scotland booklet 'Transforming the Local Congregation' at our meetings and would welcome your views. Please come to one our meetings and give your thoughts or alternatively speak to Wilson Marshall or one of the other Committee members. The dates of the meetings are included in the Intimations at the morning services.

Wilson Marshall

**The Guild of St. Luke** is our Health and Healing Group which meets on the second Monday of the month in the office of the Church Centre. We are committed to praying every day for those on our prayer list. If you, or someone you know is in need of prayer for healing, please use the cards which you will find on the pews in Church and place them in the boxes at either door of the Church. If you would like to join us in this prayer ministry, please come along on the second Monday of the month, when you will be made most welcome.

Linda Moss

## ABSTRACT of ACCOUNTS

1st Jan 2007 -30 Sept 2007

Charity No. SC013924

**Congregational Account**

## INCOME

Balance B/F 2006	£	1,547.52
Offerings plate	£	3,648.82
WFO Non gift aid	£	7,911.85
WFO Gift Aid	£	12,442.80
Offerings by bank S.O. NGA	£	1,345.00
Offerings by bank S.O. GA	£	6,721.97
Weddings/Funerals	£	1,575.00
Social Committee income	£	189.94
Course Fees	£	285.00
Donations	£	1,322.00
Charites Aid	£	225.00
Investment Income	£	8,278.96
Interest on deposits	£	1,586.21
Guild Donation	£	550.00
legacy	£	200.00
Equipment collection	£	75.90
Life & work	£	538.40
Bus fund don	£	525.00
Transfer fr Reserve bank	£	3,982.89
	£	52,952.26

**Thomas Chalmers Centre**

Dorcas	£	1,408.72
Traidcraft	£	20.00
Centre Teas	£	623.36
JHM & Thurs Dance	£	1,980.00
Kirkliston Scottish Dance	£	490.00
Hall Use Playgroup	£	170.00
General Hall Use	£	375.00
Hall Donations Non Gift Aid	£	451.00
Hall Donations Gift Aid	£	314.00
Country Dance Donation	£	500.00
Donations	£	160.00
Tr from General	£	2,232.53
	£	8,724.61

**Insured Values at May 06**

Church	£	3,141,066.30
Thomas Chalmers Centre	£	2,756,251.10

## EXPENDITURE

Nat Stipend Fund	£	35,792.00
Less Endowment Income	-£	5,785.60
Organists	£	1,851.59
Travel Expenses	£	2,073.22
Heat & light	£	2,008.44
Telephone & M Expenses	£	393.18
Pubs & Stationery	£	2,627.46
Cleaning	£	1,463.56
Life & Work	£	434.11
Rates	£	1,785.08
Insurance	£	2,298.51
Church Officer	£	180.00
Miscell Church/cour fees	£	782.88
Fabric Maintenance Ch	£	613.07
Fabric Maint Manse	£	1,465.18
Int on Loan	£	433.31
Pulpit supply	£	150.00
Organ/piano maint	£	36.00
Tr to Centre	£	2,232.53
<b>Balance in Gen a/c</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>2,117.74</b>
	£	52,952.26

Heat & Light	£	2,554.79
Insurance	£	1,375.08
Tel 4088	£	149.81
Caretaker	£	3,022.28
Provisions	£	532.77
Fabric CC	£	1,089.86
	£	8,724.59

Manse	£	271,185.24
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## ABSTRACT of ACCOUNTS (Continued)

**Fabric Fund**

## Income

Balance B/F	£	1,253.14
Retiral Collections	£	670.42
Donations	£	119.58
Interest	£	8.89
Tr fr Res bank	£	2,000.00

## Expenditure

Pt Repayment Loan	£	3,680.01
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Balance	£	372.02
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**Money Donated For Other Purposes**

Tear Fund	£	23.00
QCCC	£	711.11
St Michael's Hosp	£	1,293.13
Cancer research UK Scotland	£	£3,646.45
Christian Aid	£	£3,077.04
Br Heart Foundation	£	570.00

Bible Soc	£	50
Charly	£	£491.39
Crossreach	£	£276.50
RNLI	£	£1,503.30
Macmillan nursing	£	£1,503.31
Darfur(school coll)	£	52.39

**Church Benevolent Fund\***

Income	£	20.00
Interest	£	14.64
Balance B/F	£	1,664.06
	£	1,698.70

Expenditure		
Outgoings	£	792.61

Balance	£	906.09
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**Balance In Other Accounts**

Ogilvie Bequest*		
C of S Trust	£	1.20
Weddell Memorial Fund*		
C of S Trust	£	3,470.97

Reserve Fund		
Cof S Trust + res bank	£	62,383.21
Fixed Assets	£	166,276.04

**Loan**

Church of Scotland repayment	£	9,574.99
outstanding	£	3,680.01
	£	5,894.98

* Protected Funds (By Original Donor)	£	164,747.06
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Available Funds	£	61,038.45
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Total Equity	£	228,167.88
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Rob Brechin		
Treasurer		30.09.07