



**We seek to invite, encourage
and enable all ages to
follow Jesus Christ.**

**Welcome! We join in the sanctuary and online to worship God in the Name
of Jesus Christ. Our Service to God is led today by Jill Dickson.**

Order of Service – Sunday 7th July 2024 (10.30am)

We offer ourselves to God in worship

Welcome, Notices and Gathering Moment

(Judith Norton)

Call to Worship

Hymn MP 237- Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty

Hymn MP 1259 - 10,000 Reasons

All Together Time

(Summer Kids Club)

Hymn JP 300 - Zacchaeus was a very little man

We ask for God's help and listen for Him speaking to us

Prayer and Lord's Prayer*

Scripture Reading: Luke 19:1-10 (NIV UK) (Page 1053)

(Isabel Scougal)

Prayer for Others

(Eileen Hope)

Hymn MP 50 - Be still for the presence of the Lord

Message

We respond to God

Hymn MP 1072 - In Christ Alone

Benediction and Threefold Amen

** The words for the Lord's Prayer will appear on screen, if you find these helpful.*

***We have a Summer Kids Club for all children up to those leaving Primary School
as well as a crèche room available for children under 3 years.*

Welcome to Worship at Brightons

Church is not a building – it is the family of God's people, and we are delighted that you are able to join us today. **If you are here with children, they are welcome to stay in the service and/or visiting families can go with their children to Summer Kids Club.

Keep in Touch and Informed

We are on Facebook, X, Instagram and YouTube as well as our church website www.brightonschurch.org.uk. You can download material from the website, see the calendar and news, as well as revisit previous sermons.

Early Summer Service Time and Summer Kids' Club

Over the weeks when the school doors are shut, Summer Kids Club will be ON for all children up to those leaving Primary School. Any children can come along – occasionally or every time. We will gather in the hall from 10.15am with an activity and then go into the **earlier summer** church service for a short time at 10.30am. We will finish up at the same time as the service. If you would like any more information, then please contact Heather Haywood at: summerkidsclub@brightonschurch.org.uk

ASN Activity Sheet

Over the summer weeks, we are trialling an ASN-friendly activity sheet. These are available at the front and rear doors, as well as packs of pens. This might be useful for young people and/or adults who wish an activity during the sermon, for example. Please return the pens to the front or rear door before going home.

Additional Support Needs Survey Form

As part of our wider work on Additional Support Needs, we would like feedback from the congregation on a range of ASNs. Within your news sheet, or at the front/rear doors, you will find a survey form. Please complete and return, with your name. Whilst we cannot promise an immediate resolution to all issues, we are keen to hear what needs there actually are and seek ways forward.

Sunday Morning Prayer and Thursday Evening Live Prayer

Join us for a time of prayer on Sunday mornings 10.00 to 10.15 am in the small hall, or on Thursday evenings at 8.15 pm on Zoom only over the summer. Please email: info@brightonschurch.org.uk for Zoom login details if you would like to join.

Scott's Study and Summer Leave

From 1st July to 4th August, Scott will be on two weeks' study leave followed by three weeks' holiday. During this time, please contact our Pastoral Assistant, Ian Baillie, for pastoral support or our Session Clerk, Judith Norton, for other church queries.

September Communion Card

If you have any dates that you would like to include on the back page of the September Communion Card, please send them to Margaret Sim at: connect@brightonschurch.org.uk by 21st July 2024.

Blood Transfusion Service

The Blood Transfusion Service will be in the Church Halls on Monday 15th July from 2.00pm - 3.30pm and 5.00pm - 7.30pm. Appointments can be booked in advance at scotblood.co.uk or by calling 0345 9090999.

Volunteers for Post-Summer ASN Sunday Morning Group

One of the ideas to come out of the ASN discussions around Sunday worship is to have a monthly Sunday morning group to cater for those with learning differences. This would happen in the halls at the same time as, but separate to, Sunday School groups. It would probably finish by noon and initially include an activity sheet, songs, refreshments, light conversation. We would like to start the group in September, with new or some existing volunteers on a rota basis. If you have questions, or would be willing to be on the team, then please speak with Scott or Alie Drackford.

Membership Classes

Scott has received notice of interest in membership and is looking to run membership classes after the summer break, where over 2-3 evenings folks can explore the meaning and steps of being a formal part of our church family. If you are interested in finding out more, or being part of these classes, then please speak with Scott or Judith.

Church Garden

The workload of the **Work Party** has reduced with the sale of the manse grounds and we now wish to spend more time developing the front garden as a feature. We are therefore seeking suggestions from the gardeners in the congregation, young and old, on how it could be enhanced. Some ideas already mentioned include garden of remembrance, garden seat, Christian features for Easter and Christmas, Poppy display at Remembrance in November. Any help in the planning, sketches, plans, plants etc would be appreciated. Contact Ian lawson or Roy Graham for more info.

Tea and Coffee

7th July – Norma Thompson, Alan Thompson, Sandra Smillie and Bill Smillie.

14th July – Maralyn Stirling, Ian Lawson and Pauline O'Rorke.

Flowers in Church

Flowers are provided this week by Helen Brodie.

Delivering the flowers after today's service will be Kathleen Frew.

Delivering the flowers next week will be Sheila Colebrook.

Thanks to those who contributed in different ways to today's Service

Jill Dickson, Eileen Hope, Iona Lang, Morag Lang, Ewan McManus, Richard McManus, Neil Matheson, Jean Meek, Ewan Norton, Judith Norton, Heather O'Neill, Isabel Scougal and the Welcome Team.

The Week Ahead at Brightons

Date	Time	Activity
TODAY	10.00 am	Congregational Prayer Time
Sunday 7 th July	10.15 am	Summer Kids' Club
	10.30 am	Summer Morning Service Live Streamed
Wednesday 10 th July	7.30 pm	Band Practice
	8.00 pm	Huddle Catch Up
Thursday 11 th July	8.15 pm	Thursday Evening Live Prayer (Zoom only)
Sunday 14 th July	10.00 am	Congregational Prayer Time
	10.15 am	Summer Kids' Club
	10.30 am	Summer Morning Service Live Streamed

Minister	Rev Scott Burton	On leave from 1st July to 4th August
Pastoral Assistant	Ian Baillie	☎: 719641 or 07795 034728 ianb@brightonschurch.org.uk Days Off: variable at present
Session Clerk	Judith Norton	☎: 07919 998300 sessionclerk@brightonschurch.org.uk
Church Office	☎: 713855	info@brightonschurch.org.uk
Church Website		www.brightonschurch.org.uk
Newsheet	Heather O'Neill	☎: 07745 564094
Notices		heather.oneill5@btinternet.com