

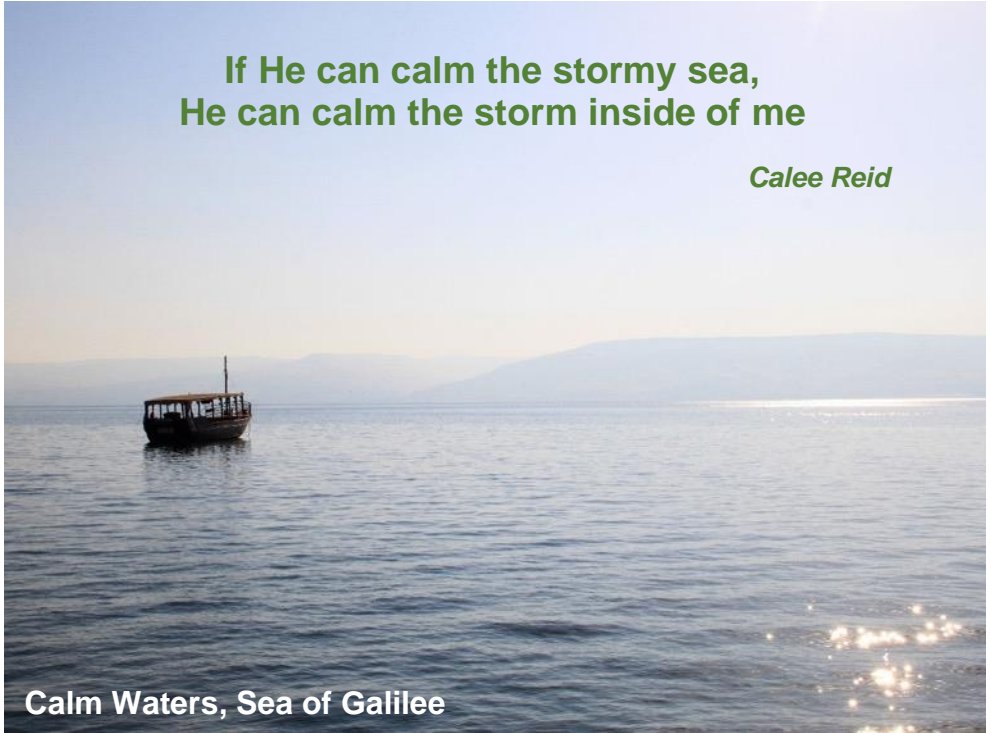
MAYFIELD SALISBURY PARISH CHURCH

EDINBURGH

Live Streamed Service Every Sunday

If He can calm the stormy sea,
He can calm the storm inside of me

Calee Reid



Calm Waters, Sea of Galilee

Sunday 20 June 2021

MORNING WORSHIP & HOLY COMMUNION

Led by Revd Dr Sandy Forsyth & Hillary Leslie and Kate Pearson,
Milda Zinkus and the congregation in church and online

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AS A DIVERSE PEOPLE, THE CHURCH GATHERS TO WORSHIP ALMIGHTY GOD

Welcome & Church News

Call to Worship - Psalm 107:29-31

Leader: They cried out to the Lord in their trouble,

All: And he brought them out of their distress.

Leader: He stilled the storm to a whisper.

All: The waves of the sea were hushed.

Leader: They were glad when it grew calm,

All: And he guided them to a safe harbour.

Leader: Let us give thanks to God for his unfailing love,

All: And his wonderful deeds for all people.

Hymn 189

Be Still, for the presence

Sung by Milda Zinkus

Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One, is here;
come bow before him now
with reverence and fear:
in him no sin is found,
we stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
he burns with holy fire,
with splendour he is crowned:
how awesome is the sight,
our radiant king of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place;
he comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister his grace:
no work too hard for him -
in faith receive from him.
Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

Bible Reading Mark 4:35 - 41 (NIV) Read by Gillian Beeston

Jesus Calms the Storm

35 That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, 'Let us go over to the other side.' 36 Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. 37 A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. 38 Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, 'Teacher, don't you care if we drown?'

39 He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, 'Quiet! Be still!' Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. 40 He said to his disciples, 'Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?'

41 They were terrified and asked each other, 'Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!'

Reflection with Hillary Leslie

Young People Leave for Sunday School

Reflection with Sandy Forsyth

Prayer with Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen

Young People return from Sunday School

Song Find Your Place Around God's Table Sung by Milda Zinkus

Find your place around God's table
Bread and wine – God's gifts we share
As we eat and drink together
Jesus Christ is present here.

Gather round, as we remember
Jesus taking wine and bread
'My body, blood – it's given for you'
Sacrament – as souls are fed.

Take your place around God's Table
Taste and see that God is grace
Be encouraged, loved, forgiven
Among God's family, find your place.

We take our place around your table
We taste and see that you are grace
We go encouraged, loved, forgiven
Among God's family, find our place

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Invitation to the Table

Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you

All: And also with you

Leader: Lift up your hearts

All: We lift them to the Lord

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise

Sacrament of Communion

The Peace

Praise Song

Be Bold, Be Strong

Sung by Milda Zinkus

Three times, with actions!

Be bold, be strong
For the Lord your God is with you.
Be bold, be strong,
For the Lord your God is with you.
I am not afraid, I am not dismayed,
Because I'm walking in faith and victory,
Come on and walk in faith and victory,
For the Lord your God is with you!

Closing Responses

Leader: Loving God, bless all who have gathered round our table today, whether here or virtually

All: God bless each of us

Leader: And in our times of need, may we find a table laid before us

All: And peace and calm along the way.

Leader: May we always know Your presence beside us

All: At every meal and in all our sharing.

Blessing and Amen



Christ Sleeping in the Storm by Elena Cherkasova

NEWS AND INTIMATIONS

ZOOM COFFEE TODAY AT 12NOON

Everyone welcome after the service for Zoom Coffee and Chat! The details are: Meeting ID: 916 2088 9282 Passcode: 335845
<https://zoom.us/j/91620889282?pwd=SWVlZmZk9YZ2lBaTRCVlUvZ215dz09>

Bring your own coffee (or tea/juice!) If you prefer to phone in, the number to call is 0131 460 1196.

- 1. FORTHCOMING SERVICES** The service next week (27 June) the service will take place at 10.45am. Throughout July and August the service will be held at 10:15am. In July there will be no Sunday School provision. For further information, please contact the church office (churchmanager@googlemail.com / **0780 801 1234**) or check the website: www.mayfieldsalisbury.org
- 2. ART INSTALLATION & DISCUSSION** We are delighted that the artists Peter and Heidi Gardner have created an installation called 'Hope Glimmers' on the grass on the West Mayfield side. More details at www.mayfieldsalisbury/art

You are invited to a Zoom event to 'Meet the Artists' THIS SUNDAY (20 June) at 7.00pm. All welcome:

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/art-installation-meet-the-artists-tickets-156776736439

- 3. MIDWEEK PEACE AND PRAYERS** Morning prayers returns to its original **Tuesday** morning and again we are combining this with the opportunity for silent reflection in our beautiful sanctuary. The timetable every Tuesday is **led prayers 10:00 to 10:30am**, with the **sanctuary remaining open 10:30 to 11:00 am**. All are welcome to participate in either or both.
- 4. PLEASE NOTE** Due to current restrictions, Revd Dr Sandy Forsyth is regrettably unable to meet after the service today. Please feel free to be in contact by telephone **0131 667 1286** or by email at AForsyth@churchofscotland.org.uk.

5. WOULD YOU LIKE TO WELCOME STUDENTS NEW TO EDINBURGH? Mayfield Salisbury Church has many links with the University of Edinburgh, and these have been strengthened by the arrival of the Revd Dr Sandy Forsyth as our minister, with his on-going links to the School of Divinity at New College.

Postgraduate Students arriving in Edinburgh to study at the School of Divinity from overseas often have few if any contacts with locals in general and with places of worship specifically. We would like to offer these students (whatever their faith) a warm Scottish welcome, and are well placed to do so both via Sandy himself and also via Emma Wild-Wood, a member of our congregation, who is the director of postgraduate research studies at New College.

Our proposal, with Emma's support, is that we would initially hold a welcome event at Mayfield Salisbury (which would be ecumenical and multifaith) during Welcome Week (the week beginning 13 September), to which all new postgraduate students at New College would be invited. Thereafter, if any students wished to be connected with 'welcome hosts' of individuals or families from the congregation, we would make that happen. The hosting might take the form of inviting them for a meal, showing them the local sights, joining them at church on a Sunday morning etc.

Obviously the Covid pandemic has had a major impact on overseas student numbers, and we do not yet know how many might be involved. It would be helpful to gauge interest and support from members of the congregation who might like to support this initiative. If you would like to (1) be involved in the welcome event and/or (2) potentially become a 'welcome host', please contact Alastair MacGilchrist (a.macgilchrist@gmail.com, **07931 730 805** or in person), preferably by Monday 19th July. This is simply be a 'note of interest' rather than a definite commitment at this stage.

6. **PASTORAL CARE** Would you now like to be allocated a visitor or someone to phone you regularly? Are you going into hospital or know of someone who is ill? Please contact Sandy on **0131 667 1286**.
7. **ANNUAL LEAVE** Kay is on holiday from Sunday 20 to Saturday 26 June inclusive.
8. **CHRISTIAN AID: GIVE THANKS FOR YOUR VACCINATION**
As more of our family, friends, and neighbours receive their COVID vaccinations, we rejoice and are glad that our loved ones are protected. We give thanks for all the NHS staff and key workers who continue to save lives across the UK.

For the poorest and most vulnerable communities across the world, there is little hope of a vaccine rollout. These people already face a lack of water, food, and healthcare.

Some are homeless. Some are living with underlying health issues such as HIV.

Christian Aid is already on the ground, helping keep people safe from coronavirus with practical support – but with your gift of thanks we can do more.

Have you or your loved ones had your vaccine?

Please give thanks with a donation to help protect our global neighbours while the vaccine is out of reach.

The new Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, Lord Wallace, is supporting the Give Thanks Appeal: **‘This is an opportunity to give thanks in a very tangible way. In a quest for global justice, here is a practical opportunity to give real expression in 2021 to loving our global neighbours.’**

Donations can be made via the **Christian Aid website** at **www.christianaid.org.uk** or by telephone on **020 7523 2269**.

9. **YOUTH GROUP NEWS**

Youth Group (S2-S6 in-person) 20 June: The S2 - S6 group will meet from 7.00pm to 8.30pm for an end-of-the-year party in the church garden! There will be s'mores, discussion and games.

- Important covid-related details about the sessions, and information about how to book, can be accessed on the church website on the 'young people' page. Contact Hillary if you have any other questions!

Youth Worship - 27 June at 7.00pm: We will have a Youth Worship service on Zoom at 7.00pm - for the young and the young at heart. Please contact Hillary for Zoom log-in details.

10. **GOP26 - FOOD AND AGRICULTURE** Ian Murray, MP for Edinburgh South, is holding a series of public Zoom meetings in preparation for COP26 in November. The second of these is on 1 July at 6pm and concerns food and agriculture. If you wish to register in advance for this meeting, the website is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMvf-qprTMiHtyoYZKhv9YhmPS9R1hL_TBw

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

11. **KILOMBERO RICE** available again £3 per 1kg bag white or brown. Every bag bought helps Malawian smallholder farmers pay for secondary education for their children.

Contact Jean **0131 477 6648** or jebleitch@gmail.com

12. **SESSION CLERK** Charles Garland has stood down as Session Clerk after three very busy years and we both thank him sincerely for all he has done and wish him well. The Kirk Session has appointed Boyd McAdam to succeed him, and we are delighted to welcome Boyd to this new role. Boyd may be contacted at clerkmspc@gmail.com or on **0777 358 7579**.

13. **BUSINESS COMMITTEE - NEW EMAIL ADDRESS** Please note the contact email for Steve Holehouse, Convenor of the Business Committee, is now: cbcmspc@gmail.com

14. **SUPPORT MAYFIELD SALISBURY CHURCH** Regular and one-off **donations**, now possible through: www.give.net/20311853
15. **OUR E-MAIL PRAYER CHAIN IS UP AND RUNNING!** All prayer requests should be sent to kay@backedge.co.uk or handwritten and placed in the prayer box at the church door. An email will go out from Kay once a week with the prayer requests set out. If you would like to receive the weekly email and to pray for those situations, please also get in touch with Kay.



**Surrender to what is. Let go of what was.
Have faith in what will be.**

Sonia Ricotte

Books for the Journey

Steve Aisthorpe, *Re-Wilding the Church* (2020)

Bruce Stanley, *Forest Church* (2020)

Walter Brueggemann, *Virus as a Summons to Faith* (2020)

Forthcoming Deadlines

Order of service for next week: Thursday at 6.00pm.

Next Grapevine: Friday 25 June at 6.00pm.

Please send submissions to the Church Manager, William Mearns.

Phone: 0780 801 1234 or email: churchmanager@googlemail.com

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