

# The Christian Community

Movement for Religious Renewal -Edinburgh

**PROGRAMME 2022**

**EASTER – ST JOHN'S**

## **The Act of Consecration of Man**

Sundays 10.00am

Thursdays 10.00am

Holy Week: every day at 10.00am

**Gospel study Thursdays 11.20 -12.15**



## **Services for Children**

Easter Sunday 17 April 9am

Sunday 1 May 9am

WhitSunday 5 June 9am

St John`s Sunday 26 June 9am

## **Peter in Loch Arthur**

Saturday 30 April / Friday/Saturday 27/28 May

Friday/Saturday 1/2 July

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## SPECIAL EVENTS

Maundy Thursday	8:pm	Close of Day Service with Contemplation
Good Friday	2:45pm	Readings and Music before the Altar
Easter Sunday	11:30 - 12	Readings of that First Easter Sunday

*Lucienne in Edinburgh: Thursday 21 - Sunday 24 April*

Sunday 24 April	10:00am	Confirmation of : Theo Jebesen-Moore, Simeon Cardwell, Scott Wilson
Wednesday 27 April	7pm	Bridges Group: speaking about Death
Friday 29 April	7 - 9pm	The Little Prince performed by Matthew Dexter (donations at door)
Sunday 1 May	11:30am	The CC in America and Other Themes Talk by <i>Paul Newton</i>
Saturday 7 May	10:00am	Die Menschenweihehandlung German Service
Sunday 15 May	11:30am	Talk on Membership. For All!

*Lucienne in Edinburgh: Thursday 19 - Sunday 22 May*

<b>Sunday 22 May</b>	11:30am	<b>Adam Bittleston's Life Story</b> Talk by <i>Lucienne v Bergenhenegouwen</i>
<b>Ascension Day 26 May</b>	11:00am	<b>Outing with Picnic</b> Easy and slightly longer routes
<b>Ascension Sunday 29 May</b>	11:30am	<b>"Faith"</b> Ascension conversation with introduction <i>John Andrich and Peter Holman</i>
<b>Saturday 4 June</b>	10:00am	<b>Die Menschenweihehandlung</b> German Service
<b>Whit Sunday 5 June</b>	11:30am	<b>Let every Tongue be uttered!</b> The Lord`s Prayer in many languages

*Lucienne in Edinburgh: Sunday evening until Tuesday 7 June*

<b>Whit Monday 6 June</b>	10:00am	<b>The Act of Consecration of Man in the Dutch language</b>
<b>Whit Tuesday 7 June</b>	10:00am	<b>The Act of Consecration of Man in the Danish language</b>

= *Peter away at Annual Meeting, Forest Row, 10 - 14 June* =

<b>Friday 24 June</b>	10:00am	<b>St John`s Act of Consecration</b>
<b>Saturday 25 June</b>	10:00am	<b>Die Menschenweihehandlung</b> German Service
<b>St John`s Sunday 26 June</b>	11:30am	<b>How real is JOHN to us?</b> Conversation with introduction
<b>Sunday 3 July</b>	11:30am	<b>Without this man...</b> Talk by <i>Peter Holman</i> on the decisive role of Rudolf Steiner in our 1922 Founding

# Gospel Readings

## Holy Week

Palm Sunday April 10	Matthew 21: 1-11
Maundy Thursday April 14	Luke 23: 13-32
Good Friday April 15	John 19: 1-15
Holy Saturday April 16	John 19: 16-42

## Easter

Sunday April 17	Mark 16: 1-8
Sunday April 24	John 20: 19-31
Sunday May 1	John 10: 1-16
Sunday May 8	John 15: 1-27
Sunday May 15	John 16: 1-33
Sunday May 22	John 14: 1-31

## Ascension

Thursday May 26	John 16: 24-33
Sunday May 29	John 16: 24-33

## Whitsun

Sunday June 5	John 14: 22-31
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## Trinity

Wednesday June 8	Luke 19: 1-10
Sunday June 12	John 3: 1-17
Sunday June 19	1 Cor 2: 9-16

## St. John's

Sunday June 26	Mark 1: 1-11
Sunday July 3	John 1: 19-34

# Areas of Responsibilities in the Congregation

Community Secretary	Gabriele Kuhn
Congregational Council	Anne Byrne (Chair), John Andrich, Bruce Bennet, Elisabeth Dean, Nicholas Freeden, Peter Holman, Tatjana Krebs, Gabriele Kuhn Linda Muir
Server Coordinator	Elisabeth Dean
Vestry Group	Joke Biesta, Elisabeth Dean, Angela Gray, Linda Muir
Bread	Dorothy Senior
Music Coordinator	
Flowers	Rota
Cleaning Coordinator	Gabriele Kuhn
Bookstall	Peter Holman
Programme/Publicity	Peter Holman, Gabriele Kuhn
Garden	Tatjana Krebs
Repairs	Gabriele Kuhn
Tenant Liaison	Anne Byrne
Fire Officer	Gabriele Kuhn
Finance Group	Christian Maclean (Chair), Monique Riddle (Treasurer), Bruce Bennet, Anne Byrne, Nicholas Freeden, Peter Holman, Michael Jones, Gabriele Kuhn,
Covenants Treasurer	Duncan Brown
Building Group	Christian Maclean, Bruce Bennet, Nicholas Freeden, Peter Holman
Correspondent (communication with the wider movement)	Anne Byrne

How would you like to help? Please talk to one of the coordinators if you are interested in helping with a particular sphere of work or to Peter Holman.

**The Christian Community** in Edinburgh belongs to the international movement for the renewal of religious life in which seven sacraments are celebrated in new forms relevant for today. These sacraments are Christ's way of speaking to us and of our joining in His deed in our lives. Through them He nourishes and supports our earthly existence. All who come will find a community striving to cultivate an environment of free enquiry in harmony with deep devotion. Conversations with a priest help to prepare for the further step into Membership, and to clarify this mature, free decision and its importance for the future.

**The Act of Consecration of Man** is the renewal of the archetype of early Christian worship which includes bread and wine. Its unusual name implies that the ultimate goal of our lives is to become a true human being through Christ. Progressing through the festivals of the year involves our souls in an evolving relationship to Him through the changing prayers and colours of the service.

**The Sacramental Consultation** supports individual efforts to take more responsibility for life and opens up the way to the healing power of Christ. It is confidential and held on request. Conversations with a priest are, of course, always possible without this sacrament.

### Priests in Edinburgh

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