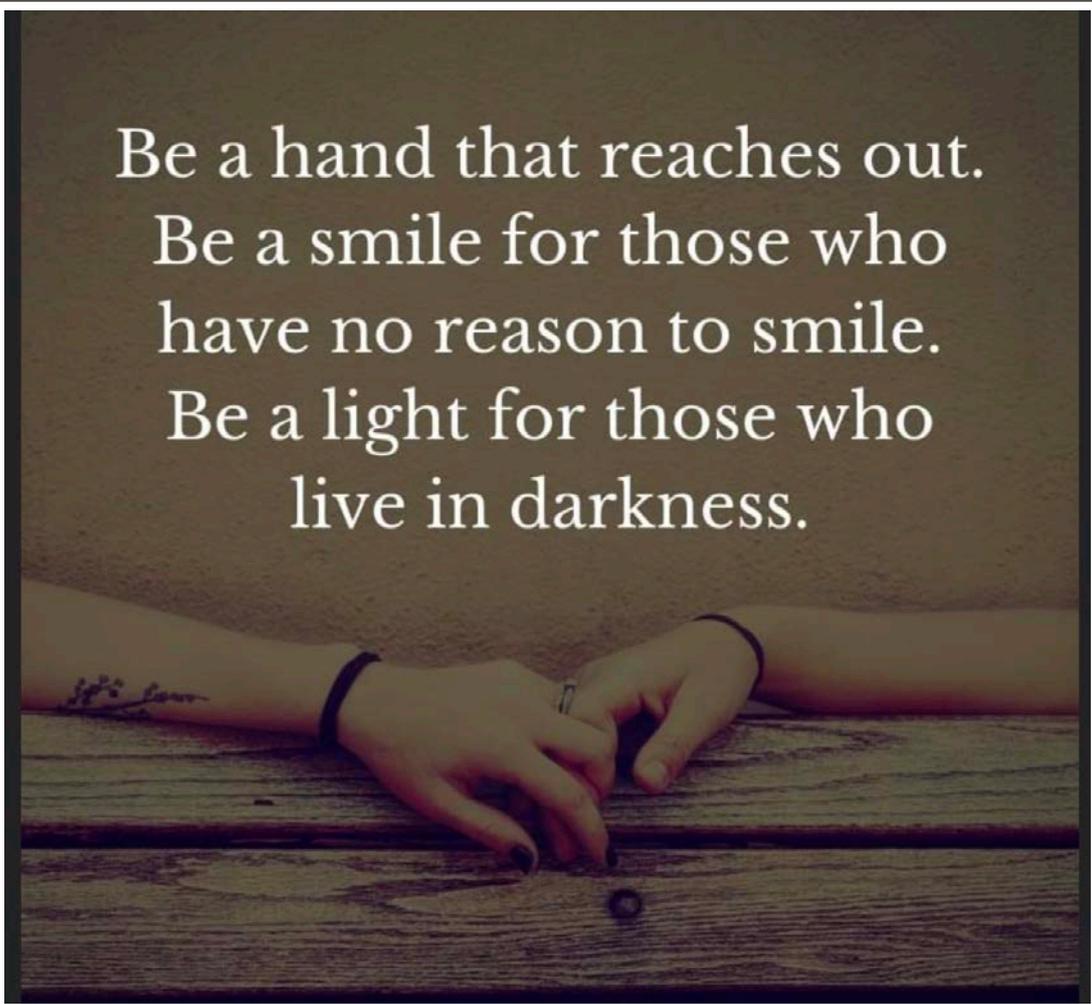


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FEBRUARY 2023

Be a hand that reaches out.  
Be a smile for those who  
have no reason to smile.  
Be a light for those who  
live in darkness.



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GreenbankParish  
CHURCH

# Parish Register

## DEATHS

22/12/22 Mr John [Jack] Carr, 17 Mansefield Crescent, Clarkston  
5/1/23 Mr Hamish Hunter, 1 Bards Gait, Mauchline  
7/1/23 Mrs Aileen Stewardson, 12 Mansefield Road, Clarkston  
10/1/23 Mrs Joyce Smith, 23 Sunnybank Drive, Clarkston

*"My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you?" John 14:2 N.I.V.*

## NEW MEMBERS

27/11/22 Mr Craig Mackie, 12 Melford Avenue, Giffnock  
27/11/22 Mrs Jennifer Mackie, 12 Melford Avenue, Giffnock

## BAPTISMS

27/11/22 Samuel Richard Mackie, 12 Melford Avenue, Giffnock  
8/1/23 Isla Agnes Stephen, Lyell Place, East Kilbride

## PULPIT DIARY – FEBRUARY 2023

|                           |         |  |
|---------------------------|---------|--|
| 5 <sup>th</sup> February  | 10.30am | Worship & Sunday Club                      |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> February | 10.30am | Sacrament of Holy Baptism & Family Worship |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> February | 10.30am | Worship & Sunday Club                      |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> February | 10.30am | Worship and Sunday Club                    |

## LIVE STREAMING OF WORSHIP

The technical equipment in the Church Sanctuary allows streaming via You Tube on Sunday Mornings.

Anyone wishing to view the service should click on the link, which is emailed to the congregation each week from the church office. The service can also be found by searching on You Tube. Once in 'You Tube' simply type in 'Greenbank Church Morning Service' and select the correct service.

Please note that with live streaming there is about a minutes delay before the service is transmitted from the church to people at home. Please be patient if it is a little later than 10.30am before the service starts.

Those attending worship in the Church Sanctuary on Sundays are also asked to note that services are being streamed. The camera being used to transmit images is downstairs, just in front of the balcony area. The cameras will film the pews directly in front of it, the side pews at the front and the chancel area of the church. Members of the congregation who do not wish to be 'caught on camera' are asked to select their seats appropriately.

## ACCESSING SUNDAY WORSHIP LIVE BY TELEPHONE OR AS A RECORDING

For those who do not have a computer and are unable to attend church there is an option of using their telephone to listen to the service. Simply dial 0141 815 1166 at 10.30am if you wish to listen to the service live; alternatively you can listen to a recording of the most recent service from the Monday until the Saturday of the following week. When you dial to hear the most recent recording you will firstly hear a message from Jeanne and then some music. Please wait until the music stops and then, when asked to do so, press 1 on you telephone keypad.

Dear Friends

I want say thank you to all those who worked so hard to make our Advent and Christmas services possible. It was wonderful to see so many people in Greenbank again – in week leading up to Christmas this amounted to over 1500 people. Thank you to those who decorated the church and the halls, to Peter and the choir and to those who worked so hard on our media team and behind the scenes to make sure services were communicated without a hitch. After the last few years, I am sure that none of us take for granted anymore the privilege of being able to meet together in person and, as we move further into 2023, I hope that there will be many more times for everyone to meet together in worship and socially.

New Year is often a time for resolutions and aims. All of these are good to pursue but perhaps the one we often choose to ignore is the most important. It's that little voice in our head that says what about your spiritual life? As we approach Lent on 22nd February I wonder, therefore, if you might think about setting aside time during these six weeks to deepen your spiritual life?

During the last few months the Saturday Book Club at Greenbank has been reading the book 'God on Mute' by Pete Greig. The book tackles the subject of unanswered prayer. It is a subject that is rarely discussed, despite the fact that so many of our prayers go unanswered, or apparently unanswered. The book does this from the perspective of someone who has experienced answers to prayer but who also has a personal experience of unanswered prayer. The end of the book contains a 40-day study guide called 'God on Unmute' which the Book Club intend using for their own Lenten reflections. You may like to purchase the book and join them or you perhaps join Greenbank's Lenten Study called 'God on Mute' which will take place on five Mondays evenings at 7pm during Lent [27<sup>th</sup> February, 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> March]. The discussions are designed to last about hour and there will also be a 30-minute video to watch at your own leisure during the week. I hope that you would like to participate. Please contact the church office for a study guide and zoom link information.

In whatever the year ahead brings, may you find blessings and know more closely the faithful love of God in your lives. May the light of Jesus Christ illuminate your way and the Holy Spirit give you strength and encouragement in all the days that are to come.

Yours,



### **SATURDAY MORNING BOOK CLUB**

The book club will continue to look at "God On Mute" written by Pete Greig. The book engages with the silence of unanswered prayer. We will be meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am, when we will be discussing chapters 9 to 12. Come along at 9.15am if you want to join us for breakfast and please bring your own mug. We will meet in room A upstairs in the church halls. If you have any questions you can contact Ronnie McNeill on 0141 577 6503. We are a friendly group and you will be made most welcome, so come along and join us.

## FLOWER LIST FOR FEBRUARY 2023

|                           | <u>Communion Table</u> | <u>Centenary Chapel</u> | <u>Side Windows</u> |
|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 5 <sup>th</sup> February  | Isobel Blanchflower    |                         |                     |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> February | Moira Dickson          |                         |                     |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> February | Mary Chisolm           | Jan Millar              |                     |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> February | Aileen McKinlay        |                         |                     |

A member of the Flower Committee will contact you during the week prior to your date.

If you would like to donate flowers for the Church, please put your name on the sheet on the Transept window sill.

With Thanks

Elizabeth Cross ([638 5162](tel:6385162))

### LEGACY FUND

Thank you again to all those who continue to contribute to our Legacy Fund.

Pledges can be, and have been, made for any amount of money you can afford, and spread over a few years by standing order if that suits you better. Alternatively a one-off payment by bank transfer or cheque can be made, and you can also donate to the project online by logging on to our church website, following the link to the Legacy Project and clicking the red "Donate Online" button.

Spare pledge and bank standing order forms are available from myself or the Church Secretary, should you require any.

Please remember that **every donation**, of whatever size, is both needed and warmly welcome.

Alistair Smith, Treasurer

Tel: 0141 571 2676 Email: [alistairsmith@ntlworld.com](mailto:alistairsmith@ntlworld.com)

### OFFERINGS

Dear Friends,

Since lockdown many members have continued to remit funds to the church, and I would like to thank them all for doing this. It is a great help to our church's finances.

The best way to maintain your freewill offerings to the church, if possible, is to make a direct payment into the Church's bank account, putting your freewill offering number in the payment reference box. For those wishing to do this, please email me at: [alistairsmith@ntlworld.com](mailto:alistairsmith@ntlworld.com) and I will supply you with the church's bank account details. Alternatively, you can send a cheque made out to Greenbank Parish Church with your freewill offering number, and I will lodge it with other cheques received.

My address is 26 Stewart Drive, Clarkston G76 7EZ.

Thank you for your support. Alistair Smith, Treasurer



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# Prayer Diary

I thought the world was cold in death;  
The flowers, the birds, all life was gone,  
For January's bitter breath  
Had slain the bloom and hushed the song.  
And still the earth is cold and white,  
And mead and forest yet are bare;  
But there's a something in the light  
That says the germ of life is there.

('February' - Mrs Jane Goodwin Austin)

When it gets to February we become impatient for the end of winter and the start of spring. You never know what this month will bring - sleet and snow, or the first signs of life in the garden. Whatever it is, you can take a fair bet that it'll be chilly.

Please say a prayer for everyone who is having to spend these cold months without heat or proper shelter - anyone living on the streets; those people in Ukraine living in temporary shelters, or in buildings without power or water; anyone who is struggling to afford heating or nourishing food as prices soar.

Recent months have shown the worlds' weather getting more extreme. Ask that people with power and influence feel the need to prioritise and support schemes which can make a difference in the climate crisis, so that Gods creation, which we are destroying, can be healed.

These months have also seen an upsurge of industrial action. Pray that all parties will sit down together with a real will to find reasonable compromise. The point of strikes is to cause disruption, but everyone is struggling as it is, and is in need of a little peace and normality. Pray for everyone who can no longer make their income stretch far enough.

In a world full of doom and gloom, take time to give thanks for your nearest and dearest; for the days which will now start to get gradually longer; for the peaceful land we live in; for warm and comfortable homes; for good neighbours and good friends, and time to enjoy good company.

'Meanwhile these three remain: faith, hope and love; and the greatest of these is love.' (1 Corinthians 13:13)

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

If you need prayer for yourself, a loved one or a friend, requests can be sent to our Minister, Rev. Jeanne Roddick at [JRoddick@churchofscotland.org.uk](mailto:JRoddick@churchofscotland.org.uk) You may also email the church office at [office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk](mailto:office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk). Alternatively, you can phone our Prayer Promoter, Gillian Foy. Those for whom prayers have been requested will be prayed for throughout the following month by members of the Prayer Group.

Gillian Foy [0141 638 6245]  
Prayer Promoter

# What's On

## **SOCIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE**

The social committee would like to thank all those who helped to serve refreshments at Greenbank's stall at Clarkston's A Very Merry Christmas. It was a lovely way to connect with the local community, and it was great to see so many excited families as they visited Santa's Grotto nearby. Following this event, it was a pleasure to welcome everyone to Greenbank's Coffee and Treats afternoon on the 3rd of December. Again, we are grateful to all the volunteers who donated, baked, served, face painted and attended the stalls, helping us to raise the magnificent amount of £929.85.

Lindy Dallas

## **THE GUILD**

Our first meeting in 2023 was very well attended and it was good to see everyone looking happy and enjoying being back together again. Walter Edgar entertained us with interesting slides of his visit to Vietnam. We will still be delighted to welcome any ladies from the congregation who wish to join us at 2pm on a Wednesday afternoon.

Enid Dron  
Secretary

## **TIME OUT**

We started our 2023 meetings with a fun evening of Line Dancing, chasing the cobwebs away after the holidays.

Our next meeting was our Burns Night which we honoured our national poet with a couple of readings, and enjoyed a few Scottish treats.

On February 9th we start with a book folding evening which will be very interesting.

New members are always welcome. Contact Susan Mowat ([stusue.mowat@hotmail.com](mailto:stusue.mowat@hotmail.com))

[Susan Mowat](#)

## **CHRISTIAN AID**

The popular Art Exhibition and Sale to benefit Christian Aid will take place on the evening of 17/3/23 and all day on 18/3/23 at Clarkston Halls.

The welcome return of this major fundraising event is being organised by the Clarkston and District Christian Aid Committee, and will include various craft stalls, a tearoom for refreshments and work from local and invited artists who will donate 1/3 of the sale price of their work to support Christian Aid.

To facilitate the ongoing work of the committee, additional volunteers from Greenbank Church are sought; please contact Mark Allan or Ron Livingston if you would like to be involved with the fundraising activities of the Committee.

Mark Allan,  
Chairman,  
Clarkston and District Christian Aid Committee.

## CHRISTMAS IN UKRAINE



Christmas is past, so why are you still reading about it? The reason is our Ukrainian neighbours who cannot be at home this year celebrate it. Here's what a traditional Ukrainian Christmas is like.

Ukraine celebrates Christmas on January 7 in accordance with the Eastern Orthodox religious calendar so Christmas Eve takes place on January 6. However, many people celebrate it on 25th December like us. A candle in the window welcomes those without families to join in the celebration of this special time, and the Christmas Eve dinner is not served until the first star appears in the sky, to remember the journey of three kings. Families celebrate with twelve holiday dishes made especially for the event that represent the 12 disciples.

An extra place setting might be laid to remember someone who has died. An interesting part of Christmas in Ukraine is the bringing of a wheat sheaf into the house as a reminder of their ancestors and the long tradition of agriculture in Ukraine. The sheaf is called a *didukh*. Grain is very important to Ukraine—even the Ukrainian flag, with its blue and yellow colours, represents golden grain under a blue sky.

Ukraine's Santa Claus is called *Did Moroz* (Father Frost) or *Svyatyy Mykolay* (Saint Nicholas). Ukraine has a special connection with St. Nicholas, and lots of churches are named after him. Some children are given gifts on December 19, the Ukrainian St. Nicholas Day, but others wait until Christmas Eve for present-opening.

## NEW YEAR IN CHINA

Ukraine is not the only part of the world to do things differently! The Chinese New Year is one of the of the most popular celebrations that has been adopted across the world from Asia. It is celebrated in January or February each year.

Each Chinese year is named after one of twelve animals - Rat, Ox, Tiger, Rabbit, Dragon, Snake, Horse, Sheep or Goat, Monkey, Rooster, Dog and Pig or Boar. 2023 will be the Year of the Rabbit.



Everyone wants to return home before New Year's Eve and have a reunion dinner with their family. On the morning of the New Year's Eve, people sweep the tombs of their ancestors, and then return home to do the last decorations for their house. The family reunion dinner is a huge banquet with various delicious and lucky dishes, and of course the Chinese dumplings. At 8:00 pm, every TV set will be tuned to CCTV's New Year Gala, and the sounds of firecrackers at midnight are a highlight of the night.

Not much different from Hogmanay really!



Ice Cream for Breakfast Day was created in the 1960s by housewife Florence Rappaport from New York. The idea behind the day was simply that Florence's six children were very bored one cold and snowy February morning. She felt she needed to come up with something to entertain them so they wouldn't get restless and cranky. As she herself explained years later, "It was cold and snowy and the kids were complaining that it was too cold to do anything so I just said, 'Let's have ice cream for breakfast.'

The following year, Florence's six children, who had obviously enjoyed the new little holiday their mother had created, reminded her of it so they celebrated again, and the day became a tradition in their family from then onward. Thanks to Florence's grandchildren, who have travelled a lot, the idea has been shared with others and the news has spread around the globe. Over the past 60 years, Ice Cream for Breakfast Day has grown to be celebrated in countries all over the world, from Germany to Nepal to as far as Namibia.

Are you going to make Ice Cream for Breakfast Day a tradition in Scotland? It's the **5<sup>th</sup> of February**.

Hi everyone,

I need to say a great big THANK YOU to you and your families for all the great gifts you brought along to the Gift Service on 4<sup>th</sup> December. They have all been very useful to the Mums and Babies at the Princess Royal Maternity Unit, the families who go to Church House and the families who are helped by SACRO.

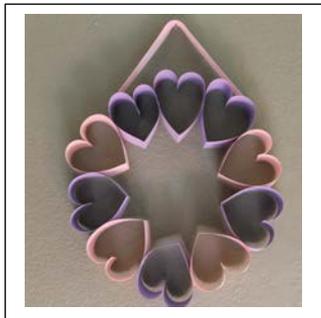
I hope you all enjoyed Christmas and your school holidays. Are you glad to be back at school, and your other clubs and activities?

In Sunday Club and JAM over the next few weeks we'll be finding out about working together and doing good things and about being kind and caring. On Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February, we'll all be in church together for the Youth Service.

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Sunday 5th February              | Sunday Club as usual  |
| Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> February | Sunday Club on holiday                                      |
| Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> February | Sunday Club as usual  |
| Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> February | Sunday Club as usual  |
| Sunday 5th March                 | Sunday Club with children joining the service for Communion |

## VALENTINES DAY WREATH

We hang up wreaths for Christmas so why not for Valentine's Day. Here's an easy one to make. You will need: sheets of card (2 colours), scissors, a ruler, a pencil, a stapler and ribbon.



- Using the ruler and pencil, mark out 11 strips measuring 2 inches wide and 11 inches long. Use both colours. Cut them out using the scissors.
- Fold each strip in half. Now loop the ends and put them together to make a heart shape. Staple the ends to keep them together.
- Do this with all the strips and lay them out in circle touching each other.
- Carefully staple the hearts together.
- Cut a length of ribbon. Make sure it is long enough to hang the wreath. Now staple it to the edge of two hearts to make a loop and hang it up.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO EVERYONE  
WHO HAS A BIRTHDAY  
IN FEBRUARY**

## YOU MUST BE JOKING

Where do you learn to make ice cream dishes?  
Sundae School.

What football team love ice cream?  
Aston Vanilla!

What do you call an ice cream in a bad mood?  
Frosty!

## FIND THE WORDS



ANCESTORS  
BOAR  
COMPASS  
DOG  
DRAGON  
DUMPLINGS  
ENVELOPE  
FANS  
FESTIVAL  
FIREWORKS

HORSE  
JADE  
LANTERN  
LUCK  
LUNAR  
MONEY  
MONKEY  
OX  
PARADE  
RABBIT

RAT  
RED  
ROOSTERS  
SHEEP  
SNAKE  
SPRING  
TIGER  
ZODIAC



# News and Updates

## END OF AN ERA

Our Church Secretary, Jane Mayer, has decided to put down her pen after many years of loyal service to Greenbank Church. Jane worked as our church secretary for 15 years. In that time, many of us will have had cause to contact her, to give or receive information; to volunteer for roles; to convey intimations or articles for Good Neighbour, and for a variety of other reasons. Over those years Jane gladly served the congregation, Minister, and Kirk Session, and we give thanks for Jane's patient and helpful manner, and for all the ways that she served our church and community in the post of secretary.

We send our warmest wishes and every blessing to Jane for her future happiness, and say a very sincere "Thank you, Jane!"

## CHURCH OFFICE

The contact arrangements for the church office remain unchanged. Please continue to use the same email address and telephone numbers as before:

[office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk](mailto:office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk)  
[0141 644 1841](tel:01416441841)

As before, the answering machine will be monitored regularly, as will incoming emails. Please bear with us as we work through this period of change until we are able to appoint a new employee working in the church office. Thank you.

## VACANCY

Greenbank has a vacancy for an Administrator/Receptionist. If this is something you or someone you know would be interested in, please contact:

Alison Allan, Session Clerk ([alison.allan@ntlworld.com](mailto:alison.allan@ntlworld.com)/0141 638 3916) for further information.

**ARTICLES FOR THE MARCH ISSUE OF GOOD NEIGHBOUR SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO JILL LIDDELL AT: [liddell.jill@gmail.com](mailto:liddell.jill@gmail.com) BY SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY PLEASE**

## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Thanks to everyone who bought and sold tickets for our Christmas Raffle. We managed to raise a very creditable £1886. An amazing amount! Huge thanks to all the local business' who donated prizes. Kevan Scott, Michael Angelo, County Butchers, Bonnie Fleurs, Creature Comforts, Gifted, Pizza Hut, Distinction, Pauline and Coco hairdressers, Cathcart Castle Golf Course and Littles Barbers. Without their, and your, support it wouldn't have been possible.

Thanks again,  
Alison Harvey and Moira McAldine.

## AND THANK YOU

May we extend a huge thank you to Alison Harvey and Moira McAldine for raising such a great amount of money for the Legacy Project. Your efforts are much appreciated, Ladies.

## STAMPS

ALL USED POSTAGE STAMPS SHOULD BE KEPT

I will continue to collect stamps at the Guild and from the box in the Church vestibule.

The new stamps have a QR strip which should not be detached. Existing 1st and 2nd class stamps will cease to be useable sometime during January 2023.

Elizabeth McKenzie [384 2648]

## HALL HIRE

Greenbank church Halls are available to hire for children's parties. There is plenty of space to run around, play games and have fun. For further information, contact the Church Office on [office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk](mailto:office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk) or leave a message at the church office on 0141 644 1841

## 101<sup>ST</sup> BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS



One of our members, Mrs Jean Strachan is pictured here enjoying an afternoon tea with family and friends on her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday on 19th December 2022.

Very many belated congratulations Jean!

## SUNDAY CLUB: GIFT DONATIONS FOR CHARITIES

The Sunday Club would like to thank everyone once again for their extremely generous donations to the three charities we support at Christmas: The Queen Elizabeth Children's Hospital Neo-Natal Unit, Church House and SACRO. Again this year, with difficult circumstances due to higher prices everywhere, we wondered if the number of donations we received would be less than usual – and yet again we were proved wrong! Every year, it seems we receive more donations than before – the Gift Card donations for SACRO was at least £900, and there were also many gifts for Church House and many beautiful items for the babies and mums in the Neo-Natal unit. Once again, the organisations were exceedingly grateful for all of your donations: they clearly hadn't been expecting to receive as much this year. Each organisation has expressed their heartfelt thanks for your generosity, especially in such hard times for everyone, and emphasised the difference your gifts would make to families who are struggling. Thank you to you all for giving so selflessly and so generously.

Helen Howard  
Sunday Club Superintendent

## BUSHIDO KARATE CLUB

At the end of last year Ella Wilson and Ben Wotherspoon achieved their Junior Black Belts and then Ella Wilson won the BKA 2023 Calendar competition with a great design which was chosen by our very own Austin Lafferty who is not only a 4<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt, an accomplished lawyer but an amazing artist.

We have had a great start to the new year with a number of new students and families joining and starting their amazing journey in Karate. We are preparing for gradings as our students continue to develop on their journey. We will also be putting forward more students for their Black Belt during the year. In addition, we have guest instructors coming along in various martial arts and we look forward to the Association courses and competitions. Our club is now stronger than before covid times and we are very proud to part of Greenbank and we will continue to support.

Best wishes  
John  
Bushido Karate Association Chairman

## DONATING TO THE LODGING HOUSE MISSION

Donations for the LHM can be put on the trolley in the Link building on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 9am-12 noon; Saturdays and Sundays 9.45am-11.30am. UHT milk, kettle foods eg pot noodles and tinned soup eg tomato, chicken and mushroom are particularly requested. Sugar, clothing, toiletries, towels, duvets and bedding are not needed at the moment.

Envelopes are also available for donations of money. Please complete your details on the envelope (so that Gift Aid can be claimed if relevant and your donation can be acknowledged and either hand to me, place in an offering bag during the service or post in the letterbox at the entrance to the church halls. Please do not leave envelopes on the trolley with the other donations. All donations are very much appreciated.

### **Volunteering to help Greenbank help LHM**

**If you would like to join the rota to deliver the donated items to the LHM on a suitable day during the week** please email [office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk](mailto:office@greenbankglasgow.org.uk) or call 0141 644 1841 and leave a message on the church office answering machine.

### **LHM Christmas Cards**

Many thanks to everyone who bought cards in December. The splendid sum of £660.50 was raised in sales and donations.

Liz Smith (571 2676) LHM Representative

## CATHCART CASTLE GOLF CLUB RAISES £10,049 FOR THE LHM



In December 2021 one of our Greenbank members, Sharon Mitchell was elected to be the Lady Captain at the golf club. Sharon chose the LHM as the club's charity for her year of office because she had wanted to pick a Glasgow charity and she had known about the work of the LHM, having already visited there to help sort out Harvest donations with other members of Time Out.

The fundraising got off to a great start that month with £500 taken in raffle tickets for Christmas hampers and the donation of over 70 selection boxes.

In January the charity was officially introduced to the members at an afternoon tea where Deacon Claire Herbert spoke about the work of the LHM and answered questions.

Another raffle in aid of the LHM was held with a huge number of prizes donated by members of the club. Raffles are held at all charity events at the club and thanks to the generosity of members donating prizes and buying tickets a lot of money is raised.

A number of fundraising events were held throughout the year. In March lady members enjoyed a fashion show by Zuzu, one of our local businesses. A Gala Day was held in June where members played golf and the sale of plants, home baking and jigsaws, and a tombola all added to the amount for the LHM. Further contributions were received from a raffle at a Ladies Open Day and donations were also made at a Prosecco and Putting evening.

At the end of June over £4000 was raised when the club professional Stephen Duncan and his Assistant Nikki McLeish played 100 holes of golf in a day. They started at 5am, with Sharon accompanying them on the first 10 holes. They played another 72 holes during the course of the day, and then Sharon rejoined them to play the final round finishing at 9pm.

At the AGM in December Sharon handed over a cheque for £10,049 to Deacon Claire Herbert. This is a tremendous amount, which will make a significant difference to the work of the LHM. Sincere thanks are due to the club members, who include a number of our own church family.

Liz Smith

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