Summer Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 7.00 p.m.



"Bread of the world, in mercy broken,
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed,
By whom the words of life were spoken,
And in whose death our sins are dead:
Look to the heart by sorrow broken,
Look to the tears by sinners shed;
And be thy feast to us the token
That by thy grace our souls are fed."

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We are always happy to have visitors with us in Cregagh; and we welcome any who may be worshipping with us today. We would invite any visitors to sign the Visitor's Book in the Vestibule, giving name and full postal address.

This morning any parents with young babies are invited to make us of the Creche (in the Session Room) or KidZone (in the Stewart Hall) for 3 year olds upwards who leave church after the children's address and hymn.

We would welcome and thank Rev David McIlwrath (Minister Emeritus of 1st Killyleagh Presbyterian Church) who conducts Morning Worship; and Rev Stephen Moore who conducts the Evening Communion Service.

A very special welcome to all fathers who may be in church on this Father's Day.

COFFEE BAR

Everyone is invited into the Coffee Bar in the Stewart Hall after the morning service.

If you can help with the Coffee Bar during July and August please put your name on the rota sheet at the back of the Allen Hall.

COMMUNION

The Retiring Offering after Communion is in aid of the Benevolent Fund. During communions in the Allen Hall while the church is being refurbished we will be using disposable communion cups. It would be appreciated if you would place your used cups in the black containers at the back of the Allen Hall or at the Stewart Hall door after the service.

TODAY'S FLOWERS

The Pedestal flowers are provided by Mrs L McConnell, St Finnian's House. The Vestibule flowers which are provided by Mr L Keys, Willowbank Crescent are 'In Memory of Parents'

OFFICE HOURS

The Clerk of Session will be in the Minister's Room on Thursday from 7.30-8.30 pm Any matters requiring attention or the services of a minister during the Vacancy may be referred to the Clerk of Session, Dennison Mahood (phone: 9079 9307 or email: dmahood@btinternet.com)

WALKING GROUP

The Walking Group would be delighted to welcome any new walkers on Saturday, leaving the church at 9.30 a.m. for a walk in Lackan Bog (Rathfriland) This is a 6 miles walk on raised bog road.



NEXT SUNDAY

The service next Sunday at 11.00 a.m. will be conducted by the Rev Stephen Moore.

CHORAL EVENSONG

Our Church Choir is leading Choral Evensong in Groomsport Parish Church next Sunday at 6.00 p.m. Members of Cregagh are welcome to attend.

JULY SUNDAY SERVICES at 11.00 a.m.

Sunday 2nd Rev Dr Ron Savage
Sunday 9th Rev David McIlwrath
Sunday 16th Rev Trevor Wilson
Sunday 23rd Rev Dr Jim Campbell

Sunday 30th Rev Dr Ron Savage (Sacrament of Baptism)

SEPTEMBER DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 3rd Service of Dedication for Church Organisations at 11.00 a.m.

<u>Tuesday 5th</u> Morning Watch at 10.45 a.m. <u>Saturday 9th</u> Congregational Family Day

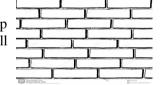
Monday 18th Belvoir Players will perform Sam Cree's 'Stop it Nurse' in Belvoir Players Studio. Proceeds for Church Building Fund. Booking details to follow.

Monday 25th Meeting of Congregational Committee at 7.45 p.m.

<u>Tuesday 25th</u> Meeting of Kirk Session at 7.45 p.m.

BUY A BRICK

Have you bought a brick yet? If not please do so and help the Building Fund. The Wall of Bricks is in the Allen Hall Vestibule for your use. For a minimum of £5 you could write your name or a message of your choice on a brick.



Donations can also be Gift Aided. Further details available from Maureen Mulligan.

SUMMER FUND RAISING



Due to the refurbishment and restoration of the church and restricted use of halls we are unable to have a Garden Fete and other fund-raisers this summer; so anything that members of the congregation can do to raise funds would be very much appreciated. Why not invite friends round for coffee, lunch, afternoon tea, dinner, a BBQ or anything else you can think of. Tell your friends you are holding the

event in aid of the Church Building Fund and make a small charge.

We will arrange a date in September for money raised to be given in.

The quicker we can pay off the bank loan the less interest we will have to pay! (Maureen Mulligan – Fund Raising Coordinator)

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY

The special PCI Assembly is being held from $21^{st} - 24^{th}$ August at the Ulster University, Coleraine Cregagh still has one space to fill – if you would like to attend please see Barbara Dunlop, Maureen Mulligan or Dennison Mahood.

MALAWI

You are reminded that Margaret MacLaren and Sheena Stewart will be travelling to Malawi in September; and hope to take with them a good quantity of craft items (available in the Pound Shop) and children's clothes (2-5 year olds) for use in the Makata Primary WSchool and Chifundo 3 Orphan Care Centre.

Contributions of items may be placed in the suitcase in the Stewart Hall any Sunday.

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

There will only be one News Sheet for each month July, August and September. Organisation leaders are asked to think ahead and submit any items for inclusion particularly starting dates for organisations in September.

Deadline dates are: July News Sheet (Wednesday 28th June)

August News Sheet (Wednesday 2nd August) September News Sheet (Monday 4th September) Your cooperation will be much appreciated.

Some quotes for Father's Day

When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry" (William Shakespeare)

'My father gave me the greatest gift anyone could give another person, he believed in me' (Jim Valvano)

'To a father growing old nothing is dearer than a daughter' (Euripides)

'I'm a strong person, I'm a strong family man, I'm a strong husband and a strong father' (David Beckham)

'It is not flesh and blood but the heart which makes us fathers and sons' (Johann Schiller)

'My dad, like any coach, has always stressed the fundamentals. he taught me responsibilty, accountabilty, and the importance of hard work' (Steve Young)

'A man's children and his garden both reflect the amount of weeding done during the growing season' (Anonymous)



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WEEKLY NEWS SHEET Sunday 18th June 2017 Father's Day

"Jesus said, I am the Bread of Life: he that cometh to Me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on Me shall never thirst,....... Your fathers did eat manna in the wilderness, and are dead. This is the bread which cometh down from heaven, and that man may eat therof, and not die"

(John 6: 35.49.50)

MORNING SERVICE at 11.00 a.m. in the Allen Memorial Hall Rev David McIlwrath

EVENING SERVICE at 7.00 p.m. in the Allen Memorial Hall Holy Communion – Rev Stephen Moore

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