



## 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 our visitors to sign the Visitor's Book in the Church Vestibule, giving name and full postal address. This morning any parents with babies are invited to make use of the Pebbles Creche or KidZone (in the Stewart Hall) for 3 year olds upwards who leave church after the children's address and hymn.

\*\* The following may help our visitors to share in this morning's service:

\*\* The Processional and Recessional hymns are not announced – the numbers are on the hymn boards – hymn books and bibles are in the pews for your use.

\*\* Please stand (if able) as the service begins when the Bible, Choir and Minister enter church, and remain standing until the Minister says "Let us pray"

\*\* The Offering is after the Sermon and is not announced.

\*\* Please stand (if able) as the collectors bring the Offering to the Sanctuary for dedication, and remain standing until after the Recessional hymn and the Bible is carried from church.

## COFFEE BAR

The Coffee Bar is open in the Allen Hall after the morning service and all are invited.

## PRE-SERVICE COFFEE BAR

Tea and toast are served in the McIntyre Suite each Sunday before Morning Worship.

## CHURCH FLOWERS

The Pedestal flowers today by Mrs B Elwood, Gorse Hill Close, are 'In Memory'

The extra flowers are from yesterday's marriage blessing of Cherith (Collins) and Simon Withington.

## WALK AND TALK

The Walk and Talk Group will meet on Tuesday at 10.00 a.m. at the church for a short walk in Belvoir Forest.

## JUNIOR CHOIR CONCERT



The Junior Choir Concert will be held on Tuesday at 6.30 p.m. in the Allen Hall. The proceeds from the concert will go to help the vulnerable children living on the railway or streets in Calcutta and being cared for by Emmanuel Ministries.

## HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB

There will be a meeting about the Holiday Bible Club immediately after the Junior Choir Concert on Tuesday around 7.45 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to establish if we have enough volunteers and helpers to run the Holiday Bible Club this year, and what changes would we need made due to our refurbished facilities. If you cannot attend the meeting but would like to help out at the HBC which is scheduled to take place week beginning Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August., then please give you name to Karen McCurry or Rev McKenzie. We would particularly welcome new leaders of all ages and teenage helpers, so if you could spare a few hours in the mornings of that week then please get in touch. Fun and frolics guaranteed!

## MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Morning Bible Study will continue on Wednesday from 10.15 a.m. – 12.00 noon at 5 Ardenlee Avenue. All welcome.

## OFFICE HOURS

Rev McKenzie will be in the Minister's Room on Thursday from 7.30 – 8.30 p.m.

## OPEN CHURCH

The church will be open for private prayer and meditation, as usual, on Friday from 10.30 a.m. – 12.00 noon.

## WALKING GROUP

The Walking Group will meet on Saturday at 9.30 a.m. at the church for a walk on the Black Mountain. New walkers always welcome.

## NEXT SUNDAY

### Morning Service at 11.00 a.m. in the Church

Children's Day Service conducted by Rev McKenzie assisted by the Junior Choir and the Praise Group.

You are reminded to bring donations of teddy bears (no bigger than the size of an A5 page – about 8" high) to this service after which we can send them to Spud Bear Ministries for distribution to various overseas hospitals and orphanages.

### Evening Service at 6.30 p.m. in the Church

Good Neighbour's Service conducted by Rev McKenzie, the Sermon preached by Major Graham Wood (Salvation Army) and Rev Ken Connor (Cregagh Methodist) will be interviewed. The praise will be lead by the Salvation Army.

## PCI GENERAL ASSEMBLY



The Annual Meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland will be held from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June in the Assembly Building.

## JUNE SERVICES

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> at 11.00 a.m.

Children's Day Service

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6.30 p.m.

Good Neighbour's Service

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> at 11.00 a.m.

Rev Dr Harold MacConnell and the Church Choir

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 p.m.

Café Connect Service with the Praise Group

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> at 11.00 a.m.

Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 p.m.

Summer Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11.00 a.m.

Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> at 11.00 a.m.

Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir

## MUSIC@McQUISTON

You are invited to McQuiston Memorial Church on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 7.30 p.m. for a Recital by Internationally Renowned American Concert Pianist, Kevin Aysesh. The programme of popular piano works include: Beethoven, Gershwin, Chopin, Brahms and Rachmaninoff. Entrance is free of charge but donations on exit for a charity will be gratefully received.

## MALAWI UPDATE

School Fees for the last school term have now been paid for our sponsored students. Seven of the children will take exams at the end of the term and will leave school. A new scheme is being planned for September. Please let Sheena Stewart know if you are still committed to helping these young people or if you would be interested in joining us in supporting children with their education. £30 a term provides fees, uniform, food and additional sundries. In supporting a student we lend a hand up to the whole family. Contact: [sheena63stewart@gmail.com](mailto:sheena63stewart@gmail.com) or 07768205626

## CAR PARKING IN CHURCH GROUNDS

“Following recent discussions at Congregational Committee it was agreed that on Sundays ALL car parking spaces within the church grounds should be for Blue Badge holders or those with limited mobility. We already have four designated Disabled car parking spaces clearly marked out, but there is also space for about six other cars to park in the area near the Bell Tower side of the church. We have no intention of adding more markings onto the ground to indicate official car parking spaces in this area in the hope that common sense will prevail and people will give way to those less mobile. We would also ask that people do not park on the driveway area between the two gates or in the front of the Allen Hall, as this often causes an obstruction. I look forward to your compliance with this matter. Thank you.” (Jim McCurry-Secretary)

## GARDEN FETE

Many thank to all who organised, helped, donated items and attended last Saturday's Garden Fete which with all expenses paid has realised just over £2400. Well done!

## JUNE DUTY ROTAS

KIRK SESSION – Joan Taylor, Robert McNair, Anne Graham, Beth McCluskey, Tommy McCluskey, Anne Sheppard and Beth McNair (Team Leader)

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE – Stephen Glover, Emma Skeet, Karen Simpson, Robyn McCullough, Stuart MacKenzie, Nigel Platt and Kathryn Glover (Leader)

CRECHE – (2<sup>nd</sup>) Jenny Mooney and Gillian Simons (9<sup>th</sup>) Louise Kennedy and Mark Kennedy (16<sup>th</sup>) Laura Armstrong and Angela Watson (23<sup>rd</sup>) Julie Pollock and Steven Pollock (30<sup>th</sup>) Linda McIlmoyle and Gordon McIlmoyle

FLOWER DELIVERY – (2<sup>nd</sup>) Bobby Irvine and Dorothy Platt (9<sup>th</sup>) Beth McNair and Jim McConnell (16<sup>th</sup>) Lily Taylor and Sheena Stewart (23<sup>rd</sup>) Rosemary Carlisle and Percy Chambers (30<sup>th</sup>) Maggi Hamilton and Barbara Dunlop

COFFEE BAR – (2<sup>nd</sup>) KidZone/Karen McCurry (9<sup>th</sup>) Creche/Cathy McCormick (16<sup>th</sup>) Kirk Session/Michael Graham (23<sup>rd</sup>) OKAY/Peter Armstrong (30<sup>th</sup>) YF/Lauren Fincham

## ELECTION OF CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE

Voting for the Election of Congregational Committee ends today at 8.00 p.m. If you have forgotten your voting paper or didn't collect one, copies are still available today for your use. The box for your voting papers is in the Church Vestibule. Successful committee members will be confirmed at next Sunday morning's service.

*“To the Lord belong earth and all it holds, the world and all who live in it  
O Lord our God, how great you are! What variety you have created,  
arranged everything so wisely! Earth is completely full of things you have made”*  
(from Psalm 24-Jerusalem Bible)



## WEEKLY NEWS SHEET Rogation Sunday – 26<sup>th</sup> May 2019



*If you plant honesty, you will reap trust.  
If you plant goodness, you will reap friends.  
If you plant humility, you will reap greatness.  
If you plant perseverance, you will reap contentment.  
If you plant forgiveness, you will reap reconciliation.  
If you plant hard work, you will reap success.  
If you plant faith in God, you will reap a harvest.  
So, be careful what you plant now;  
It will determine what you will reap later.*

MORNING SERVICE at 11.00 a.m. in the Church  
Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir  
Apostles Creed 12: 'And life everlasting'  
Scripture Readings: Daniel 12 and Acts 19: 1-22

EVENING SERVICE at 6.30 p.m. in the Church  
Prayer and Bible Study lead by Rev McKenzie

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