



VISITORS

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 all 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 second hymn.

THIS EVENING

This evening Café Connect will be held at 6.30 p.m. in the Allen Hall when Michael and Anne Graham with some guests will speak about Flourish and Migrant Help.

COFFEE BAR

The Coffee Bar is open in the Allen Hall after this morning's service and everyone is invited to stay behind for some refreshments and a chat.

PRE-SERVICE COFFEE BAR

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

CHURCH FLOWERS



The Pedestal flowers provided by Mrs N Armstrong, Moira, are 'In Memory of Bobby'

The Sanctuary flowers provided by the Day Family, Carnamena Avenue, are 'In Memory'

EVERGREENS

The Evergreens will meet on Wednesday at 2.00 p.m. in the Barbour Hall when the guest speaker will be Sharon Dickson from Storytellers NI. All welcome. Come and be entertained with all sorts of stories. More details from Barbara Dunlop (9045 3829)

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 as usual on Friday from 10.30 a.m. – 12.00 noon for private prayer and meditation.

NEXT SUNDAY – Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Services in Cregagh

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m. in the Church

Preacher: Rev Ken Connor (Cregagh Methodist Church)

Evening Service at 6.30 p.m. in the Church

Joint service with Cregagh Methodist Church and the Salvation Army

Preacher: Rev Edward McKenzie



MEVIDES FRUIT SHORTCAKE & ENGLISH BREAKFAST WITH MILK

KIRK SESSION

Kirk Session will meet on Tuesday week, 21st January at 7.45 p.m.

GOSPEL ACCORDING TO C S LEWIS

A special evening when Rev McKenzie will present the 'Life and Work of C S Lewis will be held on Friday week, 24th January at 7.30 p.m. in the church.

Donations will be in aid of Mission Africa's Work in Nigeria.

'YOUTH BIG NIGHTS'

All P7's and up are invited to the Youth Big Nights planned for the spring and summer at the church from 6.30 – 9.00 p.m. on the following Saturdays:

25th January, 29th February, 28th March, 18th April and 30th May.

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE

Congregational Committee will meet on Monday 27th January at 7.45 p.m.

MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The Bible Study Group will meet on Wednesday 29th January from 10.15 a.m. – 12.00 noon at 5 Ardenlee Avenue. We are finishing our study of James.

Why not consider joining us for our Lenten study on Wednesday 26th February?

All welcome. Details from Maggi Hamilton.

BIG QUIZ OF THE YEAR



The Youth Fellowship invite you to a Table Quiz on Friday fortnight, 31st January at 7.30 p.m. in the Allen Hall. The event will be unticketed, but if you wish to attend please add your name to the sheets in the McIntyre Suite or Church Vestibule. Entry is £5 per person, with a maximum of 6 people per team. The proceeds will be in aid of the YF Fund which also helps with the new 'Big Youth Night' venture. Hope to see you there

COMING SOON!

An 'Olde Tyme' Psalm Service will be held on Sunday 9th February at 11.00 a.m. when Rev McKenzie will lead the service and preach and John Dallas will be the Precentor leading the unaccompanied singing of the psalms. Members of the congregation of all ages are encouraged to dress in old fashioned

Victorian/Edwardian costume for the service, but obviously

all who do not wish to dress up will be very welcome.

Victorian light refreshments will be served in the Allen Hall after the service.

LINE DANCING!
It is hoped to arrange Line Dancing classes on Friday evenings in the Barbour Hall commencing late January. If interested in joining the class please speak to Anne Graham or Jill Baines as soon as possible.

There are far better things ahead than any we leave behind
- C.S. Lewis



CALLING ALL ORGANISATIONS

Organisational leaders/secretaries/treasurers are reminded that their activity reports for 2019, numbers on rolls, contact details (names of leaders, office bearers, telephone numbers and email addresses) should be submitted today to David Gillespie, and financial reports for 2019 to Dawn Johnston..

COMMUNICANT'S CLASSES

Rev McKenzie will shortly be commencing his Spring Communicant's Classes for anyone thinking about becoming a communicant or indeed any current communicant who would like to come along. Please give your name to Rev McKenzie or the Clerk of Session, Michael Graham as soon as possible.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL PHOTOS

It is hoped to compile an album following the very successful Christmas Tree Festival; and if any one has any good photographs of the event please pass them on to Maureen Mulligan as soon as possible so that we may have a permanent record of the festival.

MALAWI

"Four members of the Stewart family will travel to Malawi 12th – 23rd February and would appreciate your help to fill a suitcase or two to take gifts to our wee friends at Chifundo3. School stationery is most welcome, pens, pencils, notebooks, dictionaries and geometry sets are very useful. They are difficult to obtain in Malawi and cost a lot while the quality is very poor. Here they can be bought in the Pound Shop are are much appreciated by the young people and students we support. Ole Smart Phones or tablets are very welcome too. If Santa bought you a new one, don't let the old one gather dust when it can be used. Of course school fees for the new term are aslo due and £30 will clothe and feed a young person and pay their fees until Easter."

(Sheena Stewart)

FEBRUARY SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday 2 nd at 11.00 a.m.	Rev McKenzie and the Church Choir
Sunday 2 nd at 6.30 p.m.	Prayer and Bible Study (Colossians)
Sunday 9 th at 11.00 a.m.	Olde Tyme Psalm Service
Sunday 9 th at 6.30 p.m.	Rev McKenzie and the Church Choir
Sunday 16 th at 11.00 a.m.	Rev McKenzie and the Praise Group
Sunday 16 th at 6.30 p.m.	Rev McKenzie and the Praise Group
Sunday 23 rd at 11.00 a.m.	Guides and Scouts Thinking Day

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

Items for inclusion in next Sunday's News Sheet should be submitted to Rev McKenzie not later than Wednesday (15th)
email: emckenzie@presbyterianireland.org



Weekly News Sheet Sunday 12th January 2020



*'How beautiful upon the mountains
are the feet of Him that bringeth good
tidings, that publisheth peace, that
bringeth good tidings of good, that
publisheth salvation, and saith unto
Zion, the Lord reigneth!'* (Isaiah 25:7)



MORNING SERVICE at 11.00 a.m. in the Church

Rev McKenzie and the Praise Group

Sermon: Last Words on the Cross - "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

Scripture Readings: Psalm 22 and Acts 21: 27-36

EVENING SERVICE at 6.30 p.m. in the Allen Hall

Café Connect – Flourish and Migrant Help

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