



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We are always happy to have visitors with us in Cregagh; and we welcome any who may be worshipping with us this morning. 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 children's address and hymn.

** The following may help our visitors to share in the 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, Minister and Choir 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 this morning's service and everyone is invited to stay behind for some refreshments and a chat.

The Craft Group will have a selection of handmade cards on display during coffee time.

PRE-SERVICE COFFEE BAR

You are reminded that tea and toast are served in the McIntyre Suite each Sunday before Morning Worship.

CHURCH FLOWERS

The Pedestal flowers provided by Miss B Elliott, Ardenlee Avenue are 'In Memory of the Elliott Family'

The Sanctuary flowers by Mr H Gibson, Hindsdale Avenue and Miss P Gibson, Thiepval Avenue are 'Treasured Memories'

PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

There will be a Retiring Offering next Sunday for the Presbyterian Children's Society. Leaflets about the work of the Society will be in the pews today and next Sunday. To facilitate anyone who can attend church next Sunday baskets and Gift Aid envelopes are available in the Church Vestibule and Allen Hall today.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

PW will meet on Monday at 7.00 p.m. in the Barbour Hall when the guest speaker will be Rebecca Finlay (Women's Worker at West Kirk Presbyterian Church)



MORNING WATCH

Morning Watch will meet on Tuesday at 10.45 a.m. in the Session Room.

COMMUNICANT'S CLASSES

The first of this year's Communicant's Class which was postponed from last week will be held on Tuesday at 6.30 p.m. in the Session Room. There is still the opportunity for any others who haven't given their name to Rev McKenzie to do so.

OFFICE HOURS

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

SPACE FOR GRACE

An event entitled 'Space for Grace-the Journey of the Church of Scotland Navigating Difference' is being held on Thursday at 2.30 and 7.30 p.m. in Hillsborough Presbyterian Church. This will be facilitated by Rev Dr Susan Brown and Rev Dr John Chambers from the Church of Scotland. Further details from Gordon Dunlop.

OPEN CHURCH

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

LINE DANCING CLASS



The Line Dancing Social class will commence on Friday at 7.30 p.m. in the Allen Hall. Suggested donation is £3 which will go towards the work of Christians Against Poverty. Further details available from Anne Graham or Jill Baines.

YOUNG PEOPLES BIBLE CLASS

A newly formed Bible Class, led by Rev McKenzie, for all young people aged P7 upwards will commence next Sunday at 10.10 a.m.

NEXT SUNDAY

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m.

An 'Olde Tyme' Psalm Service will be held next Sunday 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. who would like to come along.

Evening Service at 6.30 p.m.

Evening Worship with Rev McKenzie and the Church Choir

LEPROSY MISSION BOXES

Leprosy Box holders are requested to return their boxes as soon as possible to Rebecca Clarke.



ALL ABOARD THE CREGAGH SPECIAL!



Cregagh is holding a Model Railway Exhibition on Friday 13th and Saturday 14th March 2020. This is a big opportunity for us to outreach into the community as well as raise money for the Building Fund. As with any event we need people to help with essential activities such as: Stewarding during set up on Thursday/Friday and at the event itself, door duties and tickets, signage inside the halls, publicity - posters - local shops and leaflet drop; local newspapers and radio, preparation of packs for exhibitors etc.

Please speak to David Gillespie in person, by text (079640150960) or email (dcagillespie@gmail.com) if you are interested in helping out in any way. A briefing session will be held in early February once names have been gathered in.

MALAWI

“Sincere thanks for all the cash donations, suitcases, phones, stationary etc. that we will take to Malawi. We will meet our students on Saturday 22nd February and we will buy them all soap when we get there. Chifundo3 has asked for cooking pots that we will buy in Blantyre. Additional capital will be added to the micro loans project that enables local ladies to grow their businesses and supports Chifundo3 with the interest raised. We are indeed Blest to be a Blessing” (Harry and Sheena Stewart)

FEBRUARY DUTY ROTAS

KIRK SESSION – Elaine Molyneaux, Richard Molyneaux, Dorothy Platt, Rebecca Clarke, Avril Pollock and Leslie Ferguson (Team Leader)

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE – Stephen Glover, Emma Skeet, Robyn McCullough, Stuart MacKenzie, Kirsty Diver, Margaret MacLaren, Nigel Platt (Deputy Leader) and Kathryn Glover (Leader)

FLOWER DELIVERY – (2nd) Rosemary Carlisle and Percy Chambers (9th) Maggi Hamilton and Barbara Dunlop (16th) Beth McNair and Jim McConnell (23rd) Dorothy Elliott and Dorothy Platt

BIBLE READING – (2nd) Sandra Harper (9th) Robyn McCullough

BIBLE CARRYING – (2nd) Rebecca Clarke (9th) Michael Graham (23rd) Dennison Mahood

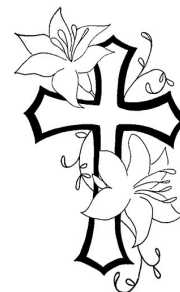
CRECHE- (2nd) Kirsty Diver and Anna Spiers (9th) Louise Kennedy and Mark Kennedy (16th) Laura Armstrong and Angela Watson (23rd) Cathy McCormick and James McCormick.

AFTER CHURCH COFFEE BAR – (2nd) OKAY/Peter Armstrong (9th) Youth Fellowship/Lauren Fincham (16th) Mothers and Toddlers/Jenny Mooney (23rd) PW/Sandra Harper

WELCOME AREA DOOR DUTY – (5th) Avril Pollock (6th) Pauline Gibson (12th) Gareth and Janette Brown (13th) Heather Sharpe and James McCormick (19th) Marie Campbell (20th) Barbara Dunlop (26th) Angela Watson (27th) Eddie Harper



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*'The Lord has anointed me...
to comfort all who mourn....
and to bestow on them a crown of beauty
instead of ashes,
the oil of gladness
instead of mourning,
and a garment of praise
instead of a spirit of despair.* Isaiah 61: 1-3

MORNING SERVICE at 11.00 a.m. in the Church
Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir
The Last Words of Jesus on the Cross (6)

'It is Finished'

Scripture Readings: John 19: 28-37 and Exodus 30: 11-16

EVENING PRAYER and BIBLE STUDY at 6.30 p.m. in the Church
Rev Edward McKenzie – Study of Colossians

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