



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 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.

** 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 and in the printed order of service – 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 Talk and is not announced.

** Please stand (if able) as the collectors bring the Offering to the Sanctuary for dedication, and remain standing until the Colours, Choir, Organisations and Minister leave and the Bible is carried from church.

ORGANIST

We are delighted to have the Rev Hastings McIntyre presiding at the organ this morning while Mr Dallas is in London.

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

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 Mrs A Gamble, Cregagh Park East are 'In Memory'

The Sanctuary flowers provided by Mr & Mrs D Jackson, Church Road, Moneyreagh are 'Birthday Memories of Claire'

GARDEN FETE COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Garden Fete Committee will be held on Monday at 7.00 p.m. in the McIntyre Suite.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

PW members are reminded of the Knock PW Visitor's Evening on Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. in Knock Presbyterian Church. Mrs Sandra Maxwell will speak on 'Story on Patchwork' Ladies planning to attend should please advise Sheila Beattie today.

The next normal PW meeting in Cregagh will be on Monday week, 2nd March.

MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Morning Bible Study will continue on Wednesday from 10.15 a.m. – 12.00 noon at 27 Ballygowan Road. Books on the Lenten Study are available from Barbara Dunlop or Robyn McCullough.

TEA AND TALK

Tea and Talk Together meets on Wednesday from 2.00 – 3.30 p.m. in the McIntyre Suite. 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 as usual on Friday from 10.30 a.m. – 12.00 noon for private prayer and meditation. Some volunteers are required for Vestibule duty from March onwards. Please add your name to the sheet in the Vestibule if you can help.

NEXT SUNDAY

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m. in Cregagh

The First Sunday in Lent Rev McKenzie and Church Choir

Evening Service at 4.30 p.m. in the Salvation Army Cregagh Temple

Joint Service with Salvation Army, Cregagh Methodist and Cregagh Presbyterian

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

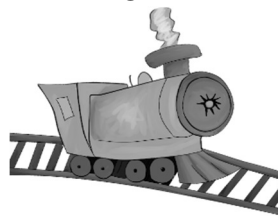
The annual World Day of Prayer local service will be held on Friday week, 6th March at 7.30 p.m. here in Cregagh. The leader is Lesley McKenzie and the programme is by women of Zimbabwe telling their story of life in that country.

SESSION AND COMMITTEE MARCH MEETINGS

Congregational Committee on Monday 9th March at 7.45 p.m.

Kirk Session on Monday 16th March at 7.45 p.m.

ALL ABOARD THE CREGAGH SPECIAL!



Cregagh's Model Railway Exhibition will be held on Friday 13th March (7.00 – 9.30 p.m.) and Saturday 14th March (10.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.) This will be a fully accessible railway exhibition across three halls with something for all the family. Refreshments available. Entrance: Adults £5.00, Children and Seniors £3.00 and Family £10. Proceeds for the Church Building Fund

KEEP THE DATE!

Saturday 28th March – Family Fun Day entitled 'Madhatter's March – Alice in Wonderland' theme. More information to follow!



THIS DAY FORTNIGHT

8th March at 11.00 a.m.

8th March at 6.30 p.m.

The Minister and Church Choir

Prayer and Bible Study (1 Thessalonians)

LENTEN LUNCHESES

It has been decided that there will be only one Lenten Lunch this year, being held on Good Friday rather than each Friday during Lent.

ANNUAL MEETING AND CONGREGATIONAL REUNION

This year's Annual Meeting and Congregational Reunion will not be held in February as has been the custom but will be held on Thursday 21st May at 7.30 p.m.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Sheena, Harry, Jessica and Hannah Stewart in Malawi (Prayer Diary in Vestibule)

Maureen Mulligan in Calcutta.

Anna Spiers in Fiji.

CHRISTIAN AID FOOTPRINTS

'Footprints' is a daily reflection that is emailed to subscribers each day in Lent.

The daily reflections are based on a Bible passage and written by a range of Christians across Ireland and from some other countries where Christian Aid is working. You can read them on your phone, tablet or computer.

You may sign up at caid.ie/footprints.

DUTY ROTAS FOR MARCH

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

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE – Carol McCormick, Jenny Mooney, Sheila Beattie, Maggi Hamilton, Alan McNair, Don Jackson, Christine Sharpe (Deputy Leader) and Elaine Gillespie (Leader)

CRECHE – (1st) Linda McIlmoyle and Gordon McIlmoyle (8th) Stephanie Carson and Carolyn McMillan (15th) Diane Stevenson and Lisa Fincham (22nd) Rebecca Clarke and Thomas Clarke (29th) Julie Pollock and Steven Pollock.

BIBLE CARRYING DUTY – (1st) Robert Oliver (8th) Michael Graham (22nd) Rebecca Clarke (29th) Dennison Mahood

BIBLE READING DUTY – (1st) Michael Graham (8th) Jill Baines (22nd) Sandra Harper (29th) Sheila Beattie

FLOWER DELIVERY – (1st) Lily Taylor and Sheena Stewart (8th) Rosemary Carlisle and Percy Chambers (15th) Maggi Hamilton and Barbara Dunlop (22nd) Beth McNair and Jim McConnell (29th) Dorothy Elliott and Dorothy Platt.

AFTER CHURCH COFFEE BAR – (1st) Choir, Handbells, Praise Group/Maureen Mulligan (8th) KidZone/Karen McCurry (15th) Guides, Brownies, Rainbows/Gillian Simons (22nd) Squirrels, Beavers, Cubs/Laura Watson (29th) Kirk Session/Michael Graham

WELCOME AREA DOOR DUTY – will be in News Sheet next Sunday



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Thinking Day



*'Remember now thy Creator in
the days of thy youth'*

(Ecclesiastes 12:1)



*'In all thy ways acknowledge Him,
and He shall direct thy paths'*

(Proverbs 3:6)

TODAY'S SERVICE at 11.00 a.m.

Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir

Scripture Readings: 2 Corinthians 30: 12-17 and Exodus 30: 22-33

GUIDES PROMISE

**I promise that I will do my best,
to be true to myself and develop
my beliefs, to serve the Queen and
my community, to help other
people and to keep the Guide Law**

CUB SCOUTS PROMISE

**I promise that I will do my best.
To do my duty to God and to the Queen.
To help other people and to keep the
Cub Scout Law.**

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