



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 or KidZone (in the Stewart Hall) for 3 year olds upwards who leave church after the childrens'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 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 Mr & Mrs A McCluskey, Downshire Park North are 'In Memory'

The Sanctuary flowers are provided by Miss L Maxwell, Rathmoyle Park, Seahill and Miss S Maxwell, Muskett Park, Carryduff.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

PW will meet on Monday at 7.00 p.m. in the Barbour Hall for an 'Evening of Quizes, Sing-a-long, Fun and Games' led by Anne Stevenson. All ladies welcome.

MORNING WATCH

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

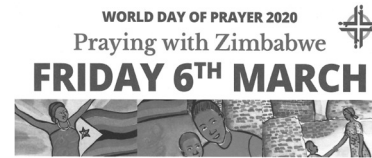
OFFICE HOURS

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 April onwards. Please add your name to the sheet in the Vestibule if you can help.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER



The World Day of Prayer local service will be held here in Cregagh on Friday at 8.00 p.m. and will be led by Lesley McKenzie and the programme is by women of Zimbabwe telling their story of life in that country. All are welcome (women and men)

NEXT SUNDAY

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m.

Morning Worship with Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir.

Prayer and Bible Study at 6.30 p.m.

Study of 1 Thessalonians by Rev McKenzie.

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE

Congregational Committee will meet on Monday week, 9th March at 7.45 p.m.

ALL ABOARD THE CREGAGH SPECIAL!

Cregagh's Model Railway Exhibition will be held on

Friday week, 13th March (7.00 – 9.30 p.m.) and

Saturday week, 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

KIRK SESSION

Kirk Session will meet on Monday fortnight, 16th March at 7.45 p.m.

KEEP THE DATE!



Saturday 28th March – Family Fun Day entitled 'Madhatter's March – Alice in Wonderland' theme.

More information to follow!

GREETINGS FROM JAIPUR!

"Around midnight on Sunday your time it will be after 5.00 a.m. on Monday here and I will be going to the airport for my flight to Kolkata to be with Emmanuel Ministries Calcutta. Your prayers and thoughts are appreciated and I am especially requesting that you continue to pray for me over the next two weeks. Thank you"

(Maureen Mulligan)



MALAWI

“Thank you everyone for the prayerful support for us while we were in Malawi. Thank God for answered prayer as we saw very little rain and had the most amazing visit. Your continued support is valuable to many families there and the beginning of Lent provides an opportunity to help them even more through your sacrifice. The price of that coffee or chocolate that you are giving up would feed a small child at Chifundo3 during the period of Lent. Pop it in the Pence for Porridge pot and bless a hungry child this Lent” (Sheena and Harry Stewart)

SCRIPTURE UNION



You are reminded of the sign up information sheets about Scripture Union which Sarah Coghlan referred to at the Morning Service two weeks ago. If you haven't yet done so and would like more information about SU please sign your name on the sheets in the Church Vestibule and McIntyre Suite today.

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 – (4th) Harry and Sheena Stewart (5th) Elaine Gillespie (11th) Raymond and Sandra Wallace (12th) Gordon and Barbara Dunlop (18th) Chris Clay (19th) Cheryl Cowling (25th) Darren Simons (26th) Carol and Leslie Ferguson.



Wales

“Be joyful and keep your faith and your creed. Do the little things that you have seen me do and heard about. I will walk the path that our fathers have trod before us”

Words from St David's last sermon – he was thought to have died on 1st March 589



Weekly News Sheet

1st March 2020

The First Sunday in Lent St David's Day



‘Search me, O God, and know my heart; try me, and know my thoughts; and see if there be any wicked in me, and lead me to the way everlasting’

Psalm 139: 23-42



MORNING SERVICE at 11.00 a.m. in CREGAGH

Rev Edward McKenzie and the Church Choir

Sermon: Ten Commandments “: ‘You shall not make for yourself an idol’

Scripture Readings: Exodus 20: 1-21 and Acts 22: 22-29

EVENING SERVICE at 4.30 p.m. in SALVATION ARMY TEMPLE

Joint Service for St David's Day

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