



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We are always happy to have visitors with us in Cregagh; and we welcome any who may be worshipping with us on this National Day of Remembrance.

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

An Act of Remembrance will take place in the Church Grounds from approx. 10.55 – 11.05 a.m. Those attending the 10.00 a.m. service are asked to leave, when directed by an usher, through the McIntyre Suite and stand, socially distanced, on the Allen Hall side of the church grounds. Those arriving for the 11.30 a.m. service should please stand at the Tower side of the church grounds and will afterwards be admitted to the 11.30 a.m. service by the Church Porch as usual and directed by our ushers.

WREATHS

Wreaths will be laid on both War Memorials by the Clerk of Session, Michael Graham. (First World War Wreath at the 10.00 a.m. service and Second World War Wreath at the 11.30 a.m. service)

Those who fell in the First World War

<i>Alexander Dalzell</i>	<i>John Foster</i>	<i>Fred W Greer</i>
<i>Joseph Harper</i>	<i>Joseph McCaw</i>	<i>Hugh McKinley</i>
<i>James S Poag</i>	<i>Robert Poag</i>	<i>John M Simms</i>
<i>Aubrey Stevenson</i>	<i>Robert Stevenson</i>	<i>Hugh J Stewart</i>
<i>Charles R Woodside</i>	<i>Wallace Woodside</i>	

Those who fell in the Second World War

<i>James Benson</i>	<i>Eric Boyd</i>	<i>John James Steen Campbell</i>
<i>Albert Edward Carson</i>	<i>Frederick Cartlidge</i>	<i>Thomas Cartlidge</i>
<i>William Craig</i>	<i>Samuel Law</i>	<i>William Milliken</i>
<i>William Moore</i>	<i>Henry Thorpe Stewart</i>	

**‘They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them?’** (Robert Laurence Binyon)



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OFFERINGS

The offering will not be collected during the service but there are collection plates in the Church Vestibule and McIntyre Suite for your use.

RETIRING OFFERING

The Retiring Offering is in aid of the British Legion Poppy Day Appeal – offering plates for this are in the Church Vestibule and McIntyre Suite.

CHURCH FLOWERS

The flowers today are provided by Mr & Mrs R McNair, Everton Drive.

ZOOM BIBLE STUDY

The Zoom Bible Study continues on Monday at 7.00 p.m. Everyone is welcome and any new ‘zoomers’ should please contact Rev McKenzie for details.

OPEN CHURCH

The church will be open as usual on Friday from 10.00 a.m. – 12.00 noon for private prayer and meditation.

MINISTER’S OFFICE HOURS

Due to Covid19 restrictions Office Hours are suspended until Thursday week, 19th November but appointments with Rev McKenzie for any urgent matters may be made by phoning 07809 674068.

NEXT SUNDAY

The services next Sunday at 10.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon will be our annual Presbyterian Women Act of Worship. The services will be conducted by members of the PW and Rev McKenzie.

YOUTH BIBLE CLASS

The Youth Bible Class resumes next Sunday morning at 11.00 a.m.

MORNING WATCH

Morning Watch resumes on Tuesday week, 17th November at 10.45 a.m.

BLOBS

The Blobs Group will meet on Tuesday fortnight, 24th November at 9.30 p.m.

ADVENT QUIET MORNING

The Advent Quiet Morning will be held on Saturday 28th November from 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. Traditionally we have gone to an outside location but due to Coronavirus restrictions we hope to meet in the church. With social distancing numbers may be limited. If you would like to attend please phone Sheena Stewart (9079 3161) or Barbara Dunlop (07752134435) Those attending will have a time of quiet personal reflection in preparation for a different Christmas this year.

ADVENT CAROL SERVICES

The Advent Carol Service will be held on the First Sunday in Advent, 29th November at 10.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon.

FLOWER DELIVERY DUTY FOR SUNDAYS IN NOVEMBER

8 th	Anne Graham and Michael Graham
15 th	Maggi Hamilton and Barbara Dunlop
22 nd	Beth McNair and Rosemary Carlisle
29 th	Dorothy Elliott and Dorothy Platt

WEEKLY NEWS SHEETS

Weekly News Sheets are available for collection each Sunday in the Church Porch and McIntyre Suite. Please take a copy for yourself and if you know of any members unable to come to church who may like one please feel free to put a copy through their door.

Items for inclusion in the News Sheet should be submitted not later than 7 p.m. on the Wednesday preceeding the Sunday on which the announcement is to be included. Leave a note in the church pigeon hole or email dennison.mahood@yahoo.com.

COVID UPDATE

At Cregagh we wish to create an environment that is both welcoming and safe. While we would actively encourage all members to come back to worship, believing it safe to do so with the measures we have taken, we also wish to highlight that no one should come to services if they have symptoms.

As we continue to move forward towards something more like normal it is imperative that we do so by insuring that all actions are in line with current guidelines and restrictions. With no changes to PCI guidelines regarding 2m social distance the same arrangements for services that are currently in place will continue throughout the coming weeks continuing to provide a service at 10am and 12noon, accommodating around 60 people on each occasion. Doors will be opened at 9:30am and 11:30am so that folk can be guided and seated. The wearing of face coverings, is now mandatory when entering and exiting the building and formally advised and strongly encouraged, by PCI, that they be worn during the service.

Members are still being asked to register, due to 'contact tracing', by contacting Michael on email or phone, indicating which Sunday(s), how many are 'in their bubble' and attending with them, as well as which time slot(s). As before those who have registered will be asked to inform Michael Graham and if for whatever reason someone cannot attend so that the register can be as accurate as possible.

The services themselves will continue to be slightly shorter than normal and present arrangements regarding offering will remain in place. There will be no offering plate passed around during services but there are three stations where you can drop your offering off as you leave the building. We will continue to gradually incorporate shared singing, including inviting the congregation to stand.

Even though KidZone and crèche will be unavailable children and babies are very welcome at our services!

The issue of offering lifts to church continues to be a difficult one but the official position in terms of the guidelines is that folk should still not offer nor provide lifts to anyone outside of their bubble. Unfortunately pastoral visitation is still limited to emergencies and bereavements.

It would be anticipated that all practices would be reviewed in the coming weeks.



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*"Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord;
and the people whom He hath chosen for
His inheritance....Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be
upon us according as we hope in Thee"*

Psalm 33: 12.22

SERVICES TODAY at 10.00 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.
Act of Remembrance at 10.55 a.m. (in Church Grounds)
Sermon: 'To God be the glory, great things he has done'
Scripture Reading: Exodus 34: 29-35

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