



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 our visitors to sign the Visitor's Book in the Vestibule, giving name and full postal address. This morning any parents with babies are invited to make use of Pebbles Crèche or KidZone for 3 year olds upwards (in the Stewart Hall) who leave church after the children's 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 – hymnbooks and Bibles are in the pews for your use.

** Please stand (if able) as the service begins when the Bible is carried into church, and the Minister and Choir enter, and remain standing until the Minister says: "Let us pray"

** Please stand as the collectors bring the Offering to the Sanctuary for dedication, and remain standing until after the Recessional hymn and the Minister and Choir leave and the Bible is carried from the church.

COFFEE BAR

Refreshments are being served in the Allen Hall after this morning's service and everyone is invited to remain behind for a time of fellowship.

CHURCH FLOWERS

The Pedestal flowers today are provided by Mrs M MacLaren, Ravenhill Park and are 'In Memory of Alfie'

The Sanctuary flowers today are provided by Mrs M Sheppard, Malone Hill Park and are 'In Memory of Mum and Dad'

PRE SERVICE PRAYER

Each Lord's Day a short prayer meeting takes place in the prayer room, located beside the Church Vestibule at 10:30am, all are welcome.

OPEN CHURCH

The church will be open for private prayer and meditation on Fridays 10 am-12 noon

BREWS BROTHERS

Brews Brothers Men's Group will meet on Tuesday 18th June at 12.30 pm at the home of Anne and Michael Graham. This will be the final meeting before the summer break and we will resume again in September.

BIBLE CLASS

The final meeting of Bible Class will take place next Sunday 23rd June for Breakfast.

BLOBS

Blobs will next meet on Tuesday 25th June in the McIntyre Suite.



The Annual Meetings of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland will take place this week from Thursday 20th June –Saturday 22nd June in Church House, Assembly Buildings

The Opening of the General Assembly, takes place on Thursday morning at 10am

Evening Celebration with John Risbridger (Chair of the Evangelical Alliance Council) on Thursday at 7.30pm

Installation of the Incoming Moderator, Rev Richard Murray, takes place on Friday at 4.30pm during a service of Worship

The General Assembly Communion Service will take place on Saturday at 12 pm

CHILD SAFEGUARDING

Anyone who was unable to attend the recent Child Safeguarding training please contact Joan Taylor (07791150354) for alternative dates and venues.

CONGREGATIONAL ANNUAL MEETING

The AGM for the congregation will take place in the church following the Service of Communion on Sunday 23rd June evening. As with last year's AGM we will mainly focus on the financial health of the Congregation of Cregagh Presbyterian. In accordance with the rules of PCI such a congregational meeting must be announced at least two weeks before the meeting. This is the second announcement

NEXT SUNDAY

Morning Worship at 11.00am- 'The Story of Elijah and Elisha' (Part Two)

Rev McKenzie and the Church Choir

Choral Communion Service at 7.00pm – Followed by Congregational AGM

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Esmé McKenzie who recently sat the GB NI junior scripture exam and received a mark of 100%. This morning we welcome Andrea Krumov, Captain of 2nd Comber Girls Brigade to present her with her achievement certificate.

Congratulations also to Sandra Harper who received a Certificate and badge from the NI Hospice in recognition for more than 20 years volunteering in Ballyhackamore Charity Shop. Very well done!

LEPROSY MISSION

The Summer Edition of Leprosy Mission Magazine 'InTouch' is available in the Vestibule and the McIntyre Suite. Please feel free to take a copy.

EMMANUEL MINISTRIES

Anyone who hasn't already given a donation to Emmanuel Ministries at the recent Junior Choir Concert, and who would like to do so, may still give today. Please mark your envelope 'Emmanuel Ministries Calcutta'. Many thanks.

HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB

The Holiday Bible Club for children aged 4-11 will be held Monday 12th August – Friday 16th August. More information to follow.

CREGAGH 125

Cregagh Presbyterian Church will celebrate its 125th birthday in 2025. It is hoped that a program of special get-togethers, services and outreach events will run across the year. Please start gathering any photos, videos, memorabilia which might be of interest to display or make reference to on these occasions. Also if you have a story or two worth remembering please jot it down. Over the month more information will be made available.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Sunday 30th June at 11.00am – Morning Worship – Malawi

Rev McKenzie and the Church Choir

Sunday 30th June at 7.00pm – Good Neighbours Service

(combined service with The Salvation Army and Cregagh Methodist Church)

JUNE DUTY ROTAS

KIRK SESSION – Joan Taylor, Anne Graham, Beth McNair, Robert McNair

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE – Kathryn Glover, Nigel Platt, Stephen Glover, Emma Skeet, Robyn McCullough, Kirsty Diver, Margaret Maclaren

COFFEE BAR – (16th) Creche/Cathy McCormick (23rd) OKAY/Peter Armstrong (30th) Malawi Group/James McCormick

FLOWER DELIVERY- (16th) Miriam Sheppard and Sheena Stewart (23rd) The Easton Family and Christine & Heather Sharpe (30th) Sharon and Myke Hall & Dorothy Platt



WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

Sunday 16th June 2024

'Father's Day'



'As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him'

Psalm 103:13

'The Father of a righteous child has great joy; A man who fathers a wise Son rejoices in him'

Proverbs 23:24

MORNING SERVICE at 11.00am in the Church

Rev McKenzie with the Church Choir

Theme: 'The Story of Elijah and Elisha'

Scripture Readings: 1 Corinthians 16:1-4 and 1 Kings 17:1-6

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