

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), leaving the service after the children's hymn.

ORDER OF SERVICE

- ** The collection of the Offering and taking up of the Communion Tokens is after the Sermon and is announced.
- **Please stand as the Elders bring the Offering and Communion Tokens to the Sanctuary for dedication, and remain standing for the pre-communion hymn.
- **At the end of Communion service please remain standing for the final hymn, the Elders remove the Elements and the Minister leaves the church.

COMMUNION TOKENS

Members are advised that communion tokens are available for collection in the vestibule today prior to the Autumn Communion service

RETIRING OFFERING

The Retiring Offering after Communion is in aid of the Benevolent Fund

SERVICES IN OCTOBER

- 12th 11am Harvest Service of Thanksgiving with Rev Dr Jim Campbell and the junior choir taking part
 - 7pm Evening service, with the Bible class taking part, followed by Supper
- 19th 11am Tearfund Service
- 26th 11am Reformation Sunday
 - 4pm Prayer and Bible study- 2 Kings

COFFEE BAR

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

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 on Fridays from 10am–12.00 noon for private prayer and meditation

CHURCH FLOWERS

The Church flowers today are provided by Mr Brian Douglas and Mrs Joan Lunn and are 'In Memory of Gretta'

125 PAGEANT

We were incredibly disappointed to postpone the 125 Pageant. A rearranged date will be communicated as soon as possible

BLOBS

It is hoped to begin a new Blobs group, one Tuesday evening a month. Once set up it will primarily focus upon looking at current affairs from a Christian perspective. If you would be interested, please speak to Drew Haire or Rev McKenzie

PW

PW will meet in the Allen Hall at 2.30pm on Monday 6th October when they will welcome back Richard Wallace to talk about hymn writer Isaac Watts. All welcome

BIBLE STUDY GROUP

The next meeting of the Wednesday Bible Study Group will be on Wednesday 8th October at 10.30 a.m. in Barbara Dunlop's house. New comers are most welcome.

TEA AND TALK

Tea and Talk will meet on Wednesday 8^{th} and 22^{nd} October from 2-3.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

HARVEST DECORATION

A representative from the organisations who are each decorating a window sill should speak to Maureen to find out which window sill they are decorating.

Also gifts of fruit, vegetables and flowers can be left at the Church on the mornings of Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th, and Friday 10th October.

MORNING WATCH

The next meeting will be Tuesday 14th October at 10.45am in the Dennison Mahood room.

BREWS BROTHERS

The next meeting will be Tuesday 14th October at 12.30pm in the McIntyre Suite.

EVERGREENS

The Evergreens will next meet on Wednesday 15th October at 2.30pm when Audrey Gillian and her Community Choir are providing our entertainment. They have been with us before and were a musical treat enjoyed by all. We invite all members of the congregation to join us on this occasion. You will have a great afternoon,

BLOBS

The next meeting will be 21st October at 9.30am in the McIntyre Suite.

YOUTH BIG NIGHT

The next Big Night for young people in P7 and Secondary School will be on Saturday 25th October from 7-9pm. Please let leaders know if you plan to attend.

COMMUNITY EVANGELISM ALONGSIDE 125

For some time now Drew Haire has been distributing Christian Magazines with our church's information around the local area. It is hoped to develop this into small scale community evangelism, with prayer that it would grow. Therefore, a small team that would be willing to help Drew or interested to hear what might be involved would be of great help. A meeting will be held soon but in the meantime please speak to Drew or Rev McKenzie for more information.

LADIES CHRISTMAS DINNER

A Christmas Dinner will take place on Friday 28th November 2025 at 7pm in the Four Winds. £10 deposit is required asap. All ladies welcome! For further details and menu speak to Cheryl Cowling or Angela Watson

CREGAGH 125 YEARS

Please pray for and support the upcoming events and services. We hope that this will be a great time of fellowship, outreach and celebration, remembering the last 125 years and committing Cregagh to mission of the Kingdom for the next 125 and beyond- spread the word and invite others along! The Cregagh 125 Museum is on display in the McIntyre Suite, please enjoy spending time looking through everything and invite others to do so.

125 ANNIVERSARY MERCHANDISE

By now you will all probably have seen our range of 125 Anniversary Merchandise on display in the Welcome Suite. This has been selling well and will be available to purchase throughout the year, but our actual 'shop' will only be in the Allen Hall at any special 125 events or services each month. Contact Karen McCurry for any items in-between these times.- Tel: 07552 606550)

OCTOBER DUTY ROTAS

KIRK SESSION Maureen Mulligan, David Gillespie

COMMITTEE Kathryn Glover, Nigel Platt, Stephen Glover, Emma Skeet, Robyn

McCullough Kirsty Diver, Margaret Maclaren

<u>COFFEE BAR</u> – (5th)Choir/PG/Maureen Mulligan (12th)Kirk Session/Michael Graham (19th) Creche/Kirsty Diver (26th) Kidzone/Karen McCurry

<u>FLOWER DELIVERY</u>- (5th) Barbara Dunlop (12th) Harvest (19th) May Gordon and Lily & Ivan Taylor (26th) James & Cathy McCormick and Geraldine & Drew Haire

 $\underline{CRECHE}~(5^{th})~May~Gordon~\&~Avril~Pollock~(12^{th})~Kirsty~\&~Aaron~Diver~(19^{th})~Laura$

Armstrong & Angela Watson (26th) Joanne Hewitt & Janette Brown

<u>THURSDAY DOOR</u> (2nd) Rosemary Patton (9th) Gordon & Barbara Dunlop (16th) Pauline Gibson (23rd) Jim Hill



WEEKLY NEWS SHEET Sunday 5th October 2025 'Autumn Communion'



'When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them' **Luke 24:30**

MORNING WORSHIP at 11am in the church Rev Edward McKenzie

Theme: Loving God for the next 125 years and beyond Readings: Isaiah 55 and Ephesians ch6 v10-20

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