



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 remind everyone that our services of public worship are placed on our YouTube channel. We would invite our visitors to sign the Visitor's Book in the Vestibule, giving name and full postal address. This morning Pebbles crèche is available for babies and toddlers and Kidzone for 3 year olds upwards

who leave church after the children's hymn.

ORDER OF SERVICE

The following my 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'

**The collection of the Offering is after the Sermon and is not announced.

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

**Please see the additional Order of Service for our special choral Easter service today

COFFEE BAR

The Coffee Bar is open in the Allen Hall after this mornings service. Everyone is invited to stay for a cuppa and a further 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 Mrs Dorothy Elliott

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 12th April at 11am – Mr Thomas Clarke

ELDERSHIP ELECTION

The congregational voters list has been lodged with East Belfast Presbytery and voting members are now invited to nominate names for consideration for the eldership. Nomination papers are available, alongside the voters list and criteria for election in the McIntyre Suite. Nomination papers can be lodged on Sundays up until 1pm on Sunday 19th April.

MINISTERS LEAVE

Rev McKenzie will be on leave from this afternoon, returning on Monday 13th April. Should you require the services of a Minister during this time please contact Michael Graham, Clerk of Session.

MORNING WATCH

Morning Watch next meets on Tuesday 14th April at 10:45 in the Dennison Mahood Room

BLOBS GROUPS

BLOBS 3- Bible Study: Next meeting will be Monday 13th from 7-8pm in the Dennison Mahood Room.

BLOBS 1: Next meets on Tuesday 14th April at 9:30am

BLOBS 2- Current Affairs: Next meets on Tuesday 21st April at 7:30pm

TEA AND TALK

Tea and Talk will next meet on Wednesday 8th April and 22nd April 2.00-3.30pm in the McIntyre Suite. All welcome.

PW

PW will meet in the Allen Hall at 2.30pm on Monday 13th April for their AGM

BREWS BROTHERS

Brews Brothers will meet on Tuesday 14th April at 12.30pm when David Jeffrey will be talking about his sporting career. All men with their friends and neighbours are welcome.

EVERGREENS

The Evergreens meet on Wednesday 15th April at 1pm for lunch, followed by entertainment by Anne Stevenson. Due to a variety of reasons, we feel the time has come to close The Evergreens and this is our last meeting.

YOUTH BIG NIGHT

The next 'Big Night' for all P7 and Secondary age young people will take place on Saturday 25th April from 7-9pm. Please let the leaders know if you plan to attend.

DIAMOND CONGRATULATIONS

Best wishes and warmest congratulations to Valerie and Dixie McKenzie who celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Thursday 2nd April.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Warmest good wishes to Rosemary Carlisle who celebrates her 90th Birthday on Tuesday 7th April.

125th ANNIVERSARY GALA DINNER

As we are getting ever closer to our Anniversary Gala Dinner on Friday 24th April at the Stormont Hotel, please can we remind anyone that hasn't yet paid or handed in their menu choices to see Elaine Gillespie today as we are trying to finalise numbers. If you would like to go to it there is still time, but please book your place as soon as possible. Don't miss out on your chance to enjoy this memorable evening in the company of your Cregagh family, with good food, good music and good conversation.

(Elaine Gillespie – Tel: 07990 610918)

ONE-WAY SYSTEM

At certain busy times during the week you will see a one-way system being implemented to access the church car park. At the moment it is in force on a Thursday evening when so many different groups are meeting in an effort to protect children and other users entering and exiting the building.

Both sets of gates will be open with entry on the left hand side in front of the church, and exit on the right hand side in front of the Allen Hall. Signs will be on the gate posts to indicate this.

Please take care at all times when using our church car park as we want it to be a safe place for everyone.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

The Junior Choir concert will take place on Tuesday 5th May at 6.30pm. Please come along and support the children.

APRIL SERVICES

Sunday 12th April at 11am – Mr Thomas Clarke

Sunday 19th April at 11am – Morning Worship

4pm- Prayer and Bible study- Esther

Sunday 26th April at 11am- Closing service of 125 with Rev Dr Allen Sleith

Christ lives within our
Hearts and he has
Risen from the dead
In order to offer us
Salvation and eternal life
Today and forever more.

He's our Saviour and
Almighty God, forgiving of
Sins and cleansing our souls.

Remembering always that he
Is our Father and
Saves us for all
Eternity and he will
Never turn his back.



125
YEARS
1900-2025

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

Sunday 5th April 2026

'Easter Day'



*'This is the day which the Lord
hath made; we will rejoice and be
glad in it' Psalm 118: 24*

MORNING WORSHIP at 11 am in the church
Rev Edward McKenzie

A Choral Easter

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