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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services

Sunday 20th September

11.00am Morning Worship Series: Journey Like Jesus.

Sermon: "A little longer or life everlasting."

Scripture: John 6 v 44-59 Rev David Brice

7.00pm Evening Worship Series: Values that last.

Sermon: "Developing Trust." Scripture: Proverbs 3 v 1-5

Rev David Brice

Sunday 27th September

11.00am Morning Worship Harvest Service

Scripture: Genesis 1 v 28-2 v 15. Rev Lee Eagleson

7.00pm Evening Worship Harvest Service.

Rev George Moore

OFFICE HOURS: Thursdays 12.30—3.30pm and Sundays 10—11am.

OPEN DOOR: Open door will recommence on Thursday mornings, 11.30am-12.30pm.

PRAYER BOX: Please leave any prayer requests in the box in vestibule.

RECORDINGS OF SUNDAY SERVICES are available from recording desk in balcony.

If you are visiting here this morning:

- There is a crèche in the Dunlop Hall (ask for directions).
- Primary school aged children can join our Sunday Club; watch for children leaving during the service.
- If your child needs a break during the service feel free to leave and go to our foyer.

Discipleship Events

MID WEEK MISSION FOCUS: Wednesday 23rd September at 7.30pm in the Burney Room with Mrs Alison Orr OMF. All welcome.

Forthcoming Events

Friday 25th-Sunday 27th September—24/7 Prayer Weekend—sign up in Mosaic.

Friday 25th September 6pm—Commencement of Christianity Explored

Sunday 27th September 11am —Harvest Sunday—Rev Lee Eagleson

Sunday 27th September 7pm—Harvest Sunday—Rev George Moore

Wednesday 30th September 7.30pm—Pre-communion Service

Sunday 4th October 11am and 7pm—Communion Service

Sunday 11th October 11am—Shoe Box Sunday

Leadership Events

MINISTRY COMMITTEE Meeting 7pm, Monday 21st September in the Minister's Room. Agenda has been circulated. We hope to keep this meeting to an hour so that those of us who want to go to hear Maud Kells can!

THE DISCIPLESHIP COMMITTEE (Grace of Giving) will meet on Tuesday, 22nd September at 7.30 pm in the Minister's Room.

Organisational Notices

PW OPEN NIGHT - ALL WELCOME. SPECIAL SPEAKER - MAUD KELLS (the missionary who was shot in the Congo) on MONDAY 21st SEPTEMBER 2015 at 8pm in the McKinley Hall Offering on the night will go to Maud Kells.

THURSDAY TOGETHER: This week our members take part in a 'Reminiscence Day.' We meet in the Burney Room at 2.30pm on Thursday 24th. All welcome.

Congregational Notices

UNITED APPEAL: Harvest Sunday is when we ask the congregation to donate to the United Appeal of Presbyterian Church in Ireland. This is a fund that supplies the needs of all our missions at home and abroad. Envelopes have been delivered to your home and they will also be available in the pews next Sunday. Please give generously.

CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED - a video course on Christian basics looking at the Gospel of Mark will begin on Friday 25th September at 6pm in Mosaic and will run for 7 weeks. There will be a meal at the beginning of the night. Anyone interested in attending, please sign sheet at sign up desk in Mosaic. Children can attend FoG which will run alongside Christianity Explored.

POINTS FOR PRAYER (Prayer Handbook): Could anyone who has not yet had an opportunity to pay for their handbook (£2) please see Kerry Newman asap? Thank you.

THANK YOU: Paul Gray, Executive Secretary of The Presbyterian Orphan and Children’s Society would like to thank the congregation for the special Children’s Day collection of £1641.18 The continued generous and encouraging support of the congregation is greatly appreciated.

Church Notices

A YOUTH SERVICE "Jesus Still Heals Today" is taking place on Monday 28th September at 8pm at St. Anne's Cathedral under the auspices of Interdenominational Divine Healing Ministries. It will be led by a YWAM team and the speaker will be Jonny Clarke. All are invited to this special evening of hope for this generation.

GRIEFSHARE SUPPORT PROGRAMME: 10 week programme starts on 24th September in Glenabbey Church. See noticeboard in Mosaic for further details.

Community Notices



Methodist Centre, Ballyclare Road, Glengormley
Wednesday 23rd September 2-4pm & 5.15-8pm

With Regret

With regret we announce the death of Mrs Lilian McCahon. The funeral arrangements are still to be confirmed. We extend our sympathy to her daughter Linda and family circle.

DATE	OPENING/CLOSING	SECURITY
20th September	John Armstrong	Paul Edwards
27th September	Brian Hope	Kenneth McLaughlin
4th October	Roy Anderson	Sam Raphael
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20th September	Miss H McKinstry	Ms McNeill
27th September	Mrs Orr	Mrs Boland
4th October	Mrs Babalola	Miss Newman

Prayer Diary

If our congregation is to be fruitful, we need to look to Jesus to be our life and speak through our witness. Without Him, we can do nothing. Prayer must be central to all we do. The Fruitful Church Prayer Journey is a way of stimulating and gathering prayer for every aspect of your congregation's work. When members sign up through the PCI website, they will receive a short daily devotion and prayer prompt to their mobile device for a four week period. Each one is a challenge and reminder to pray in a focused way for aspects of church life. For details of how you can sign up go to <http://www.presbyterianireland.org/prayerjourney>

Monday 21st September: Pray for the outreach that is taking place in the Titanic Quarter Belfast. Praise God for His provision of the Dock Cafe; a community hub which welcomes visitors to come and share life together over a cuppa. Thank God for the vision of the chaplain, Chris Bennett, who wanted to 'create an expression of church' through a social space. Pray that God will touch the hearts of those who cross over its doors.

Tuesday 22nd September: Remember today all those who suffer with mental health conditions. Ask God to help us to reach out with compassion to those in our families or communities in need of support. Help us to be mindful of their needs and those of their carers.

Wednesday 23rd September: Pray for our young people who have finished school and are moving on to the next chapter of their lives. Pray for those that are beginning university or college courses, either at home or away, that they will settle in their new environments and make new friendships. Remember those who are starting new jobs, that they will be given good training and guidance. Ask God to draw near to those who have faced disappointments. While their future is uncertain at present, let them be assured that the Lord has a plan for their lives also.

Thursday 24th September: Pray for the Christianity Explored course that begins tomorrow evening and runs for the next seven weeks. Pray for those who have signed up, that they will feel encouraged to ask questions and be open for discussion. Thank God for those who have volunteered their time and efforts to facilitate this course, and ask Him to equip them with the ability to guide the discussion.

Friday 25th September: Tonight starts our 24/7 Prayer Weekend. Please pray for the success of this event and thank God for everyone who put their names forward. Please pray for safety, especially for those filling the overnight slots. Ask God to help the prayer team to use this space to reflect on personal needs, the needs of others and the world at large.

Saturday 26th September: Give thanks for the street pastors who have been walking the streets of Newtownabbey for the past 28 months. Ask God to sustain them in this vital work. Pray that God will guide them as they continue to listen, help and care for those with whom they come into contact with on Friday and Saturday nights.

Sunday 27th September: Pray for the message preached at our Harvest Service this morning and that it will touch the lives of those who attend. Pray for generous giving to the United Appeal, which enables the Presbyterian Church to support hundreds of projects and programs at home and overseas. Give thanks for the help this provides the church to show God's love in action and advance His kingdom.