



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.
- Kids Bags: If your child is staying during the sermon there are kids packs available in the Library Corner. Please feel free to get them before or during the service.

If you don't wish to take your announcement sheet or sermon notes home please return them to Mosaic.

Services

Sunday 11th December

11.00am Morning Worship Rev George Moore

7.00pm Evening Worship Series: God Wins

Rev David Brice

Sunday 18th December

11.00am Morning Worship All Age Christmas Service

7.00pm Evening Worship Traditional Carol Service

Sunday 25th December

10.00am Morning Worship Christmas Morning Service

7.00pm Evening Worship No Evening Service

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Forthcoming Events

Friday 16th December - 7pm - **Christmas Sing-a-long** in Mosaic
Sunday 18th December - 11am - **All Age Christmas Service**
Sunday 18th December - 7pm - **Traditional Carol Service**
Sunday 25th December - 10am - **Christmas Morning Service**
Sunday 25th December - No evening service
Tuesday 27th December - **Football Competition** - Soccer Shed, Ballyclare
Wednesday 28th December - **Christmas Quiz**
Saturday 31 December - **New Years Eve Walk** - Antrim Castle Grounds

Discipleship Events

MID WEEK BIBLE STUDY: Christmas Holidays. Mid week will resume on Wednesday 4th January 2017 at 7.30pm in the Burney Room.

Leadership Notices

PROPERTY COMMITTEE to meet at 7pm on Tuesday 13th December in Mosaic.

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE meeting at 7.15pm on Tuesday 13th December in the Minister's Room.

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE Meeting Tuesday 13th December at 8pm in the Burney Room.

ELDERS & COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Please note, your district bundles (newsletters, etc.) are ready for collection from the table on your left hand side as you leave the church.

Organisation Notices

THURSDAY TOGETHER: This week will be our Christmas Meal followed by entertainment with the Mossgrove Primary School Choir. The meal will be served at 1pm (drivers please note) and should finish at approximately 3pm. We take this opportunity to wish all a very blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year.



FoG will join the Christmas Sing-a-long on Friday night, 16th December at 7pm and will then be off for Christmas holidays. FoG will resume on Friday 13th January at 7pm. All primary school children welcome.

Mosaic

Mosaic café will be open on:
Friday 8.45 - 11.30am & 6.45 - 9pm
and then closed until the New Year

Church Notices

WORLD DEVELOPMENT APPEAL: Envelopes will be arriving with other church information at your door over the coming week. Please give generously to this scheme as we remember at this time of year those who are in greatest need. If possible, return your envelope on Christmas morning at our Sunday Service.

ACCOUNTS: The committee have decided that Sunday 25th December is the last day when contributions received can be guaranteed recorded in the 2016 accounts. Any later contributions not recorded this year will be included in the 2017 accounts.

ANNOUNCEMENT SHEETS: This Thursday, 15th December, we will be producing announcement sheets for the remainder of the year. All announcements are to be with the office by 12noon to be included either in announcement sheet for Sunday 18th December 2016 or Sunday 1st January 2017.

Events

SOCCER SHED: A football competition will be held at the Soccer Shed in Ballyclare on Tuesday 27th December at 3pm. Adults are £5 and children (under 12) £3. Everyone is welcome. It is important to give your name to Peter Shepherd if you wish to take part.

FESTIVE QUIZ: Wednesday 28th December 2016 Come along to our festive quiz in the McKinley Hall at 7.30pm. Questions to suit all levels and none!

NEW YEAR'S EVE WALK: Saturday 31 December 2016 A New Year's Eve walk will be held at Antrim Castle Gardens. Meet in the car park at 13.30pm – everyone with or without new bikes, prams and well behaved dogs on leads welcome!

Why not invite someone in church today to come with you?

PCI FAMILY HOLIDAY: Share Discovery Village, Monday 17th - Friday 21st April. See noticeboard in Mosaic for details and booking form.

News

Congratulations to Hollie Metson on her engagement to Jonny Blair.

DATE	OPENING/CLOSING	CRECHE		
11th December	Roy Anderson	Mrs Hardy	Mrs Bell	Mrs Downes
18th December	Bryan Marshall	No Creche		
25th December	Robin McBride	No Creche		

Prayer Diary

Monday 12th December 2016: Across this world there is suffering and grief. Evil forces are at work and we could easily become afraid. But as Christians we don't rely on this world. We are blessed by having a loving Heavenly Father. Pray for his protection in these present times. Also that He would uphold and strengthen us in our journey through life.

Tuesday 13th December 2016: Pray for those in our congregation who have lost loved ones. Christmas will be particularly difficult for them. May they know Gods blessing and be comforted.

Wednesday 14th December 2016: Remember missionaries throughout the world at this time. They are far from friends and family. May they be conscious of our prayer support and not feel isolated in the work that they have been called to.

Thursday 15th December 2016: Remember the work of our Thompson House staff as they provide supported housing and rehabilitation for men after they leave prison. Pray especially for David Farrow and his staff as they seek to communicate the gospel message to residents this advent season.

Friday 16th December 2016: Give thanks for all the outreach work that has been undertaken by our congregation during the past year. Pray that seeds of faith are being planted and that in due course many will come to know the Lord Jesus as their friend and saviour.

Saturday 17th December 2016: It will soon be Christmas. Let us pause and join in the prayer of Robert Louis Stevenson: "Loving Father, help us remember the birth of Jesus that we may share in the song of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds, and worship of the wise men."

Sunday 18th December 2016: Pray for our minister as he leads us in worship today. Ask that he would be inspired and enabled by the Holy Spirit. Also pray that we as a congregation will be receptive to the Lords message.

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

OPEN DOOR: Mr Brice will be available in the Minister's Room on Thursdays from 11.30am to 12.30pm. You can call in or you may wish to phone in advance.

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

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