

# 15th April 2018

267 Antrim Road, Glengormley, BT36 7QN

**Tel:** 028 9084 8774

**Website:** www.glengormley.org

**Email:** office@glengormley.org

Registered with The Charity Commission for Northern Ireland NIC104317



**MINISTER:** Rev. David Brice

**Tel:** 028 9083 2758

**Email:** david@glengormley.org

## Services

### Sunday 15th April

#### 11:00am Morning Worship

Sermon: Sermon: 'How can I find God?'

Scripture: Revelation 3 v 19-22

Rev David Brice

**7:00pm Evening Worship Series: Burning but flourishing - brief story of Moses (2)**

Rev David Brice

### Sunday 22nd April

#### 11:00am Morning Worship

Series: Why on earth did Jesus say that?

Sermon: 'Why do you call me Lord, Lord?'

Scripture: Luke 6 v 46-49 Rev George

Moore

**7:00pm Evening Worship** There will be no evening service in GPC, we are joining in the Street Pastors Service, St John Church of Ireland, Ballyclare at 6pm

## Forthcoming Events

**Sunday 22nd April** - Action ME - cup cakes after church (5 members of the congregation will be running the Belfast Marathon for this charity.)

**Sunday 22nd April, 6pm** - Street Pastors Commissioning Service in St John's Church of Ireland, Ballyclare

**Wednesday 25th April, 7:30pm** - Pre-communion Service

**Sunday 29th April, 11:00am** - Communion Service

**Monday 7th May, 1pm** - Church Picnic and Games Day

## Discipleship Events

**MID WEEK BIBLE STUDY:** Wednesday 18th April, at 7:30pm in the Burney Room Video - Dramatisation of Amy Carmichael's life

### If you are visiting here this morning:

- There is a crèche in the Minor Hall (ask for directions).
- Primary school aged children can join our Sunday Club; watch for children leaving during the service.
- Kids Bags are being revamped, please bear with us.
- If your child needs a break during the service feel free to leave and go to the entrance area.

**If you don't wish to take your announcement sheet or sermon notes home please return them to the holder in entrance.**

## Leadership Notices

### ADVANCE NOTICE: CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE

Meeting Tuesday 24th April at 8:00pm. Please note the change of date.

## Organisation Notices



**GOLF SOCIETY:** First Outing of 2018 is to the Hilton Hotel and Golf Club on Monday 16th April – please complete the sign-up sheet in mosaic - Any queries speak to Peter Shepherd (who also has Fixture cards if anyone requires one)

A visit by **MEN TOGETHER** to Ulster Aviation Society at the Maze has been organised for Wednesday 18th April 2018, meeting at the church at 09.15h. The cost to include entrance, Tea, Coffee and Scones will be £8. Men intending to go on this visit should sign the appropriate sheet which is in Mosaic.

**THURSDAY TOGETHER:** We are pleased to welcome the return visit of Eva Baxter. This time Eva will be telling the remarkable story of Mrs Cecil Frances Alexander who was born 200 years ago and was the writer of over 400 hymns including the very familiar 'There is a green hill far away'. Visitors are welcome to our meeting in the Burney Room at 2:30pm.

**JAZZ HUB** will be held in the Minor Hall at 7:00pm on Friday 4th May. The topic for listening and discussion is legendary pianists.

**BOOK HUB** will be held in the Minor Hall at 7:00pm on Friday 11th May. The book for discussion is "The Essex Serpent" by Sarah Perry.

**Mosaic** will be open on Friday evenings from approximately 6:30 to 8:30pm every Friday evening in April and May starting 13th April. So why not arrange to meet a friend for a catch up and a cuppa or bring a book and just have an hour to yourself!

A football and family picnic will be held at Mossley Playing Fields at 1.30pm on Monday 7th May.

## Church Notices

**GIFT AID:** We will be applying at the end of this month for the gift aid period April - Dec., 2017. Congregation members and especially Junior members who have just starting paying income tax or will be paying income tax and will be starting to give regularly, please advise by one of the church leaflets available in Mosaic. Remember Free Will Offering can be given through envelopes or bank transfer. You can give at any time, so if you are working away and not paying income tax these donations can be kept separate by advising me. If you are unsure how Gift aid works, feel free to contact me direct. **Also, If you have moved house during this period please advise me in one of the following ways:**

By email to: [office@glengormley.org](mailto:office@glengormley.org)

By letter to: 267 Antrim Road, Glengormley BT36 7QN.

By leaving a note with myself / Ray Gormley or any of the Elders. As donations that were applicable for gift aid have increased our Giftaid by over £10,000.00 we need to make our return as clear as possible, so I will appreciate any changes in writing. Thank you, David Mullan, Gift Aid Convenor



### ANTRIM AND NEWTOWNABBEY STREET PASTORS

Commissioning Service for new volunteers will be held on Sunday 22nd April at 6:00pm in St John's Church of Ireland, Ballyclare. Paul Fawcett, a member of Glengormley Presbyterian Church will be commissioned at this service. Please plan to come along.

**REASONS FOR HOPE 2018:** Monday 16th April, 8:00pm Whitla Hall, Queen's University. For more information [www.cui.ie](http://www.cui.ie)

**DIRECTOR OF CUI:** Further details about this opportunity can be found on the CUI website. The closing date for applications is 16th April 2018.

**AMY CARMICHAEL:** Lasting legacy - 150th anniversary celebration of the birth of Amy Carmichael in Millisle and Ballycopeland Presbyterian Church - Thursday, 19th April 2018 - 7:30pm. The evening will include:

- ◆ The Millisle Years—Rev John Flaherty (Minister Millisle & Ballycopeland)
- ◆ The Early Years—Jonathan Clarke (Welcome Church, Belfast)
- ◆ Dohnavur then and now—Alison McCaughan with Jacky Woolcock (former missionary to Dohnavur)
- ◆ The Challenge today—Uel Marrs with Ruth Cooke (International Justice Mission)

**OMF FORTHCOMING EVENTS:** **OMF Belfast Breakfast-** The Task Unfinished, 9am-11am Saturday 21st April, Park Avenue Hotel. We will be hearing about what the Lord is doing and the outstanding spiritual needs in East Asia, from the McMahan's, Keiller's and Heather Gage. If you plan to attend, please let Nathaniel Jennings know in advance: [Nathaniel.Jennings@omfmail.com](mailto:Nathaniel.Jennings@omfmail.com)

**YOUTH FOR CHRIST NI** is passionate about working with young people on the margins and seeing transformation in their lives and in their communities. We've been approached by a number of people in the wider Newtownabbey area to host a conversation about youth outreach. We really need your voice there. Join us on Thursday 17th May at 7:45pm in The Baron Hall, Glengormley

## Situations Vacant

There are currently several vacancies for the position of **Freewill Offering Counter**.

- £ Pay is non existent but working hours & time off are excellent.
- £ You will be on a rota and be required only once every several weeks for 1 hour approximately usually immediately after the Sunday morning service.
- £ If you are looking for an opportunity to serve God in this congregation and can write and add up (very little subtraction required and thankfully no multiplication or division) then this is for you.
- £ You will be part of a team and will learn on the job under the expert guidance of Ray Gormley.

If you are interested and feel you can pass the above rigorous criteria (ie write & add up) then please speak to either Ray Gormley or Mark Stevenson.

## News

Congratulations to Matthew Horner who has been accepted as a candidate for Ministry in PCI. Matthew will commence his training at Union Theological College in September 2018. We wish God's richest blessing on Matthew, Helen and family as they begin this great adventure of faith.

Congratulations also to Nathaniel McQueen who has been accepted for the Accredited Preachers Course. This will involve him in a year long training and mentoring in preaching. Congratulations also to Paul Fawcett and David Milligan who have successfully completed the 'Handling the Word' Course, PCI. This involved them in two Saturdays of lectures led by Rev John Woodside and Mr Ossie McAuley.

## Community Notices

### ANTRIM & NEWTOWNABBEY PENSIONERS PARLIAMENT:

Over 60? Want to make your voice heard on issues like health and social care, community safety and the cost of living? Come along to the Antrim & Newtownabbey Pensioners Parliament on Friday 20th April 2018 (10.30am - 3.30pm) in Mossley Mill, Newtownabbey. Register to attend by phoning 028 9031 2089. More info at [www.pensionersparliament.org](http://www.pensionersparliament.org)

## Why not connect with us on Social Media...



Facebook & Instagram  
[@glengormleypresbyterianchurch](https://www.facebook.com/glengormleypresbyterianchurch)

Twitter  
[@glengormleypc](https://twitter.com/glengormleypc)

**OPEN DOOR** Rev 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.

**OFFICE HOURS:** The Church Office will reopen on Thursdays 12:30-3:30pm & Sundays 9:45-10:45am. Any announcements for next week to be with the office by 12noon on Thursday.

**RECORDINGS OF SUNDAY SERVICES** are available from the sound team in the balcony.

**PRAYER BOX:** Please leave any prayer requests in the box in entrance

DATE	OPENING/CLOSING	CRECHE		
15th April	John Lindsay	Ann Robinson	Pam Murray	Ali Cooke
22nd April	Trevor Newman	Lynsey McQueen	Helen Horner	Jane McClelland
29th April	Ray Gormley	Lorna Madeley	Ann Hardy/Susan Law	Hannah McKinstry