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Worship Services

<https://www.youtube.com/c/GlengormleyPresbyterianChurch>

Sunday 22nd October 2023

10:30am Rev Reuben McCormick, Baptism

Sunday 29th October 2023

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Prayer

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If you are visiting here this morning:

- We hope that you feel welcome. Please stay after the service for a cup of tea or coffee and introduce yourself.
- Primary school aged children can join our GLOW Club; watch for children leaving during the service.
- There are some toys available in the entrance area under the stairs. Please feel free to get them before or during the service.
- If your child needs a break during the service feel free to leave and go to the entrance area, you will still be able to hear the service.

Discipleship Events

THE IMMERSE PROGRAMME continues tonight at 6:30pm.

Organisation Notices

GLOW will be taking a break on 29th October and 5th November but we will be operating Children's Church for all primary aged children on both Sundays.

The next **CHOIR+** will take place in the church on Thursday 26th October 2023 at 2:30pm and finish with tea/coffee and biscuits at 3:30pm. All the praise will be related to harvest thanksgiving.

Come and join if you enjoy singing traditional songs/hymns. Why not bring a friend with you! They will be made very welcome.

CONVERSATION CAFÉ: We have started our Conversation Cafes again on Thursday evenings at 7pm. These will be run for two hours and everyone is welcome. If you want a game of drafts, Connect 4, or Jenga then please feel free to come down to Mosaic. There will also be a cup of tea or coffee. It would be great to see you there.

Church Notices

FOODBANK: As a church we have generously donated food items to



Newtownabbey Foodbank on many previous occasions. Foodbank volunteers typically support between 30-40 families each week who are experiencing food poverty. Despite the rising food, fuel and energy costs the number of families and individuals receiving help has remained consistent. The Foodbank has seen a slight decrease in the amount of food that has been donated in recent months, meaning some items are regularly out of stock. If you feel that you would like to support the work of Newtownabbey Foodbank this year I have included a list of food items that are required and some items that we do not need at this time.

Items required: Canned Tuna, Canned Meat, Canned Fruit, Canned Rice & Custard, Canned Soup

Items **not** needed: Breakfast Cereal, Baked Beans
Please can you leave any items in Mosaic and they will be taken to the Foodbank on a regular basis.
Thanks again for your support of the Newtownabbey Foodbank.

ANNOUNCEMENT SHEETS: Any announcements need to be with the office by **12 noon on Thursdays** Email office@glengormley.org
YOUR CONTACT DETAILS: If these should change, please notify the office so that we can keep our records up to date.



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Glengormley Presbyterian Church

We also have a WhatsApp group for church members to keep in touch with each other. Email office@glengormley.org for details

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Prayer

"Today if you will hear his voice, do not harden your hearts." Psalm 95:8.

Give thanks for how God speaks in his worship and ask that he might give you a receptive heart to what he wants to say to you.

Hungarian Reformed Church (HRC): Pray for the projects of Hungarian Reformed Church Aid and the Transcarpathian Reformed Church as they continue to support refugees and those internally displaced by the war in Ukraine.

Thompson House: Give thanks for the work and witness of Thompson House – PCI's supported housing scheme for offenders. Pray for David Farrow, the director, and his staff team as they get alongside the residents and show them the love of Christ. Give thanks for the Bible study that takes place among residents led by staff members.

Peace and reconciliation: Pray for continuing peace and the recognition of the need for greater understanding and reconciliation amongst our communities in Ireland, and around the world.

Give thanks that Sandra and Edgar have been able to return to the UK safely. Continue to pray for them as they settle back into life in Northern Ireland. Pray for the staff of the Garden Tomb who cannot get into work and have no escape from what is happening in Israel and Gaza.

God, hear our prayers for peace in the Middle East. May all people in the region be protected, safe from harm. We pray that this crisis will end now, with no further loss of life. God, may the injured and distressed know your healing presence. May the powerful and the decision-makers follow the paths of justice, mercy and peace. We pray for recognition of the dignity and value of every life. May the clamour of violence cease, replaced by the beating of swords into ploughshares. God, in your name, Amen