

Purpose Statement: "To see unbelieving people become committed members of Christ's Church"

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3rd November 2024

Welcome to our **Morning Service** (Reading from Phil 2:5-8 The humility of Christ) during this service we celebrate the **'Lord's Supper'** and you are invited to Killaig **tonight at 7.30pm** for our **Thanksgiving Service** (Reading from Psalm 8) both conducted by Rev Brian Smyth.

Please join us in Café Link for tea/coffee after the morning service.

Poppy Appeal – There will be a retiring offering for the Poppy Appeal this week and next.

Minster on leave. Brian will be on leave from Monday 11th – Monday 25th November during which the Rev Mark Donald (Tel 028 2955 8220) will provide emergency pastoral cover.

Mingle at the Manse. As this is our first Christmas in Garvagh we want to invite EVERYBODY to the Manse as our way of saying thank you. On Friday 20th December you are welcome to the Manse for refreshments and festive treats. You will be very welcome anytime between 2.00pm - 5.00pm or between 7.00pm -9.00pm. We look forward to seeing you then. Brian & Pamela



THIS WEEK IN MAIN STREET

Monday ~ Crafters will meet at 2pm.

Prayer Group - at 7.00pm. All Welcome.

Tuesday ~ Women Together will meet at 8pm in Café Link. Rev Gareth Stewart "Cookery Demo & message from God's Word"

Wednesday ~ Small Groups (Study 5) will continue at 8.00pm

Thursday ~ Munchkins 10 – 11.30am

Thursday & Friday ~ Boys Brigade

Saturday ~ 'Semeron' – A Cancer support group will meet in Café Link from 11.00 – 12.30. Rev John Coulter will be the guest speaker. Everyone warmly welcome.

SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday School / Bible Class are back on the 10th at 10am.

Sunday 10th November we meet for worship at 11.15am and during this service there will be 'An Act of Remembrance'.

Youth will meet on Sunday 10th November at 8.00pm in Café Link commencing a 3 week series of PT Sessions (Personal Testimonies) with guest speakers.

Midweek Bible Study & Prayer Time will meet on Wednesday 13th November at 8.00pm led by Mr Stephen Dinsmore. Please plan to attend.



Tear Fund Big Quiz night in Killaig Presbyterian Church on Saturday 16th November at 7.30pm. A light supper will be provided.



Bus Pass Christmas Afternoon Tea on Saturday 7th December at 3.00pm. If you are in this category please pick up your invitation and sign up today.

BELFAST CITY MISSION CHRISTMAS GIFT APPEAL 2024

Callory	Gift Suggestions (unwrapped please)	Culture Culture
	 New Toys 	
	 Selection Boxes 	
•	Tins of sweets (Roses, Quality Street, Haribo et	c.)
Citr Card	 Boxes of biscuits. Monetary gifts Gift Cards (£5, 10, 15, 20) 	
	 Ipermarket Vouchers (Tesco, Asda, Sainsburys, M Toy Stores (Smyths, Argos Etc.) Groceries (non-perishable) Toys 	& S)

Through our Annual Christmas Appeal, we are able to help many needy families who struggle to buy even the basics by providing food, toys, chocolates and gift cards. Of course, this can only be done with the help of donations from churches and individuals across the province.

Please leave your gifts in church by Sunday 8th December.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Festival of Remembrance in Portstewart Presbyterian Church. 8-11th November. A display of handcrafted tributes and wartime memorabilia. More details in the Vestibule. **Christmas Craft Fair & Photo Exhibition** in Garvagh Community Building on Friday 22nd November 7pm – 9pm. More details in the Foyer.

Victorian Christmas Afternoon Tea in Aghadowey Pres. Church Hall. Saturday 7th December from 1.00pm. Tickets £20 contact Yvonne 07936 942511 or Louise 07533 777814.

Garvagh District Poppy Appeal will commence from Thursday 24th October – 9th November. The Legion Hall Poppy Shop will commence Monday 28th October - Saturday 9th November. From 10am to 4pm each day. There will be a Retiring offering in Main Street Church 3rd & 10th November.

<u>ROTAS</u>

Stewarding

Nov 3 & 10	Alex Farlow	Basil Moore
Nov 17 & 24	Brian Farlow	Trevor Wright

Collectors

Nov	William Campbell	Jonathan Smith	Winston Donnell	Adrian
				McGilligan
Dec	Basil Moore	Kenneth Moore	Nevin Smith	Keith Clyde

Sound Desk

	Sound	Streaming	Powerpoint
Nov 3 & 10	Trevor Wright	Lewis Wright	Matthew Farlow
Nov 17 & 24	David Kelly	Rachel Boyce	Michelle Donnell

Creche & Children's Church

Nov 3 & 10	Jenny Farlow	Andrew Farlow
Nov 17 & 24	Ruth McGilligan	Isla McGilligan

Sunday Morning Tea

Nov 3	Gemma Smyth
Nov 10	Pamela Smyth

Sunday Evening Tea

Nov 3	Communion Thanksgiving in Killaig
Nov 17	Vonla Smyth

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