
Morning Order of Service – 5th November 2006 @ 11am Our service today includes the
sacrament of communion.

Opening Praise – (led by the Anne Crossett)

"Ascribe greatness to our God the Rock" (CMP40)

"Jesus, stand among us" (CMP381)

"His hands were pierced" (CMP232)

"Lord Jesus Christ, You have come to us" (CMP435)

Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for The Word

Call to Worship

PRAISE "O worship the King" (Hy 9)

Prayer

What can wash away my sin

Nothing but the blood of Jesus

What can make me

whole again

Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Oh! precious is the flow

That makes white as snow;

No other fount I know

Nothing but the blood of Jesus

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Proclamation Of The Word

Children's Address

PRAISE "What can wash away my sin" (Junior Church Leaves)

Reading *Psalm 51 (Page 566)*

Sermon

PRAISE "Search me O God" (MP 587)

Sacrament of 'The Lord's Table'

Invitation to the Table

Profession of Faith (Stand and say together the Apostles Creed - Hy546)

PRAISE "Here O my Lord" (Hymn 573v1-4) *after which tokens are collected.*

The Sacrament

PRAISE "Too soon we rise" (Hymn 573v5-7)

Benediction

Today@first

10am **Sunday School and Bible Class**

10:30 **Prayer Time** (Minister's room). Everyone Welcome.

11am **Morning Worship** (including the sacrament of Communion)- Rev Curry
Crèche - pre school (Minor Hall), Junior Church (Minor Hall)

5:30pm **Christianity Explored Leaders** meet in Minor Hall.

6pm **Christianity Explored Course** All Welcome (Main Hall). Cup of tea 5:45

Monday 6th

7-8pm **5 a side football** at Meadowbank for 16 yr + (cost£2.50) all welcome! Further details - Philip Gorman (79300176)

7.45pm **Bowls** in the Main Hall. New members made very welcome.

8pm **PWA Mission Box collectors** meet to revise the collector lists. It would be greatly appreciated if all collectors could attend. (Minor Hall).

8:30pm **Soul Mates** (A Ladies walking group). Leaving from the church car park.

Tuesday 7th

9-9.30am **School Assembly** (MPS) If you would like to help contact Rev. Curry.

2:30 **Friendly Hour** in Minor Hall, join us for a short service followed by a cup of tea, for transport contact Iris Brown. All Welcome

7-9pm **English language classes** for migrant workers (*Church Halls / Graham Room*).

8pm **Malawi team deputation** to WI in Woods Parish Church

Wednesday 8th

10-12am **Parent and Toddlers**. All parents and carers very welcome.

6-7.15pm **Girls Brigade - Explorers** Age 3-7

7-8.45pm **Girls Brigade - Juniors** Age 8-10

7.45-9.30pm **Girls Brigade - Seniors/Brigaders** Age 11+ years

Thursday 9th

7.45pm **Bowls** in the Main Hall. New members made very welcome.

8pm **MIDWEEK** We continue our Growing in Christ studies. Subject - "Coming Soon" (The Return of Jesus Christ)
Copies of study available on transept table.

Saturday 11th

7-8pm **J Team (Jr YOUTH@First)** for children p3-p7. Parents are asked to leave children off and collect them at the door at back of halls. Further details on tables or from Melanie Boyce / Lorna Curry.

8-10pm **YOUTH@First**. (for young people first form and over.)

Next Sunday 12th November 2006

NO Sunday School and Bible Class

10:30 **Prayer Time** (Minister's room). Everyone Welcome.

11am **Morning Worship** - Rev Curry. Crèche - pre school (*Minor Hall*), Junior Church (*Minor Hall*)

5:30pm **Christianity Explored Leaders** meet in Minor Hall (and from 7:15 to 8pm)

6pm **Christianity Explored Course** All Welcome (*Main Hall*). *Cup of tea 5:45*

Church Notices

1. **Suggestions for Prayer** for November are available today, please take one.
2. **Christianity Explored** course continues. Feel free to join with us for any evening you can. We have helpers who will take care of pre-school & primary school children for parents who want to come along, and there is a discussion group for young people. **Further details** from Rev Curry.
3. A meeting for all **PWA Mission Box collectors** will be held on Mon 6th Nov at 8pm in the Minor Hall. As the purpose of this meeting is to revise the collector lists it would be greatly appreciated if all collectors could attend.
4. The next **All age Church Event** will be a "**Board Game Challenge**" on Fri 17th Nov at 7.30pm. A leaflet (*purple*) giving details of other ACE events is available.
5. **Choir Practices** in preparation for the Carol Service will commence on Sun 19th Nov at 2.30pm in the Church.
6. Anyone wishing to order a **Reachout Desk / Wall calendar** please put their name on the sheets provided in the vestibule and at the Link door, or contact Pamela Evans 02879 469 322. Price £2.30 each.
7. If anyone would like to volunteer for **flower delivery** during the month of December, please add your name to the rota in the vestibule. The **new Rota** for 2007 for flowers and delivery is also in the vestibule, if you would like to provide flowers please put your name against the appropriate date. The church flowers are delivered weekly to those who are ill, bereaved, etc.
8. The **Mission Awareness Group** are holding their annual **Clothes Collection** at the end of Nov. All good quality clothing will be gratefully received. Knitting patterns are now available for the woolly hats, these can be collected from the Vestibule table.
9. Anyone who would like to be a **Prayer Partner** with one of the Sunday school children please put your names on the sheets available on the tables.
10. **PWA Christmas Dinner** - Will be held on Fri 1st Dec in the Otter Lodge. Price £16.95. Anyone wishing to go please give names and money to Maisie Smyth or Edna Stewart before 19th Nov. All Ladies welcome.

Other Notices

1. **Magherafelt Boys Brigade** (Union Rd, Halls) Anchor Boys (p1-p4) Wed 6-7, Juniors (P5-P7) Fri 6:30-8, Company (1st year up) Wed 7:30-9:30.
2. **Care for the Family Special Event** called **Love Work, Live Life!** On Wed 22nd Nov at 7.30pm in Ballymena. Tickets £6. David Oliver 'Challenges the myths surrounding our working lives, uncovering how our occupations are just as much a ministry to those around as anything else.' Anyone interested in going contact Anne Crossett. For more info: www.careforthefamily.org.uk/ni.

Suggestions for Prayer (edited Prayerline - www.presbyterianireland.org)

SPAIN Derek and Jane French share the following points for prayer –

Pray for the leadership in GBU. There has been a change in leadership recently. Please pray for the Executive Committee and all those involved in this transition, it is a sensitive situation. Pray for wisdom in the changes that are ahead as a result of the recent leadership decision that was made.

Continue to pray for Inma, a Spanish girl who is very interested in Christianity. Derek and Jane plan to give her a Christian book to read coming up to Christmas time. Pray that God would continue to work in her heart and bring her to faith.

Derek and Jane are hoping to adopt a child from China though it looks as though it will not be happening this year. Pray that it be possible for it to go ahead in January or February and that there would be no further delays. Praise God for the opportunity the adoption is giving Derek and Jane to get to know other families who will be traveling with them. They are meeting with one couple, Paloma and Lluís, next week; pray that God would give Derek and Jane opportunities to share the gospel with them.

BMI - Drogheda

Billy Patterson Irish Mission Worker in Drogheda has night hotel Bible study.



requested prayer for the Wednesday

Last Wednesday night when Billy went to the hotel he was informed that the meeting had been cancelled. Someone had telephoned the hotel and cancelled the meeting. Fortunately the room was still available and the Bible study was held with the largest attendance this year.

Billy asks that we would pray for the bible study especially as there appears to be opposition. He also asks us to pray for James who attended last Wednesday for the first time. He said that his life had hit rock bottom and that he was never more afraid than when he walked up the steps to attend the Bible study. Billy met with James on Thursday. Do pray that James will be converted.

Rotas (Please speak to those who arrange rotas if there are any changes).

Welcoming Committee (Rota by Jr. Todd).

November – R McKeown, T Johnston, H McKay, T Gregg, A Hogg, JF Hogg & W McGinnis.

Crèche (For Pre School children) (Rota by Janet Gregg).

Nov 12th – Jacqueline Currie, Helen Currie & Dorothy Hunter.

Junior Church (For Primary School Children) (Rota by Anne Crossett).

November – Rosemary Finlay, Jacqueline Currie & Helen Currie.

Flowers Nov 12th – Rosemary Kerr Delivery – Maisie Smyth

Projection (Rota by Wesley Currie). Nov 12th – Laura Crossett.

Parent & Toddlers (Rota by Maisie Smyth).

Nov 8th – Sadie Todd, Maisie Smyth, Nan Gregg & Cheryl Hughes.

Nov 15th – Rona McRoberts, Emmie McMaster, Thelma Cummings & Ann Brown.

Youth @ First Nov 11th – V Stewart (Epilogue), J Evans, R Evans & R Campbell.

Opening Praise Nov 12th – Jackie Smyth Nov 19th – Hugh Stewart.

Sound Desk Nov 12th – Richard McKeown Nov 19th – Billy Smyth.

Announcements to be with Rev Curry or Church Office by 12noon on Thursday each week.

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