

## Morning Order of Service – 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 2006 @ 11 am

Our service today includes the sacrament of communion

### Welcome and Announcements

### Preparation for The Word

#### Call to Worship

**PRAISE** "Lead us heavenly father lead us" (Hymn 90)

#### Prayer

### Proclamation Of The Word

**Reading** Isaiah 53 (Page 689)

**Children's Address** (Rev Curry)

**PRAISE** "I was lost but Jesus..." (Junior Church Leaves)

**Sermon** (Rev Ivor Smith)

**PRAISE** "What kind of love is this" (MP 750)

*I was lost but Jesus found me  
Found the sheep that went astray  
Threw His loving arms around me  
Drew me back into his way.  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah  
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### Sacrament of 'The Lord's Table'

#### Reception of New Communicants

#### Invitation to the Table

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

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

#### The Sacrament

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

#### Benediction

### Today@first

10am **Sunday School and Bible Class**

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

11am **Morning Worship** Communion - Speaker – Rev Ivor Smith  
(Crèche - pre school (Minor Hall), Junior Church – primary (Main Hall)).  
**Choir Practice in preparation for Harvest**

2.30pm Choir Practice

3.15pm Worship Group

6pm **Evening Service** (Minor Hall) Speaker - Rev Jonathan Curry.

7.15-8.30pm **Youth Fellowship**. In the Graham room for age 11+ years.

## [Monday 11<sup>th</sup>](#)

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

8:30pm **Soul Mates** (A Ladies walking group over the summer time). If you would like to meet up for a walk and a chat come along and join in. Meet in the church car park, further details from Judith Evans.

## [Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>](#)

9-9.30am **School Assembly** (MPS) Helpers required for supervision of children. If you can volunteer please contact Rev. Curry.

7:30pm **Finance and Strategy** meeting at 7:30 in Graham Room. Congregational Committee meet on 26<sup>th</sup> Sept at 7:30.

9pm **Kirk session Prayer time** in Minister's room.

## [Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>](#)

10am **Parent and Toddlers resumes.** All parents and carers with preschool children very welcome. We look forward to working with our committed band of helpers. Any new volunteer helpers are 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

7.30-9.30pm **Boys Brigade – Company Section** Age 11+ years

## [Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>](#)

8pm **MIDWEEK** – Prayer Triplets re-launch at 8pm (Minor Hall) All interested in being involved with praying with two or three others please come along. Registration cards for prayer triplets available today on the tables. When you register your triplet we can keep you up to date with any prayer needs.

## [Friday 15<sup>th</sup>](#)

6.30-8pm **Boys Brigade – Junior Section** P5-P7

## [Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>](#)

7-8pm **J Team (Jr YOUTH@First)** meeting fortnightly 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) Further details from Heather Palmer or Judith Evans.

## [Next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Sept 2006](#)

10am **Sunday School and Bible Class**

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

11am **Morning Worship** Mission Focus - Speaker – Dr Maureen Stevenson (Crèche - pre school (*Minor Hall*), Junior Church – primary (*Main Hall*)).

6pm **Evening Service** (*Minor Hall*) Speaker - Rev Jonathan Curry.

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## Evening Service @ 6pm (Minor Hall)

Led by Rev Curry

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**PRAISE** (MP447 Lord you are, MP 825 Faithful one, MP 582 Rock of ages)

### Prayer

**PRAISE** How deep the fathers love (MP 988)

**Reading** 2 Corinthians 4v1-6

**PRAISE** Lord the light of your love is shining (MP 445)

### SERMON

**PRAISE** Ye servants of God (MP 784)

### Benediction

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### Church Notices

1. **Rev Ivor Smith** who for many years has been minister of Orritor and Claggan has agreed to come and help in our congregation with some pastoral visitation. Initially he will visit for one afternoon a week and will also preach occasionally.
2. **Suggestions for prayer for Sept** are available.
3. This Autumn we will be running the **Christianity Explored** course on Sunday evenings 6-7pm starting on 15<sup>th</sup> October. This course has run very effectively in many congregations throughout the UK and covers the Gospel of Mark. It looks at who Jesus is, why He came and what He calls us to do. The format will be a cup of tea, discussion groups and a Talk. It is open to all who are interested in exploring what Christianity is really about. You can ask any questions you want or simply come and listen. **Further details** are on the invitation cards. Please put your name on the 'sign up' sheet if you are interested in coming along. We hope to have helpers who will take care of pre-school & primary school children, and a discussion group specifically for young people. If you would be willing to help in any way take one of the "**Helpers**" leaflets.
4. **Irish Alliance of Christian Workers' Union** is holding a Regional Conference on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm, in Maghera Presbyterian Church Hall. Speaker Rev. Canon Fred Riley. Singer Mr Billy Brown.
5. **'The Desert Place'** Ladies Day, is on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September, 10am - 12.45pm, in Garden Street Hall, Union Road Presbyterian Church. Speaker Marion Reid.
6. **Open Night of PWA is on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September.** Theme: Use your Talents. Ladies from the group are taking part. All ladies welcome.
7. **A Christianity Explored information and preparation evening** will be held on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 8pm in the Minor Hall. If you are willing to help with the course in any way please come along.
8. **Gospel Concert** – Friday night 22<sup>nd</sup> September in the church hall. Artists taking part include Victor Gregg compere and gospel singer, Kenny Archer gospel singer and yodeller, and Macosquin Presbyterian church orchestra and choir. Proceeds will be in aid of church building fund. *Tickets (£6) available from Frances Gillespie, Bobby McKeown and Iris Hamilton.*
9. **'A Blaze 4 Christ' Coffee Bar** – Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September, 7.15pm-8.30pm, in the Graham room. Guest speakers will be attending and visiting youth fellowships. All youth will be very welcome.
10. **As a Joint outreach with Union Road Presbyterian Church we will be hosting weekly English language classes** for migrant workers in the Minor Hall / Graham Room starting on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. Keith Preston (Irish Mission) and José Carlos Lara (Latin Link) will be teaching the classes, however, we need 3-4 people to help with welcoming and practical matters. If anyone would be willing to help please speak to Rev Curry as soon as possible.

### Other Notices

1. **Royal British Legion** Magherafelt Lay up and Dedication of Standard in St Swithins Parish Church today 10<sup>th</sup> Sept. Service at 3.30 pm. Youth organisations in attendance. Parade of Town on completion of Service will be led by Band of Royal Irish Regiment and Aughagaskin Flute Band.

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

**Welcoming Committee** (Rota by Jr. Todd).

Sept – I Brown, W Currie, J Dawson, A Crossett, C Currie, H Stewart, D Steele.

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

September 10<sup>th</sup> – Esther Brown, Audrey Steele & Victoria Steele.

September 17<sup>th</sup> – Heather & Paula Palmer.

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

September - Rosemary Caskey, Hester Clarke & Ruth Hunter.

**Flowers** Sept 10<sup>th</sup> E Brown **Delivery:** Edith Johnston.

Sept 17<sup>th</sup> E McMaster **Delivery:** Edith Johnston.

**Projection** (Rota by Wesley Currie). 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Sept Wesley & David Currie.

**Sound Desk** (Rota by Jackie Smyth). 10<sup>th</sup> G Duncan, 17<sup>th</sup> R McKeown.

**Parent & Toddlers** (Rota by Lorna Curry). 13<sup>th</sup> Sept D Meharg, N Currie & E Ferson.

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