



FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PW SERVICE : SUNDAY 17th November 2019



Welcome to the PW service this morning and a special welcome to guest speaker, **Mrs Eileen Black**, Deaconess in Great Victoria Street Church and Friendship House. Thanks to members of PW for planning and participating in the service this morning.

* **Members of the Buildings Maintenance Sub-Committee** are requested to wait after service today Sunday 17 November for a short meeting to discuss tendering arrangements for the Disabled Access Ramp.



Car Park closed all day tomorrow Monday 18 November for maintenance. NO PARKING AT ANY TIME TOMORROW PLEASE



Coffee Stop Wednesday 20th November 10.30am. Come along and have a chat over a cup of tea/coffee. Bring your friends.

Congregational Committee Meeting ~ Wednesday 20th Nov 7.30pm.



Week 6 ~ Fire from Heaven
Thurs November 21st at 7.30pm
with a morning session in **Audrey's house at 10.30am** on the same day.

Omagh Presbytery Elders' Fellowship Mon 18 Nov 8pm
Aughnacloy Presbyterian Church
Fields of Life speaking on their work in East Africa.



Sunday Lunch will be next Sunday 24th November. Anyone who wishes to go should please put their name on the sheet in the porches today.



Bottles of water are available in the vestibules. These are provided for those who may feel like coughing. Feel free to take one at any time, even during the sermon.



Prayer Chain ~ Contact Isobel: 07789 424606 if you have a confidential request for yourself or for someone else. (with their permission)

Weekly Prayer Topics:

World ~ Malawi. Volker and JinHyeog Glissmann. Volker continues working for TEEM (Theological Education by Extension in Malawi). Pray for the ongoing revision of TEEM's 'Knowing God' course, which they hope will be completed by the end of November. Pray too for the Glissmann family, for good health and safety, especially on the roads in Malawi.

Church ~ Donabate Presbyterian Church – Rev Andy Carroll. Pray for those who have come to faith in Jesus Christ over the past year to grow in their discipleship. Thank God for five midweek home groups that are giving opportunities for the church family to grow in faith and love. Give thanks to God for those who have been involved in a monthly service in Balbriggan. Pray for wisdom as connections are cultivated and as they seek to share the hope of Jesus.

Congregation ~ Kirk Session. Give thanks for the members of Kirk Session as they provide leadership and pastoral care to the congregation. Pray that relationships will continue to build and develop with families and their district elders and that the sub committees of Discipleship, Worship, Fellowship and Mission would provide opportunities for congregational members to grow in faith and fellowship and in their Christian service and witness in the church and in the local community.

Community ~ Pray for all year 7 pupils and their parents during this stressful month of AQE examinations. Pray that each child, undertaking the tests, will achieve their best results and that all year 7 pupils will know that they are loved and valued and enjoy their final year of Primary School education.

CLOTHES COLLECTION FUNDRAISER

CONTACT EDWIN JOHNSTON (079 2001 6573) OR BASIL VIRTUE (077 1009 3564) IF YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS TO DONATE

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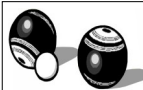
Craft Class ~ Monday 18th November at 7.30pm. New members very welcome.



Senior Badminton Monday 18th November at 8.00pm.
Ladies - Tues 19th Nov 10.00am.



Boys' Brigade
Tues 19th Nov
From 6.30pm.



Bowls Wed 20th Nov
7.30pm in Rowan Hall.
New members welcome.



Toddle Along
Thurs 21st Nov
10.30am - 12noon.



Fused Youth Fellowship will meet next **Sunday 24 Nov at 7pm.**
Young people Y8-11. For further info contact Emma Fleming via
Tel: 07378 721312.



TAKING CARE

Taking Care Refresher Training is being facilitated in First Omagh Presbyterian Church on Wed 27th November at 7.30 – 9.30 pm. All those who are involved leading or assisting with groups for children of all ages must attend this training every 3 years. If you have recently attended Foundation Training you do not need to attend this. As PCI have a maximum number that can be facilitated, and this event is not solely for First Omagh, can you please let Julie Boyle (07514 225853) or Janice Vance (07702 747938) know if you can attend.

FOLA are holding a Craft, Cakes and Second Hand Sale on Sat 7th Dec from 10am to 5pm at 25 High Street Omagh.



95 pairs of Shoes and Sandals were donated by First Omagh ladies. Rev Ronnie McCracken will distribute these to the Portuguese gypsy ladies. Well done.

Come and join us for



messychurch.org.uk

at First Omagh Presbyterian
Dublin Road : 4 - 6pm
Saturday 7th December

(children must be accompanied by an adult)

For more info or to book your place contact
Emma 07378 721312 or emma@firstomagh.com

fun - food - games - stories - craft - celebration

for all the family - an opportunity for people of all ages to worship together

A Saturday afternoon when you don't have to get the tea ready!

Instead everyone gets together to enjoy crafts, learning about God who loves us and enjoying a meal together.

Messy Church provides an opportunity for people of all ages to worship together, to be creative and to have fun. We want to share the love of God in a way that's as accessible as possible to families

A typical Messy Church has • craft and activity time • celebration time with Bible stories and songs • food to finish

First Omagh Presbyterian Church
Reflection on Loss Service
Sunday 8 December 2019 4.00pm

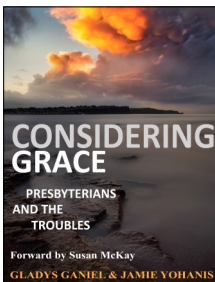
A personal invitation to all who feel a sense of loss at Christmas time.

Rev Jane Nelson and the
Worship Sub - Committee

He heals the broken hearted. Psalm 147:3



Evening Praise Service ~ Tempo Presbyterian Church tonight Sunday 17th Nov at 7:30pm. Praise led by Committed Band with special speaker Tom Marshall speaking about his testimony **'From prison to pulpit'**. Everyone welcome.



Considering Grace. Presbyterians and the Troubles. This new book records the deeply moving stories of 120 ordinary people's experiences of the Troubles, exploring how faith shaped their responses to violence and its aftermath. The book will be launched at the following venues: • The Palace, Armagh on Thursday 21 Nov at 6pm. • The Bridge Centre, Enniskillen Presbyterian Church on Wed 27 Nov at 6pm. To book a place at one of the launch events please contact: **dcsecretary@presbyterianireland.org** or

phone 028 9041 7204. The book can be purchased on the PCI website: www.presbyterianireland.org/consideringgrace

Kenya Appeal Charity (supporting the work at Bustani Primary School, Kenya)
Celebrate Christmas at Noel's. 72 Retreat Hts, Omagh, BT79 0HH. Entry by donation.
All rooms fully decorated (over 50 Christmas trees; all to be sold at reasonable prices.)
Thurs 21 5pm - 9pm. Fri 22 5pm - 9pm. Sat 23 10am - 9pm. Sun 24 10am - 9pm. Mon 25 5pm - 9pm