



FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday 19th January 2020



Welcome to our worship service this morning . This morning our service will be based on Proximity: Life in God 's Story Part Two/ MADE. " So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. " Genesis 1:27. There is an accompanying booklet for private study and one to one conversations with a friend. Copies are available in the front porch just put £2 in the honesty box to cover costs. Contact Jane if there are no copies left.

The Bereavement Journey This is a six week course for anyone who has been bereaved and who would appreciate the opportunity to meet and chat with others on a similar journey. It will involve a small group of 4 or 5 people meeting with Jane to watch a DVD and have a short time of sharing and discussion followed by cup of tea. If you would be interested in attending a course please put your name on the list in the vestibule or speak to Jane directly. A suitable day and time will be agreed with the participants.

Presbytery Elder 's Dinner for elders and spouses will be held in Mountjoy Presbyterian Church Hall on Friday 7th Feb at 7:30pm. Elders should book their place/s with Audrey Hodge by Sunday 2nd Feb. The cost of the meal is £12pp payable on the night. A speaker from the Christian Institute will share about their work following the meal.

Sunday 26th January Our Sunday Lunch Bunch for anyone living alone is on Sun 26th Jan, please put your name on the list in the vestibule.



Presbytery Elders Conference Sat 25th January 9:30am - 1pm in First Omagh Rowan Hall. Speaker Dr Patrick Mitchel of Irish Bible Institute and his theme will be " The Message of Love " .

Children 's Ministry - Children will leave church after the children 's hymn to go the relevant ministry group

| Children 's Ministry | Venue | Leaders |
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| TOTS under 5 's (u3 's accompanied by an adult) | Committee Room | Rhonda Harper and Rachel Pattison |
| JIGSAW (year 1 - year 7) | Rowan Hall | Isobel Bell, Flo Harper, Adele Ewing, Emma Alcorn, Chelsea Elliott and Carl Logan. |
| BLAST (year 8 - year 11) | Youth Room | William Swann and Ruth Swann |

CLOTHES COLLECTION FUNDRAISER

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

CD RECORDINGS OF RECENT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE ON THE TABLE IN THE FRONT VESTIBULE

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

Toddle Along ~ All babies, toddlers and their parents, carers and guardians are invited to come along to First Omagh for play, chat, toys, crafts, songs and snacks. Every Thursday at 10.30am.



Mon 20th ~ **Craft Class** 7.30pm. / **Aerobics** 7.00pm. / **Senior Badminton** 8.00pm.

Tues 21st~ **Ladies Badminton** 10.00am. / **Boys Brigade** Normal times.

Wed 22nd ~ **Bowls** 7.30pm.

Thurs 23rd ~ **Toddle Along** 10.30am.

SLIM4SPRING Jane and Emma have decided to Slim for Spring and in an effort to keep them accountable they have decided to go public and in the process raise funds for Embangweni in Malawi. They will reveal their total combined weight loss in pounds on Easter Sunday morning so if you would like to sponsor them 1lb for £, or even penny for ounce, then let them know. Please also encourage them along the way by not offering them cake or biscuits when they are out and about!

Weekly Prayer Topics:

The World Hungarian Reformed Church in Hungary, Romania and Ukraine Pray for wisdom and guidance for the leadership of each church and for the training of new ministers and leaders. Pray too that many more people in these countries will come to faith in Christ.

The Church The Union Theological College Review Task Group. Give thanks for the willingness of the members who serve on the task group, and pray for them as they meet on 27th January that they will be able to bring definite and positive proposals for the future to the Management Committee and ultimately to the wider church.

The Congregation Give thanks for the continuing good numbers at Toddle Along each Thursday morning and pray for Emma and her team of volunteers as they build relationships and support those caring for young children in our wider community.

The Community In this week of Prayer for Christian Unity give thanks for the various congregations and fellowships who meet in Christ's name in our local community. Pray for leaders and members as they seek to grow in faith and service and as they bear witness to the love of Christ within their congregations and throughout the local community.



FUSED YF is starting back on Sunday 26th January from 7-8.30pm in Youth Room - All young people Year 8 - Year 11 and friends welcome!

Omagh and Fintona Methodist Circuit PRESENTS

GOSPEL FEST Saturday 29th February 2020 Strule Arts Centre, Omagh At 7.30pm

GOES WEST

JENN BOSTIC (NASHVILLE) International Christian Music Singer/Songwriter

LIVE ISSUE

LAURA DOWEY

PAUL SILCOCK

KATIE MCGOWN

All proceeds in aid of **METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY (Ireland)**

Admission £12 - Ticket only
 Tickets available from Strule Arts Centre
 Box Office 82247831 www.struleartscentre.co.uk
 or from members of Omagh and Fintona Methodist Circuit

Find us on Facebook
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Ecumenical Worship Service Omagh Churches' Forum warmly invite you to join in a celebration of Christian Unity Week in St. Patrick's Church, Drumquin on Sunday 19th January 2020 @ 3.30pm. Refreshments served after service.