

## FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH **Sunday 9th January 2022**



Fleeing from the Lord Scripture Passage Jonah Chapter 1.

Thanks to John for the music, Arthur for the scripture reading and Nev, Peter and Audrey for their technical assistance.

*umns*: 187 How great thou art. 241 The Lord is King!

You are warmly invited to join us for worship in First Omagh Church. The usual Covid mitigations will be in place i.e. track and trace; 1m social distancing; hand sanitisers and one way system.

# Face Coverings MUST now be worn throughout the service \* and when entering and exiting the building unless exempt. \* Please observe social distancing when leaving Church.



Seats will be allocated in church on a first come first served basis and an overflow will be available in the Hall should it be needed.

Please do not come out to church if you, or anyone in your household are experiencing COVID 19 symptoms or been asked to self-isolate.

The service will also be livestreamed on www.firstomagh.com and on

YouTube https://youtu.be/q-PyhRG4g8g for those joining in from home and will also be available to listen to on our sermon line 028 2502 2512 later on Sunday evening.

**JIGSAW** and **BLAST** will not meet for the next two weeks. Families are welcome to attend church together or join in the service from home.



# **52 Bible Reading Plan**

6 days per week. Everyone NORTHERN IRELAND can choose their own Rest Day



- · What does this passage say about God?
- What does this passage say about you?
- · Which verse stands out to you most and why?

# 52: Week 2/52 **Read Genesis 2**





Plant some seeds and begin to tend to them.

Choose a time this week to switch off all your devices. and rest in God's presence.

# Read

Genesis 2:1-3 Day 3 Genesis 2:8-14

**Rest Day** 

Day 4 Genesis 2:18-20 Day 6 Genesis 2:4-7 Genesis 2:15-17

Genesis 2:21-25

Why not go deeper and discover how the whole of Scripture comes and works together by also reading: Exodus 20:8-11, Matthew 11:27-31 and Hebrews 10:24-25.

Day 2

Join First Omagh Bible Reading Challenge FB group for further information and encouragement.

### **Pray**



Father God, thank you for your example of rest. Teach me that rest is not wrong; but for my good and your glory. Help me make time this week to settle my heart and fix my eyes on you. Speak to me, refresh me, fill me with your Spirit that I might live and work for you with all my heart, soul, mind and strength. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

### **CLOTHES COLLECTION FUNDRAISER**

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

Minister ~ Rev. Jane Nelson T: 8224 2239 • E: jane.nelson5@btinternet.com Pastoral Care: If you or your family have any

pastoral care needs please contact Rev. Nelson.

Day 5

Day 7

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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).

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Contact us on wheelchairvolunteer@redcross.org.uk or call us on 03000 040309.

Clothes for Malawi - If you are doing a clear out and have old clothes, shoes, handbags, bed linen, that you would like to donate to our Embangweni, Malawi fund Clothes for Cash Appeal then please contact Edwin Johnston: 07920 016573 to arrange a drop off time.



**Thank You Letters**: The NSPCC and Reach Food NORTHERNIRELAND Bank have written to thank the congregation for their generosity in donating toys and food hampers at Christmas.



Mission Africa - January Collection - Over a century ago, one man obeyed God's call to serve Him in West Africa. Many others followed him and today millions of lives have been changed in Africa – all because one man said 'Yes' to God!

Donations to Mission Africa can be made this month using the envelope in the FWO packs. For more info on Mission Africa see https://www.missionafrica.org.uk/about

**Church Organisations** - There will be no weekly organisations meeting in the church halls for the next two weeks. This is due to the current high level of Covid cases in the area. The situation will be reviewed again in a fortnight.