



# FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## Sunday 5th June 2022



**Jubilee Thanks** - Grateful thanks to all involved in planning and preparing for our **Jubilee All Age Service**. Special thanks to the small organising committee consisting of Adele Ewing, Audrey Hodge, David Swann, Ivy Turner, Keith Allison and Linda Ellis.

Welcome to our Sunday morning worship service. **The service will also be livestreamed on [www.firstomagh.com](http://www.firstomagh.com) and <https://youtu.be/CnL4afbOEGE>** 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.

**COVID MITIGATIONS** : Please make use of hand sanitisers on entering and exiting the building and be mindful of maintaining a social distance from others. The offering will continue to be a retiring offering for the time being. Please do not attend church, or church based activities, if you have Covid-like symptoms or been told to self-isolate but join with us on the livestream or sermon line instead.

**Children's Ministry** - **JIGSAW** and **BLAST** are now finished for this church year and will resume in September. The **TOTS** crèche facility in the Committee Room will remain available for young families to use during the summer months.

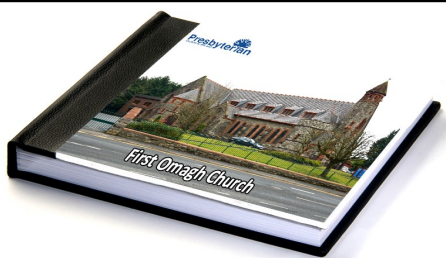


**Jubilee Indoor Picnic** - Today's service will be followed by an indoor picnic in the Rowan Hall for those who have already booked.

**Ministerial absence** - Jane will be self-isolating, once again, from Monday 6th June with surgery re-scheduled for Thursday the 9th June DV. She will then be off for a period of post-operative recovery and Rev Robert Herron will provide urgent pastoral care from Mon 6th June right through until the end of July. His telephone number is 028 8224 3776.

**Services in July and August** - This year we will revert to our normal pattern during the summer with First Omagh congregation joining with Trinity congregation for the month of July and Trinity congregation joining with us for the month of August.

**Advance notice of General Assembly** - This year the General Assembly will meet from Wed 22nd June to Sat 25th June inclusive. Opening Night will be on the Wednesday evening and a Celebration evening will take place on the Thursday night. For further information see <https://www.presbyterianireland.org/Events.aspx>



Our Clerk of Session Audrey Hodge is putting together a booklet focussing on the past 25 years in the life of the congregation. It's her intention to make this mainly photographs and not a lot of text so she would be grateful for any photographs which any member of the congregation has covering events since, and including, the centenary celebrations. She cannot guarantee how many may be included and hard copies are acceptable. It would be helpful if these were given to her by mid June as she hopes to have the booklet ready for September.

**Minister** ~ Rev. Jane Nelson  
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**PRAYER CHAIN** Prayer Chain - Contact Isobel: 07789 424606 if you have a confidential request for yourself or for someone else. (with their permission).

**Clothes for Malawi** - Shoes, handbags, bed linen, Embangweni, Malawi fund. Contact : Edwin Johnston: 07920 016573 to arrange a drop off time.



**Badminton** - Now finished. Will re-start in September.



**Walking Group** - Tuesday 7th. 7.00pm. Meet in Church car park.

If you would like a printed copy of the workbook for the 52 Resource, from Bible Society N.I., cost £15 + p&p go to <https://biblesocietyni.co.uk/resources/52-2/> or contact Andrew on 028 9032 6577.

## Weekly Bible Reading Plan

**52 : Week 23/52**  
**Read Isaiah 9**



### Read



Day 1	Isaiah 9:1-3	Day 5	Isaiah 9:18-19
Day 2	Isaiah 9:4-7	Day 6	Isaiah 9: 20-21
Day 3	Isaiah 9:8-12	Day 7	Rest Day
Day 4	Isaiah 9:13-17		

Join First Omagh Bible Reading Challenge FB Group for future information and encouragement

Why not go deeper and discover how the whole of Scripture comes and works together by also reading: Isaiah 61:1-4, Psalm 2, John 3:16-21



The 12th July is to be held in Omagh this year and as in 2014 First Omagh Catering Group have agreed once again to supply Salad lunches for the Lodges. This is a mammoth task and will need the support of all the Congregation as was the case in 2014. First of all Ivy Turner would like to have names of volunteers who would be willing to help on Monday 11th July for the preparation of food and on Tuesday 12th July for serving and clearing up. A list for food donations will follow later when numbers are known. **Contact: Ivy Turner - Mobile No: 07801 794806. Land line: 82 244279. e-mail: ivy.turner@btinternet.com**

### Pulpit supply in June

12th June - Emma Fleming  
19th June - Audrey Hodge  
26th June - Jeffrey Reid

July services will be in Trinity Presbyterian Church. August services in First Omagh.

### Save the Dates

16th - 18th September  
**125th Anniversary Weekend**

Friday 16th September  
**Congregational meal in the Church Hall.**

Sunday 18th September  
**125th Anniversary Thanksgiving Service.**  
Guest Speaker the future Moderator - Rev John Kirkpatrick.

## Toddle Along Fun Time



First Omagh

We would like to invite you along for an opportunity to come together with other toddler families from First Omagh. We have missed meeting and seeing all our young people over the past couple of years.

### About:

An opportunity for parents and toddlers to come along and meet others for:

- Fun
- Food
- Friendship

### Where & When:

- ✓ FIRST OMAGH CHURCH HALL
- ✓ SUNDAY 12TH JUNE
- ✓ 3.00-4.30PM

(siblings welcome to come along)

### RSVP:

-Numbers &  
Dietary requirements/allergies to  
Dorothy: 07912369889

