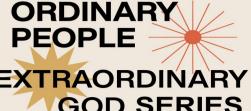


FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday 17th September 2023





The Orphan Queen.

Bible Reading - Esther 4:1-11 & Esther 4: 12-17

EXTRAORDINARY Tots, and Jigsaw will meet today Sunday 17th Sept. Blast GOD SERIES meets the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. N.B. TOTS

aged 0-5 will have 2 adult helpers each week, U3's to be accompanied by an adult.

Minister's leave: Jane will be back from leave on Thurs 21st Oct. Until then Rev Robert Herron will cover urgent pastoral care. His telephone number is 028 8224 3776

Our service will be taken today Sunday 17th September by: Miss Emma Fleming.



The service will be live streamed on: https://youtube.com/ live/0c7OwwssA40 for those joining in from home.

NEXT WEEKEND FRIDAY 22ND SEP 7:30PM

MOTORSPORT AND FAITH AN EVENING WITH

ALAN JARDINE

SUNDAY 24TH SEP 11:30AM **NAVIGATING GOD'S WORD TOGETHER**

SUNDAY 24TH SEP 12:30-3PM **ALL AGE LUNCH AND** WALKING TREASURE HUNT OF OMAGH'S FAITH SPACES

JOURNEY THROUGH GALATIANS **EXPLORING FAITH TOGETHER EVERY THURS** 10:30AM & 7:30PM

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FIRST OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AVIGATING

A WEEKEND EXPLORING HOW WE NAVIGATE LIFF'S INJIRNEY OF FAITH TOGETHER

EVERYONE WELCOME

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Change of Minister's Email Address Please note Jane's email address is now inelson@presbyterianireland.org as the BT email account no longer works.



Hospital Admission. Please contact Jane if a member of the congregation is admitted to hospital and would like a pastoral visit.

Death: Mrs Eileen Lynn died on the 9th Sept and her funeral service took place in First Omagh Church on Mon 11th Sept. Please remember her children John, Gary, Gail, Colleen, Ian and Julie and the wider family circle in your prayers at this sad time.



Omagh Churches Forum are holding a "CHURCHES TOGETHER" WALK Tues 19th Sept at 7pm as part of Good Relations

Week. The walk will begin at Trinity Presbyterian Church, move to Columba's Church of Ireland, then to Sacred Heart Catholic Church before finishing at Omagh Methodist Church for refreshments. Everyone welcome and feel free to invite a friend.

evangelical alliance together making Jesus known



TIME TO TALK - Resource: Better conversations about Relationship and Sex Education, a guide for parents and carers.

Dungannon: Drumglass C.O.I., BT71 6AB: Thurs 28 Sept at 8pm.

Minister ~ Rev. Jane Nelson T: 8224 2239 Mob: 07789 208819

Clerk of Session ~ Audrey Hodge • T: 8224 4771 • E: audreymhodge@hotmail.com Congregational Secretary ~ Arthur Rainey • T: 8224 2844 • E: sarainey8@aol.com E: jnelson@presbyterianireland.org | Announcements ~ Godfrey Crawford • T: 07831 697430 • E: godfrey.crawford@btinternet.com Prayer Chain - Contact Isobel: 07789 424606 if you have a confidential request for yourself or 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.





First Omagh Boys Brigade meets onTuesday nights in First Omagh Church Hall.

Anchor Boys: (Year 1 to Year 4) 6.45 - 7.45pm

Junior and Company sections: (Year 5 and above) 7.00 - 8.30pm

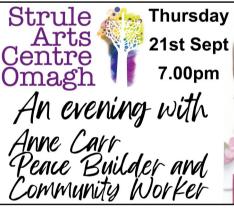
For more information contact: Captain Andy 07818 851710 or Joanne 07809 105288 (Anchor Boys)

New Season begins on Tuesday 19th September 2023



SUNDAY LUNCH BUNCH - I am appealing for volunteers to help prepare and cook Sunday lunch. As part of the **NAVIGATING FAITH** weekend there is a family lunch for everyone on last Sunday in September (24th), so the first **Sunday Lunch Bunch** will hopefully meet last Sunday in

October (29th). If we have enough volunteers we may manage to have a Sunday lunch through to May. Please contact **Margaret Cummings 07428 157236** or put your name on the volunteer sheet in the vestibule. This is something which is very much appreciated by those who attend.







Craft group will commence **Monday 18th Sept**: 2.30pm - 4.00pm. Anyone interested in an afternoon of hobby activities / cup of tea and a chat please come along, you will be very welcome.

Ladies Badminton will commence on **Tuesday 19th Sept** at 10.30am.

TODDLE ALONG Thursday 21st Sept 10.30-12noon.



Mountfield Ulster Scots sponsored walk & breakfast. Starting from Mountfield Orange Hall. Saturday 23rd September 2023. Breakfast from 9am. All proceeds will be going to Care for Cancer in memory of our late friend Rodney Cunningham.

Breakfast will be followed by an informative talk on care for cancer.

"Runners, Pets, Prams all Welcome" Contact 07799777846 for more details **Organ Donation Week- 18th to 24th Sept 2023.** Organ Donation Week is a time dedicated to remembering and giving thanks to people who have enabled the "Gift of Life" to others by donating organs to those in need of life saving transplants. This week is an opportunity to raise awareness of organ donation. Have a conversation with your family, share your decision, register your decision. You Could Be A Life Saver. Further information: www.organdonationni.info



HARVEST DONATIONS - If anyone would like to donate anything towards the harvest just leave it into the church on Friday 6th or Saturday 7th October in the

morning. Fruit/vegetables flowers or homemade jam etc.



Walking Group. Tuesday night walks have now finished for this season. I propose to run a day walk on Sat Oct 28th. More details will follow. Put the date in your diary. Contact: Godfrey.

NAVIGATING FAITH WEEKEND





After B B Followed by a pudding

Sunday 24th Sept - Rowan Hall



Free Admission





Alan Jardine

Followed by a Walking Treasure Hunt around Omagh's Faith Spaces.

Approximately 90 minutes. A short Table Quiz will be held in the Rowan Hall if weather is not suitable for Treasure Hunt.

To facilitate catering requirements please put your name on the sheets in vestibules or let Flo Harper 07748 618858 or Margaret Cummings 07428 157236 know if you can attend by Sun 17th. Please inform them if you have any special dietary requirements.