

Prayer points for this week

Sunday. *'Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost.'* [Isaiah 55:1] Ask God to help us freely find all we need in Him as we worship today. (Prayer for today, from the Moderator, in "Let's Pray")

Monday. Many schoolchildren & students across the Province are currently sitting exams in our schools, universities & colleges of further education. This can be a particularly stressful time for our young people. We pray for each & every one of them that they are given the opportunity to do their very best.

Tuesday. This evening the Kirk Session will meet when matters pertaining to the Church Vacancy will take priority. Continue to pray for the Lord's guidance regarding decisions that have to be made .

Wednesday. *'I have told you this, so that you might have peace in your hearts because of Me. While you are in the world, you will have to suffer. But cheer up! I have defeated the world.'* If there is anything happening around you that makes you feel anxious or afraid, note these things, & bring them to Jesus.

Thursday. Prayer: Loving God, who has richly provided for our needs, please encourage those of us in Your Church, who have enough, to share generously with people who do not. Many families & other households cannot cover basic living costs. Help us show Your love & care by helping, in Jesus name.

Friday. From "Let's Pray"- Pray for councillors who have been elected to serve on local councils in N.I., & for those in the Republic of Ireland who have one more year to serve before elections. Pray especially for those who will take up the role of Mayor or Chair for the coming year, that they would display good leadership & make a positive impact representing their local communities.

Saturday. Let us prepare our minds & hearts for worship tomorrow, coming to the Lord with joy & anticipation. Commit the service to Almighty God, praying that each worshipper will know His blessing, as Stephen Briggs (leads) & Martin Hampton brings to us God's Word. Praise the name of the Lord!

Church Bulletin 21st May 2023



Worship Service 21st May 2023

11.00 a.m.

Led by John Shivers

Prof Drew Gibson

7.00 p.m.

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Crèche is available in the Ballantine Hall

Welcome everyone to church today. If this is your first time with us or you are visiting you're especially welcome. Our service today is led by John Shivers Drew Gibson will share God's word

Monday 22nd May

Property Committee meet at 7.00p.m. in D D Boyle room

Tuesday 23rd May

"Craic'n'Coffee" 10.00 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in The Link

Kirk Session meeting @ 7.00 p.m.

Wednesday 25th May

Redcar Crafts @McQuiston at 10.00 a.m. in D D Boyle room
The group will continue to meet during the month of June

Thursday 25th May

Transformers meet at 6.30 p.m. Last meeting until September

Friday 26th May

Mums & Toddlers meet at 10.00 a.m. Last meeting until September

Please note Church Committee will not now meet until Tuesday 30th May at 7.30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY 11.00 a.m. Martin Hampton

THIS IS THE LAST BULLETIN UNTIL SEPTEMBER

Services June, July & August

4th June – Colin Burcombe (Stephen McCombe (evening)
(Communion)

11th June – Noble McNeely

18th June – Drew Gibson

25th June – Martin Hampton David McIlwrath (evening)

2nd July – Noble McNeely

9th July – Martin Hampton

16th July – Colin Burcombe

23rd July – Colin Burcombe

30th July – Drew Gibson

6th Aug - Colin Burcombe

13th Aug – Noble McNeely

20th Aug – Graham Connor

27th Aug - Graham Connor

No evening Services July & August

Wednesday 7th June

7.00 p.m. Prayer time followed by Discipleship Groups at 7.45p.m.

CHURCH HEATING

Please note that all heating in the church and halls is now off until September

LIBRARY

The Library is now up and running again in the Link. Feel free to browse through the books available and if you wish to borrow one or two to read please record your name and title of book/s taken on the sheet provided .