

Prayer points for this week

Sunday: As we come to worship this morning come expecting God to bless you, to speak to you and to do great things. Pray for Darren and Sarah-Jayne as they bring Molly for baptism. Pray that they will seek God's help in keeping the vows they make to Him today.

Monday: Pray that our Church would hold to the truth of the Gospel without compromise to modern culture. Perhaps there are specific areas where you are feeling pressure. Pray that you will firmly hold that what the bible says is right and wise.

Tuesday: Thank God that He has called us to be His people. We have been as children through Jesus Christ and have redemption through His blood, forgiveness of sins and the promised Holy Spirit guaranteeing our inheritance and access to the Father. Praise and thank God for each of these wonderful truths then pray that we will live a life worthy of this calling.

Wednesday: Pray for our minister Robert as he faces the many challenges that ministry brings. Ask God to give him the physical, mental and spiritual strength he needs to shepherd our Church family. Pray for fruitful discipleship as Christians grow in maturity and for fruitful evangelism as people repent and believe the Gospel.

Thursday: Pray for the work and witness of other Churches in and around the vicinity of McQuiston. Ask God to bless their work and pray that they would know His leading as they strive to bring the Good News of Jesus to those living in this area of East Belfast.

Friday: Bring the current situation in Belarus to the Lord in prayer. Pray for those migrants who are finding themselves stranded and freezing in Poland's forests with little or nothing to eat or drink. Pray for the relevant authorities that practical help will be given to those in need and ask God to bring a swift end to this crisis.

Saturday: Pray for those who will be leading our service tomorrow and for Robert as he brings God's message to us. Pray that everything we think, say and do will be pleasing to our Saviour Jesus and will bring glory and honour to His name.

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Worship Services Sunday 21st November 2021

11.00am

Robert Beggs

Revelation 20:11-21:8

"An end and a beginning"

Sacrament of Baptism

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Crèche is available in the Ballantine Hall

Welcome to church today. If you are a visitor or if this is your first time with us, it's great to have you share in our worship. Today especially, we welcome Darren and Sarah-Jayne's family and friends who have joined us for Molly's baptism.

Also in this service we conclude our series on God's big story as we consider the last things described by John in the Revelation.



Time for a catch up? Tea and coffee will be served after the service today. You can collect a cup in the Link and stay inside or if the weather is dry take it outside for a chat. Hope you can stay even for a few minutes.



Face coverings must still be worn while entering and exiting church premises, or when moving around, but once you are seated you can remove them. However, we will, for the time being, have to wear them while singing.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

With Covid 19 statistics and the number of infections again on the rise this is perhaps an appropriate moment to draw attention to the regulations governing worship services. Apart from the above which mentions the use of face coverings, family groups or individuals coming to worship should still be socially distanced by one metre from those who are nearest in the pew. Please bear this in mind when searching for a seat and please be guided by the stewards to a safe seat. For those who are able to cope with the stairs there are still sufficient seats available in the gallery. Thanks for your patience and understanding as we try to keep everyone safe.

PRAYER The church meets for prayer on Wednesday evening, in person in the DD Boyle Room at 7pm and then at 8:15 by Zoom. If you would like to join us by Zoom please email the church office and we will send you a link to join us. It would be great if you too joined us for this special ministry.

Coffee with Jesus – The discipleship group for women will meet on **Thursday 25th November @ 9.30 a.m.** in the Youth Room. We will be reading the book “**Compared to Her**” and discussing its implications for our lives. It will take us on a journey of securing our identity in Christ. You are more than welcome to join us and if interested please speak to Paula McKeown

Transformers meets on Thursday evenings at 6.30pm. This group is for children of primary school age. If you'd like more information please speak to Ken or Heather today.

The Boys' Brigade All sections of the BB will meet on Friday evening. Anchor Boys and Juniors at 6.30pm and the Seniors at 8pm. For more information please speak to Stephen.

Discipleship Groups. Materials for the next meeting of the Discipleship Groups on Wednesday **1st December** are available on the vestibule table and at the Moneyrea Street door as you leave. We'd really love to have you join us in one of the groups so that we can grow together. Again if you'd like to participate by Zoom email the church office and we'll send you a link.

The east Belfast Survivors of Suicide Group is holding its annual “Celebration of Life event in our church building next Sunday afternoon at 3.30pm. Members of the church are welcome to attend and your support for the group would be very welcome.

Next meeting of Kirk Session is on Tuesday 23rd November @ 7.30p.m.