

Prayer points for this week

Sunday. Give thanks to God for the opportunity to gather in his name on today. Pray that our time together both this morning and in the evening that God will speak to our hearts and anoint those who bring his message today with the power of the Spirit..

Monday. Pray for the elders, members of the congregational committee and leaders – Ask that God will bless them, give them wisdom for the coming months, and empower them to lead the congregation forward in God's will.

Tuesday. Pray that God would move among us and in our hearts. Ask that we will each grow in our faith, in our knowledge and in our prayer life. Pray for a real spiritual awakening in our church family.

Wednesday. The work of our organisations is approaching the end of what has been a testing year though being able to get some programmes off the ground has been an encouragement. Please pray for the leaders giving thanks for their commitment and pray for ideas for next year.

Thursday. Pray that God would show us where he is at work – Ask that we might have eyes to see where God is at work and the desire to engage together in that work. Pray that God will give us missionary hearts and that he will draw to us the lost and those seeking a spiritual home.

Friday. Pray for those in the church family in need at this time, Remember those who are ill, receiving medical treatment. Pray for those who have been bereaved recently. Pray for the elders, members of the congregational committee asking that God may give them servant hearts.

Saturday. Please pray for our services tomorrow, for David as he takes up our studies in Ephesians at 11.00am, and Robert who will lead our evening worship and teach on Psalm 33, "A people blessed".

"For you have exalted above all things your name and your word."

Ps138:2

Church Bulletin 22nd May 2022



Worship Service
22nd May 2022

11.00am
Rev Leslie Patterson

"Sunday @ Seven"
Rev Dr Paul Bailie
Studies in 2nd Chronicles
Salvation to the Nations

www.mcquistonpc.org

Email

churchoffice@mcquistonpc.org
Rev Robert Beggs 07946 376616.

Crèche is available in the Ballantine Hall

Tea and Coffee served in the Link from 10.30am.

Welcome everyone to church today. If this is your first visit to McQuiston you are especially welcome but wherever you have come from today it's great that you are here. We welcome back this morning Leslie Patterson to lead our worship and bring God's word to us. Leslie was our student assistant and subsequently our assistant minister from 2004-2007. It's good to have him, Laura and the boys with us today.

Tonight in "Sunday@Seven Dr Paul Bailie continues his series on 2nd Chronicles. We have benefitted greatly from Paul's ministry to us and we would really encourage you join us tonight. **As an added incentive and by popular demand refreshments will be served after worship.**

Communion Sunday. Our next Communion Sunday is 5th June when we will share in the sacrament at 11.00am and again, for those unable to be with us in the morning, after the evening service at 7pm.

Church Prayer. The church gathers for prayer on Wednesday evening at 7.00pm in person in the DD Boyle Room and by Zoom at 8.30pm. there's an open encouragement to join us at either gathering. If by Zoom, please email your details to the church office.

Queen's Jubilee We are planning to mark the Queen's 70th Anniversary by hosting "A Jubilee Treat" on Friday 3rd June @ 2.00 p.m.in the Ballantine Hall. (Refreshments & Entertainment). If you would like to attend speak to Linda Wray 07933278626 or John McCandless 07729516576
If you can help with catering for this event please let Linda or John know

Sunday at Seven

22nd Paul Bailie Salvation for the Nations Studies in 2 Chronicles
29th Robert Beggs : Psalm 33 "A people blessed."
5th June Robert Beggs : Psalm 126 "Dare to dream"

Internet Cafe: in the DD Boyle Room every Tuesday from 10am and Wednesday from 2pm

"Craig'n'Coffee" The craic and the coffee flows from 10 to 11.30am each Tuesday morning. This cafe outreach is open to all so **bring a friend** with you.

The Kirk Session meets at 7.30pm on Tuesday evening.

BB Parents and Friends Evening. A big thank you to everyone who came along to support the boys and leaders of our own 19th Belfast BB Company at their Parents and Friends evening on Friday night and to Pauline for presenting our prizes and awards .

Take 2 men's group meets on Friday morning at 10am in the DD Boyle Room. If you're retired or otherwise free on Friday morning's why not join us?

The Presbytery has appointed the Rev Richard McIlhatton, the minister of Christchurch Presbyterian Church in Ballybeen Estate, as the Convenor of the Vacancy Commission. Richard will look after us and lead the Kirk Session and the church family through the vacancy process as we begin the search for our new minister. Pray especially that the vacancy will be a time of unity and blessing for us all and that God will be please to enlarge our work and establish our church family.

"Jiff Lemons" *If you should have any Jiff Lemons at home (the ones shaped like a lemon) and you would be willing to part with them please speak to Robert or simply bring them next week and give them to him!*