

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND



THE PRESBYTERY OF DROMORE



**Service of Ordination  
to the Christian Ministry**

of

**MR. LESLIE PATTERSON, BSc, Dip Min, MDiv**

and of

**Installation**

to

**Loughaghery and Cargycreevy  
Congregations**



**Friday 19th October 2007  
at 7.30pm**



*Moderator of Presbytery:* **REV. GARY TRUEMAN, BA, BD**

*Clerk of Presbytery:* **REV. JOHN DAVEY, BD**

INTROIT: Come, let us worship the Lord..... John W. Peterson

CALL TO WORSHIP ..... The Moderator

O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the works Thy hand hath made,  
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!  
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How great Thou art! How great Thou art!*

When through the woods and forest glades I  
wander,  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,  
And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze:

And when I think that God His Son not sparing,  
Sent Him to die — I scarce can take it in.  
That on the Cross my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin:

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home — what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then shall I bow in humble adoration  
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

*Russian hymn trans: Stuart Hine; Swedish melody arr. Hine*

## PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING.....Rev. Robert Liddle, BEd, BD

THE SERMON .....Rev. John Brackenridge, BA, BD

THE OFFERING FOR THE STUDENTS' BURSARY FUND

THE DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day:  
Christ on the road to Calvary.  
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then  
Nailed to a cross of wood.

*This the power of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us.  
Took the blame, bore the wrath  
we stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh, to see the pain written on Your face,  
bearing the awesome weight of sin.  
Every bitter thought, every evil deed  
crowning Your bloodstained brow.

*This the power . . .*

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its maker bows His head.  
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life,  
'Finished!' the victory cry.

*This the power . . .*

Oh, to see my name written in the wounds,  
For through Your suffering I am free.  
Death is crushed to death; life is mine to live,  
won through Your selfless love!

*This the power of the cross  
Son of God - slain for us.  
What a name, what a cost  
we stand forgiven at the cross.*

*Words and Music: Stuart Townend /Keith Getty*

CONSTITUTION OF PRESBYTERY .....The Moderator

DECLARATION OF PRESBYTERY .....The Moderator

THE RULE OF FAITH..... The Clerk

QUESTIONS TO THE MINISTER-ELECT .....The Moderator

SUBSCRIPTION TO THE WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH

*(The Congregation is asked to stand and remain standing until  
after the next hymn)*

PRAYER AND ACT OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION  
The Moderator

AARONIC BLESSING

THE RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP .....The Moderator

King of Kings, Majesty  
God of Heaven, living in me.  
Gentle Saviour, closest friend  
Strong Deliverer, beginning and end  
All within me falls at Your throne . . .

*Your majesty, I can but bow  
I lay my all, before you now  
In royal robes, I don't deserve  
I live to to serve Your majesty.*

Earth and heaven, worship you  
Love eternal, faithful and true  
Who bought the nations, ransomed souls  
brought this sinner near to Your throne  
All within me cries out in praise . . .

*Words and Music: Jarrod Cooper*

CHARGE TO MINISTER AND CONGREGATION  
Rev. Dr. R. S. Tosh, BSc, BD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

To God be the glory! Great things He has done!  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son;  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the life gate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son:  
And give Him the glory! Great things He has done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives . . .

Great things He has taught us, great things He has done,  
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
But purer, and higher, and greater will be  
Our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see . . .

*Words: Frances van Alstyne; Music: W. H. Doane*

BENEDICTION.....The Moderator

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**Everyone is invited for Supper in the Moorhead Halls  
immediately after the speeches,  
which will follow the Service.**

**Rev. Leslie Patterson will conduct Communion Services  
on  
Sunday 21st October at 10.30 in Loughaghery  
and 12.30 in Cargycreevy.**

**Mr Patterson can be contacted on 07514 149234**