

Events this week:

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| Monday | 8:00 pm | First For Tots - off for half term PW Visitors Night – Discover the jewels of Japan through the missionary years of Eileen & Noel Hamilton & delve a little into Japanese culture. Music by Tracey & Paul Brush and a very warm welcome is extended to all ladies in the congregation to come along even if you don't normally attend PW |
| Tuesday | | First For Kids – off for half term |
| Wednesday | 8:00 pm | Mid-Week – Rev Mark Neilly – Galatians 3 v 1-14 'Sailing on a Sinking Ship' |
| Thursday | 10:30 am 6:15 pm | Branching Out until 12 noon <u>Girls' Brigade</u> Little Stars, Explorers & Juniors 6:15 pm to 7:30 pm Seniors & Brigaders – 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm |
| Friday | | <u>Boys' Brigade</u> – off for half term |
| Saturday | 8:30 am 6:30 pm 8:00 pm 8:30 pm | Morning Prayer Cell until 9:30 am – Brian Gilmer Time Out Junior Youth Club until 8:15 pm Evening Prayer Cell until 9:00 pm – John McKay Ignite Senior Youth Club until 10:00 pm |

First For Care Team & Telephone Prayer Chain. If anyone requires the assistance of the Care Team or Prayer Chain please contact Gwen Kernohan on 02825871034

If anyone requires pastoral care or knows if anyone in hospital or going into hospital and requires visitation please contact

Rev Mark Neilly – 02825871216
or email - mneilly@presbyterianireland.org

Sunday 18th February 2018

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| 10:15 am | Sunday School & Rock |
| 11:30 am | Morning Service – Rev Mark Neilly – James 4 v 1-10 'Living as Children of Light 6' |
| 3:00 pm | Afternoon Prayer Cell until 4:00 pm – Kirsty McKay |
| 6:15 pm | Evening Service – Brookside – Mission Service |
| 8:00 pm | Youth Fellowship in the Slemish Suite |

Creche: Sharon Connolly, Junine Coulter & Dorothy Taggart
Children's Church: Rebecca Haggan & Amy Graham
Tea/Coffee Rota: First For Kids

Upcoming Events :

Time of Quiet Reflection – Saturday 3rd March (details to follow)

Men's Fellowship Outing to The Somme Museum – Saturday 3rd March at 9:30 am to 4:30 pm with lunch at Harrison's, Greyabbey. If anyone would like to go please speak to John asap

The Presbytery of Ballymena, which represents over 20,000 people of all ages in the greater Ballymena area, would like to thank all frontline NHS staff and those who provide care in the community for their dedication and professionalism as they seek to deliver safe and high quality medical care under the current immensely challenging working conditions. We are very aware of the unrelenting pressures and intense strain felt by all NHS staff which is causing widespread frustration and sadness, leading to mental and physical exhaustion for many. As an expression of our pastoral concern, and as an encouragement, our ministers will continue to lead their congregations in praying for you at this very difficult time. We wish you our warmest regards.

Cookstown Bible Week – 18th-23rd February in Orritor Presbyterian Church at 8:00 pm. Guest speaker **Dr Chris Wright**. Chris is originally from Northern Ireland and travels the world as International Ministries Director with the Langham Partnership – www.langham.org He is also on the preaching staff at All Souls, Langham Place in London.

Special meeting for all in leadership of any kind, or is engaged in mission at home or overseas, on Thursday 22nd in Cookstown Baptist Church Hall starting with coffee & scones from 10:30am and Chris will speak at 11am on the subject "God's Global Mission: What's in it for me?"

Dominic Smart: Former minister of Gilcomston South Church and now CEO of FUTURE LEADERS will be the main speaker at a conference entitled, "**Working with other elders in the local congregation.**" This will be held Monday 26th February at the Templeton Hotel, Templepatrick 10:00 am- 8:00 pm. Cost £30, students £15. Booking essential – please indicate attendance to Rev Bob Alley, 3 Millhaven Park, Portstewart, BTY55 7EZ. Tel: 028 7083 3756 or email: boballey1@btinternet.com

PCI Summer Team – In 2018, PCI will send out 10 Summer Outreach teams to be part of what God is doing through a variety of churches and projects – and you are invited to be part of His unfolding story. Working with children, teens, adults and in the community, you can be part of showing and sharing the good news of Jesus with a needy world. Each team partners with a PCI congregation to help them reach out to their local communities. Where will you leave a footprint for God this summer? Closing date for applications: 23rd March 2018. PCI website: <https://www.presbyterianireland.org/Mission/Mission-Projects/Summer-Mission-Teams.aspx>

News Sheet Announcements: Please forward all announcements for inclusion in weekly news sheet by each Wednesday. My contact details are: **Phone:** 02828578599
Mobile: 07737645010 or **email:** jennygilmer@sky.com

Flower List Rota 2018

28th January/4th February: Ann McCallion
11th February/18th February: Margaret McCord
25th February/4th March: Mary McMullan
11th March/18th March: Dorothy McNeilly
25th March/1st April: Gail Mills
8th April/15th April: Sadie Morrison
22nd April/29th April: Hazel Neilly

Tea/Coffee Rota 2018

4th February: Youth Fellowship
11th February: Choir
18th February: First For Kids
25th February: Care Team
4th March: Prayer Cells
11th March: Olive Branch
18th March: Creche
25th March: Rock

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Sunday 11th February 2018

Today's events

- 11:30 am Morning Service – Rev Eddie Kirk
3:00 pm Sunday School Teachers' Prayer Meeting
6:15 pm Evening Service – Trinity
"Who is the greatest?" Matthew 18 v 1-9
8:00 pm Youth Fellowship in the Slemish Suite

Welcome to First Presbyterian Ahoghill

We warmly welcome you to our worship service today.

If you are a visitor or newcomer to our church, please introduce yourself and join us for tea & coffee after the service.

CD's & DVD's of the Church Services are now available. If anyone would like copies please go to the sound desk. FWO Envelopes, contact Garreth Mills
Tel: 07739331744 or email garreth.mills@sky.com

On Duty Today

Crèche:

Kathryn Williamson, Claire Wylie & Jessica Small

Children's Church:

Judith McFarland & Jenny Gilmer

Tea/Coffee Rota:

Choir

Duty Rota: February 2018

Trevor Gilmer
William Graham
David Hayes
David Gordon
Richard Hood
Ernest Kerr