

**Praise band** - Over the month of July, two of the new Music Stands have disappeared. If you have them, please return them ASAP. It is difficult following three pages on a small stand.

**Our GB.** If anyone can help out particularly with Seniors and Brigader sections please do get in contact with Jayne Davis 07703 006640/

**Our BB** are looking for volunteers to help (full time or occasionally, experienced or a novice) on either a Monday or Friday night we want to hear from you. Please contact Gardiner McAuley on 07902046416

**Senior Members Evening** will take place on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September in Barnaby's Restaurant, Ballyrobert at 6.30 pm. The evening will commence with a meal followed by musical items by Elaine and Nigel Black. Please let your district elder know if you are going by 18<sup>th</sup> September.

**Information for the weekly bulletin.** Please send any details to Claire by Thurs 9pm Ph:93322578 Email:bulletin@firstballyeaston.org

### Local Events

Presbytery Weekend 16th & 17<sup>th</sup> September.

**Elders breakfast 8am start Saturday 16th in Killead Presbyterian.**

Speaker: Dave Allen (Dean of Ministerial Studies and Development, Union College) wants to encourage elders in how they manage the demands of eldership in terms of Spiritual care and how we handle the increasing stress of the role of spiritual leadership in our congregations. Cost £8. **Sunday 17th Evening Celebration 7pm**

**Muckamore Presbyterian** Speaker: Trevor Gribben on 'Do Presbyterians have a future? What is our future as a Christian church?'

**East Antrim Ladies Farm Forum** in conjunction with Second Ballyeaston PW invite you to join them on their annual trip on Friday 22nd September. Leaving Jacksons, Ballynure at 9.45am and returning at 7.30pm. The trip will travel to Hollywood, Clandeboye Estates, Mount Stewart and Harrisons in Greyabbey. The cost is £35 which includes the bus trip, admission to Mount Stewart, lunch and 2 course dinner. Please contact any of the following no later than Monday 11th September: Claire McNair 9332 2375/07748518808 Shirley Wilson: 9332 3744/07824467527 Meta McIlwaine: 9332 3650 Margaret Wilson:9332 3167.

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**Sunday 3rd September 2017 11.30am**

Welcome to All Age Worship and Leaders commissioning service.



**Theme: Go Create**

**Readings: Genesis Ch1 vs 1-16 & Ch1v 26-Ch2v4  
John Ch1 vs1-5**

## Order of Service

Welcome & Announcements Eddie McDowell

Call to Worship

**Praise: CMP 1086 Light of the world, you stepped down**

Prayer

Readings: Genesis 1:1-16 & 1:26 - 2:4 Eric Cooper (BB)  
John 1: 1-5 Claire McConnell (GB)

Drama: On the Seventh Day Lewis, Stacey, Callum

**Praise: All things bright and beautiful**

Talk on Creation

**Praise: Every blade of grass**

Commissioning of Leaders in the Church

Presentation to Mrs Sarah Hall

Youth Fellowship Tom McKnight

**Praise: Creation sings a happy song (Getty)**

Prayer for Others

**Offering Praise: Hear all creation lift its voice (Getty)**

Benediction

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**No Children's Church or Supervised Crèche** today but if you feel your child is getting restless please do use the Patterson room on the upper level of the vestibule where they can play & you can hear the service too !

## Next Week

Tonight

**Evening Worship 7pm Communion**

Monday 4th-  
Thursday 7th

**Week of Prayer** each evening from 8-9pm in Galbraith Hall.

Monday 4th

**BB** Company Section (Year 8 to 14) from 7.30 to 9.15pm in Brann Hall, 2nd Ballyeaston

Wednesday 6th

**Choir Practice** 7pm Preparation for Harvest

Friday 8th

**BB** meet in Brann Hall 2nd Ballyeaston Junior Section (P5-P7) 7-8.30pm

**GB** Toddlers 6.45pm-7.45pm Galbraith Hall  
Explorers 6.30pm-8pm MacConnell Hall  
Juniors 6.30pm - 8pm MacConnell Hall  
Seniors 7.30pm-9pm MacConnell Hall  
Brigaders 7.30pm-9pm \*\* MacConnell Hall\*\*

Sunday 10th

**Sunday School & Bible Class** 10.30am  
**Prayer meeting** 10.30 Galbraith Hall  
**Morning Worship** 11.30am  
**YF** 7-8.30pm MacConnell Hall

## Church Information

**Prayer Ministry.** Anyone who would like to be part of this Ministry is asked to leave their contact details on the clipboard on the table in the vestibule. If you want more information please ring me on home: 9332 4185 M: 07484767751 Jean Woodside.

**Presbyterian Prayer Handbook** is available in the Vestibule at a cost of £2 each. Please help yourself to these and leave £2 in the box.

**Presbyterian Children's Society.** Annual Children's Society collection begins today until Sunday 26th November. Envelopes may be placed on the collection plate any Sunday during this period. If you would like a donation to be collected from your home please phone Jean on 93324185 or Lily on 93323450 Thank-you for your continuing support.