

Church Information

Saturday Night Fellowship - Ballyeaston Presbyterian Church (welcoming both 1st and 2nd). We are excited to be launching a new fellowship group for 20's - 40's in January 2018, meeting on the 2nd Saturday night of every month alternating Bible Study in a relaxed atmosphere with social activities. We will be a self-funded group meeting together for craic and fellowship. Please contact Steven or Judith on 07763 352 348 or WhatsApp if interested in joining us. **First meeting Saturday 13th January in Barnabys** at 7pm.

Prayer Ministry. We offer everyone in our Church Family an opportunity to ask for prayer for different situations that may arise, whether it be for themselves or a friend or a loved one. If you have any requests please contact me by phone, text or email. Jean Woodside Tel: 07484 767 751 Email: woodside880@btinternet.com

Prayer Ministry Course. We are hosting a 6 week course from Thursday 1st February - Thursday 8th March. It will provide training and practice in prayer ministry. Full details are in the December Link magazine pages 24 & 25 and application forms are in the vestibule.

Any information for weekly bulletin please send to Claire by Thursday at 9pm 93322578 /Email: bulletin@firstballyeaston.org.

Local Events

Ballynure Presbyterian Church are starting a series on '**Tough Issues**' on Sunday evenings at 7pm as detailed below. Everyone is welcome to attend.

7th Jan *Faith in the Public Square* (Rev Norman Hamilton, former PCI Moderator); 21st Jan *Both Lives Matter* (Dawn McAvoy, Evangelical Alliance); 4th Feb *Living in a Divided Society* (Rev Norman Hamilton)

Pray for Revival. Saturday 13th January in OC Randalstown 8-10am for corporate or personal private prayer. All welcome.

The ladies of the Church are invited to a **Ladies Breakfast** at Templeton Hotel on Saturday 20th January from 9am to 12noon Speaker: Sharon Caldwell Theme: Freedom. Tickets costing £14 can be obtained from either Jean Tel: 9332 4185 or Jane Tel: 9334 1533. Further details are on a poster displayed in the Church Vestibule.

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Sunday 31st December 2017 11.30am

Welcome to Worship.



Who, being in very nature, God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. Philippians 2: 6-7

Theme: Word of Humility

Speaker: Rev James Rogers
Ballynure Presbyterian Church

Order of Service

Welcome & Announcements Mr William Stewart

Call to Worship Rev James Rogers

Praise: Pr. Supp 86 Lord the light of your love is shining

Prayer of adoration and confession

Reading: Philippians 2

Praise: CH3 179 See in yonder manger low

Children's Talk

Praise: P.Supp 83 Lord I lift your name on high

Prayer for Others

Offering & Dedicaton

Praise: IPH 326 Love came down at Christmas

Sermon: Word of Humility

Prayer

Praise: Joy Has Dawned (Getty & Townend)

Benediction

No Supervised Crèche today although please do make use of the Patterson Room on the upper level of the vestibule if you feel your child is becoming restless. There are toys and comfy seats too!

Children's Church is in the Galbraith Hall (behind the church) for P1-P7 after the children's talk.

The Next Two Weeks

Friday 5th Jan **GB** resumes at usual times in First Ballyeaston

Saturday 6th **Monthly Prayer** meeting 9-10am Galbraith Hall

Sunday 7th No Sunday School or Bible Class
Prayer meeting 10.30am Galbraith Hall
Morning Worship 11.30am Communion
Evening Worship 7pm

Monday 8th **BB** resumes in 2nd Ballyeaston at normal times

Tuesday 9th **PW** Visit to 2nd Ballyeaston PW 7.30pm

Wednesday 10th **Midweek** meeting 8-9pm

Friday 12th **BB** resumes in 2nd Ballyeaston 7-8.30pm
GB at normal times

Saturday 13th **Saturday Night Fellowship** 7pm in Barnabys
Relaxed Bible Study, Refreshments & dessert!
All 20s-40s welcome. Please contact Steven or Judith on 07763 352 348 or WhatsApp.

Sunday 14th **Sunday School & Bible Class** resume 10.30am
Prayer meeting 10.30 Galbraith Hall
Morning Worship 11.30am

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End of Year Financial Arrangements. The final date for contributions towards 2017 accounts is TODAY Sunday 31st December 2017, please make sure you put your WFO number and the amount on the 53rd week envelope. Any money received after this date will be allocated to 2018. Also a reminder that Organisation accounts should be with the treasurer no later than 14th January 2018.

Wider world magazine. If you are interested in receiving this magazine please speak to Mrs Agnes Grimason. Annual Cost £5 (For 4 magazines) Subscriptions are due now for 2018.

Vintage Tea Party on Saturday 27th January at 3pm. Tickets are now available. The cost will be the same as last year £10. We would invite you to come along and support our outreach. Tickets are available from Jean Woodside, Marlene Davis or The Secret Place.