BALLYWATT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH **EMAIL ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS TO ballywatt@email.com**
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CHURCH NOTICES **13th March, 2022**
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NI Registered Charity **(NIC105348)**

Welcome to all visitors at our service today.

Today:

10.30am **Bible Class** meets in committee room to discuss *"Sin: Angels, Satan, Adam & Eve."* Bring your Bible, "*Understanding the Faith*" & Shorter Catechism.

11.30am **Morning Worship:** The Rev Collins will conduct the service & preach from **Matt.6:25-34** "*Do not Worry"*
****Family Service-Sermon Worksheet** is available for children in vestibule****

AMENDMENT: The Moderator's Ukraine Crisis Appeal will be collected on **13th & 20th March** in church**.**
Cheques NOW to be made payable to: *"Ballywatt Presbyterian Church in Ireland"* – please insert cash/ cheque in the GIFT AID envelopes provided in the vestibule. Contact your elder if you need one delivered/ collected to/ from your home.
Sunday School meets today. Children may leave the service after their hymn.

7.30-8.30pm **Youth Fellowship** meet in our halls.

This Week:

Tues 15th Mar (10 - 11.45am) **Tea & Tots meet** in hall.
Please book through the group's Facebook page or WhatsApp group.

10.00- 11.30am **Crafters** will meet in the committee room.

2.00-4.00pm **Afternoon Bowls** in church hall.

7.30pm **Evening Bowls** in church hall.

Wed 16th (8.00pm) **Special Midweek** with Rev. Dr Alister Torrens- President of Evangelical Reformed Seminary of Ukraine in Kiev & church planter. Alister is married to Sarah with 2 children. Alister is ordained within the Presbyterian Church in America. His home congregation was Moneydig Presbyterian.
Prayer Time towards the end of meeting. **Donations to Ukraine: www.mtw.org**

Friday 18th **Boys' Brigade – ALL** sections meet in our halls.

Sat. 19th March (10.00 am) **Church Grounds Spring-Tidy Up:** Calling for volunteers to meet from 10.00am onwards. Please come with gardening tools & other equipment for the various tasks around our church grounds. Contact Richard Lyons for further details.

Next Week:

Sun. 20th March (10.30am) **Bible Class** meets in committee room.

11.30am **Morning Worship:** The Rev Ross Collins will conduct worship & will be preaching from **Matt. 7:1-6** "*Judging others"*
Sunday School during the service today.

7.00pm **Evening Worship:** Rev Collins will conduct the service in our committee room.

Wed 23rd/ Thurs 24th (8.00pm) **Homegroups** to meet. Speak to Thomas/ Alastair for further details.

Fri 25th March **Girls' Brigade –** all sections meet in our halls. Contact section leader for details.

Sat. 26th March (10 -1.30pm) **"*Small Church: BIG MISSION*" - European Mission Fellowship** Day conference at Ballymoney Baptist. **Speakers:** Krzysztof Rutkowsky (Poland), Jose Moreno Berrocal (Spain) & Jonny McClaughlin (Hamilton Rd Baptist, Bangor) **Free event**

Further Ahead:

Sun. 20th **Evening Worship** from 1st Dunboe with the Coleraine & Limavady Presbytery**:** **Service Livestreaming** in Ballywatt -the P.C.I Moderator, Rev David Bruce leads

Tues 22nd (8.00pm) **Kirk Session** meet in the hall.

Sat. 26th March (4.00pm) **NI Voiceless 2022 – Stand, Speak & Serve for Life.** Gather at the Stormont Estate to walk en-masse up the hill and to stand in silence for life. Wear black or dark colours. Carry an electric light. Strictly no banners or flyers. Gathering will be fully COVID-compliant. Further info: www.nivoiceless.com

Sun 27th **Evening Worship: In-Person Presbytery Rally** with PCI Moderator, Rev D Bruce @ Aghadowey church. Presbytery are granting 10 places per congregation. Please let Rev Collins know of your intention to attend.

Wed 30th March (7.30pm) **Special Pro-Life Meeting**: NEW Documentary film "*A Storm Comes Rolling Down the Plain"* – The providential story of the church rising up to bring the Gospel into conflict with the horrors of abortion in Oklahoma, USA. Watch how the Gospel of King Jesus is the ultimate antidote to abortion. Pastor Rusty Thomas, a participant in the film will be speak to us in-person on the night. **Please use sign-up sheet** in vestibule to indicate your attendance at church as we anticipate visitors on this occasion.

General:

Revised PCI COVID-19 Mitigations – it's no longer a requirement to keep a record of attendance at services. Face coverings may be removed once seated but used when singing (unless exempted). It is recommended that social distancing of a min. of 1 metre be maintained when sitting in pew.

Open Doors – World Watch List 2022 – please take your FREE copy of the **"***TOP 50 countries where following Jesus costs the most"*

Barnabas Fund – please take your FREE copy of the **2021-2022** *"Praying for the Persecuted Church"* from the vestibule table.

Notice of thanks: Isabel, Linda and David wish to express our sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement following the passing of Alec Scott. Thanks to Rev Collins, Amanda and fellow elders for spiritual support, music and help with the funeral service. We wish to thank all you kind friends who prayed for us, visited us, brought gifts, sent cards and attended the funeral. Your kindness to us all is very much appreciated.

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Door Welcome	Stanley Campbell Emma Curry Stanley Keys	Jeni Caldwell Jimmy Caldwell Richard McClure	Jeni Caldwell Jimmy Caldwell Richard McClure	Robert Currie Sammy Sharpe Winston Taggart
PowerPoint	Andrew McCrory Emily McCrory	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe