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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

11th December, 2022
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In the Name of the Triune God, a warm welcome to every visitor at our service today , please sign Visitor's Book

The Lord's Day:

10.30 – 11.10am **Bible Class** @ the manse

11.30am **Morning Worship** lead by the Rev. Ross Collins, who will preached from John 1:4-5 looking at the Light of Men.

Today & next LORD's Day, you will be able to make a donation to Causeway Foodbank Appeal & the PCI World Development Appeal via envelopes provided in the pew. The World Development is a programme, helping people trapped by poverty who cannot free themselves. It supports projects in every continent & channels its resources through Christian Aid & TearFund.

2.30pm **Christmas Carol Singers** meet for practice in our church building. All welcome!

7.00pm **Presbytery Youth Evening** – 1st Coleraine P.C.
Free Christmas Youth Event organised by our Presbytery, open to all secondary School age Youth Groups with Praise, Teaching & Food.
Special guests Andy Lamberton (speaker) and Rhian Cooper (singer).
Contact Emma Curry if there is interest in going.

This Week:

Mon 12th (7.45pm) **PW Christmas Carols evening** with guest Mary McCollum. Christmas supper.

Tues 13th **2.00 – 4.00pm** **Afternoon Bowls** in the Moore Mem. Hall.

7.30pm **Evening Bowls** in the Moore Memorial Hall

7.45pm **Kirk Session** meet in committee room.

Wed 14th **8.00pm** **Midweek Prayer Time** in committee room – everyone welcome - *"Unless the LORD builds the house, its builders labour in vain"*

Fri 16th **6.15 – 9.30pm** **Girls' Brigade** – Christmas Party Night Explorers meet on zoom from 6.15pm. Company meets in the hall from 7.30pm.
Boys Brigade Company Christmas Night

8.00pm **Sing Carols - with the Coleraine Community Choir** in 1st Coleraine Presbyterian. Conductor: Roberta Scott. Accompanist: Julie McClelland. Organist: Peter Wilson. Offering in aid of N.H.S

Next Week:

Sunday 18th Dec (10.30am) **Bible Class** at the manse. Christmas Special.

11.30am **Morning Worship** - the Rev. Collins will conduct today's **Carol Service**.
He will preach from **John 1:6-13** "*Light for Everyone*"
The Ballywatt Christmas Singers will participate in the service.
Donations can be made to *the Foodbank* &to *the PCI World Development Appeal.*

7.00pm **Evening Worship** - committee room. Looking at the glorious chapter 8 of Romans. Looking again at the glorious ***chapter 8 of Romans*** – "Put it to death to live" (verses 12-14).

Tues. 20th **2.00 – 4.00pm** **Afternoon Bowls** in the Moore Mem. Hall.

7.30pm **Bowling Club** meets in the Moore Mem. Hall. Last meeting of the current year.

Sat. 24th (7.00pm) **Christmas Eve** family service in church. Participation from Sunday School & The Christmas Carol Singers.

Further Ahead:

Sun. 25th (10.30am) **Christmas Day family service** with the Rev R Collins conducting the service.

General:

Causeway Methodist Circuit Carol Service @ Coleraine Methodist Church on Sun 11th Dec at 7.00 pm. 9 Lessons with reflective carols telling of how God came to Earth. **Guests:** Conductor: Mr Barry Burgess; Accompanist: Mrs Isobel Parke; Organist: Mrs Kathryn Webb.

We will be **producing a single** Christmas/ New Years Church Notice **for 25th Dec & 1st Jan.** Please have your notices in for anything during Christmas &/ or the start of the New Year by Thurs 22nd December. Thank you.

Should you wish to donate or gift aid your offering to **Smiles International,** see John Campbell or the envelopes provided on the vestibule table.

Rev David Clarke, former minister in Terrace Row, has a book available in vestibule. "*The pieces of myself*" are a collection of articles gathered from his '*Thought for week*' in the Coleraine Times. Cost: £8 per book or £15 for 2, perhaps a Christmas gift? Funds raised go towards "*Friends of the Cancer Centre*"

You are warmly invited to the **Annual Saline Training Day** - an open event for all who help public, private & voluntary healthcare workers, as well as family & church members. Presented by **Healthcare Christian Fellowship of Ireland** @ Ballywatt on Sat. 11th February 10.30 – 4.30pm – light lunch and tea breaks included. Registration by 4th February to Christelle Andrich on 07876690878 or email: christelleandrich7@gmail.com

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Door Welcome	Jimmy Caldwell Jeni Caldwell	Jimmy Caldwell Jeni Caldwell	John McCrory Stanley Campbell	John McCrory Stanley Campbell
PowerPoint	David Radcliffe Emma Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	David Radcliffe Emma Radcliffe