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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

18th 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 – last one until the start of the new year.

11.30am **Morning Worship:** our **Carol Service** is lead by the Rev. Ross Collins, who will preach from John 1:6-13 looking at "*Light for All*." The Carol singers will participate in the service. Thanks be to God for Amanda and the choir members for all their efforts.

Today, you will be able to make a donation to **Causeway Foodbank Appeal** by leaving items off in the vestibule & to **the PCI World Development Appeal** by using the envelopes provided in the pews.
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.

7.00pm **Evening Worship –** we gather in the Committee room to praise the LORD, to pray & to read and hear His word.
Theme: "*Dying to self, to live!"* - Romans 8:12-14

This Week:

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

7.30pm **Evening Bowls** in the Moore Memorial Hall. Last of the current year.

Wed 21st **8.00pm** **Congregational Committee** in the Moore Mem. Hall – full attendance requested

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

Next Week:

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

Further Ahead:

Sun. 1st January (11.30am) **Morning Worship:** **The Rev Hazlett Lynch** will lead today's service**.**

General:

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*"

Book Aid Charitable Trust, based up in Templepatrick, are looking for Bibles, commentaries, biographies etc. Should you wish to donate new, old, unused, unwanted books, please speak to the Rev. Ross Collins who will store in manse garage and invite Book Aid to call up in due time (as they have done on many occasions).

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	John McCrory Stanley Campbell	John McCrory Stanley Campbell	Richard McClure Stanley Keys
PowerPoint	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure