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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

2nd April, 2023
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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

This Lord's Day:

Sun 2nd April (10.20am)		**Breakfast Special** for **Sunday School/ Bible Class** in the hall. (Please let Linda know if you/ your child is attending. Thank you)
	11.30am	**Morning Worship:** Rev. Collins will conduct today's service & preach from **Colossians 3:9-11** *"Putting off, putting on"* – part 2 *– do have a read of the Bible passage in advance.* **Sunday School** meet in our hall after the children's hymn. **Creche** is available in the church hall just before & during the service.
		Easter Causeway Foodbank *Appeal- consider donating food items today or on the 9th April and leaving supplies in vestibule. See note below under General*
	7.00pm	**Evening Worship –** we meet in the Committee room with the Rev Collins leading. **Theme:** *"The Golden Chain"* - Romans 8:29-30.

This Week:

Tues 4th	**10.00am**	No Tea & Tots – closed for Easter. Returning on Tues. 18th April DV. **PW Crafters** meet today in committee room.
	2 – 4.00pm	**Afternoon Bowls** in the Moore Mem. Hall.
Wed. 5th	**8.00pm**	**Congregational prayer time** in committee room – let's read the Word of God, sing His praises & pray in Jesus Name for others, all to the Glory of our Glorious Father in Heaven.

Next Week:

Sun. 9th		**No Bible Class**
	11.30am	**Easter: Resurrection Sunday** – the Rev Collins & our Singing Group will lead us this morning. **Theme**: *"The Christian & the Risen Christ"*
		Easter Causeway Foodbank *Appeal- consider donating food items today & leaving supplies in vestibule. See note below under General*
	7.00pm	**Easter:** come and worship the Trinity in the church as the Rev Collins & the Singing Group give a lead. **Theme**: "*Since He is risen, His love for the Christian is un-ending."* Cuppa tea served after the service.
Tues 11th	**10.00am**	No Tea & Tots – closed for Easter. Returning on Tues. 18th April DV. *No* **PW Crafters** today. Resuming on Tues. 18th April DV
	2 – 4.00pm	**Afternoon Bowls** in the Moore Mem. Hall.

Further Ahead:

Sun. 16th **No Bible Class – resuming in manse on 23rd April**

11.30am **Morning Worship –** we warmly welcome Mr Stanley Kyle, an elder in Brookside PC, the Belfast City Mission & of Arab World Ministries to minister the Word of God.

Fri. 5th May **6-9pm TBC** **King's Coronation Festival at Ballywatt** – come and celebrate with friends, family and neighbours at our open-event for all. We will start with a short service of praise & thanksgiving in a church building, followed by a treasure hunt. There will be some organised family games and a bouncy castle along with food and drink. More details to follow but please SAVE THE DATE & spread the word.

General:

We will be combining **Church Notices** for weeks commencing – Sun 9th & 16th April – should you wish anything to be included, please do email ballywatt@email.com by 12noon on Thursday 6th April. Many thanks

A BIG thank you to everyone, who gave to the Middle East Reformed Fellowship appeal for the Syrian-Turkey Earthquake Appeal. Your giving amounted to *£1410.* **Pray** that the money will impact daily lives and souls for all eternity, and all to the glory of King Jesus!

Easter Causeway Foodbank Appeal – donations are welcome on Sundays 2nd & 9th April and left in the vestibule. Our food donations are absolutely vital to the Foodbank's ability to give everyone referred to us a balanced and nutritious three-day supply of food. The recommended shopping list for food items right now includes: tinned sweetcorn, tinned tomatoes, UHT Milk, jam, fruit juice, coffee, supper/ pot noodles, men's razors/ shaving gel, ladies' deodorant.

Prayer Triplets initiative: *would you like to support others and be supported in prayer by others?* A prayer triplet initiative started a good number of years ago; some have continued since then but others have not. **Please consider signing up TODAY** if you would like to be involved in this new venture in Ballywatt. We already have times of prayer during the LORD's Day services, the Wednesday congregational prayer time, as well as prayers during Homegroups yet Kirk Session knows further growth in the LORD will come as small numbers of men meet with other men, and women meet with women in 3's to encourage one another to rely upon the LORD our God for everything. Kirk Session would encourage triplets to develop organically and meet as they are willing and able to.

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Door Welcome	Stanley Campbell Richard McClure	Stanley Keys Robert Currie	Stanley Keys Robert Currie	Alistair Cochrane Winston Taggart
PowerPoint & Sound	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons