BALLYWATT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH **EMAIL ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS TO ballywatt@email.com**
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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

2nd July, 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:

10.30-10.50am **Pre-Service Prayer time** in the minister's room. Everyone welcome.

11.00am **Morning Worship:** the Rev Collins will lead and preach from Colossians 4:15-18 - *'the fullness of Paul's heart' - our Praise Group lead this morning. Thanks Leanne.*
We extend a warm welcome to **the Portballintrae CSSM team,** who will stay in our halls for the duration of their mission (2-14 July). Please do pray that disciples of Christ be made.
Benjamin McKay, team leader, will speak to the children before the team lead us in declaring God's praises.
- Children's Church will meet today & CSSM will lead in the hall.
Crèche is available in the church hall just before & during the service.

We appeal for support of **the Causeway Foodbank** this July. Today & 9th July, people may leave off donated foodstuffs in the vestibule.
Urgent need: tinned meat, fruit, sweetcorn, tomatoes, UHT milk, jam, fruit juice, coffee, super/ Pot Noodles, men's razors/shaving gel and ladies' deodorants.

7.00pm **Evening Worship** in church building.
The Rev Ross continues looking at Proverbs 2:1-22 "*How can we grow as believers in Christ?"* Everyone welcome!

This Week:

Wed 5th **8.00pm** **Congregational Prayer Time** – in the church building (due to CSSM in halls).

Thurs 6th **10.00am** **Ladies' Prayer Time** – in the church building (due to CSSM being in halls).

8th - 14th July **Keswick at Portstewart – *"Unshakeable"* –** flyers in vestibule.
Speakers: Jonathan Thomas (evenings), Andrew Ollerton (evenings) & Gilbert Lennox (mornings).

Next Week:

Sun 9th **10.30-10.50am** **Pre-Service Prayer time** in the minister's room. Everyone welcome.

11.00am **Morning Worship** – we welcome back the Rev Stafford Carson back to Ballywatt to lead our service and to preach the Word of God.
Members of the PBT CSSM team will join us in the service and two members will testify to what God is/ has been doing through the mission. Team members will lead us in singing God's praises.
- *CSSM members will take 'children's church' today.*

Thurs 13th, 20th, 27th 10am **Ladies' Prayer Time** - all women welcome. Meet in church hall every Thursday.
Tues 18th July **7.45pm** **Holiday Bible Club (HBC) team** planning meeting in committee room. Speak to Rev Collins if available to support this work!
Wed 19th July **8.00pm** **Congregational Prayer Time** – in the committee room.

Further Ahead

Sun 16th	**11.00am**	**Morning worship –** We welcome back **Mr Andrew Ferguson,** assistant minister in Saintfield Road, Belfast to take our service.
	7.00pm	**Evening Worship – Mr Andrew Ferguson** will lead our service.
Sun 23rd	**11.00am**	**Morning Worship – the Rev Collins** will conduct the service considering Philemon.
Sun 30th	**11.00am**	**Morning Worship – the Rev Collins** will conduct the service considering Philemon.
	7.00pm	**Evening Worship – the Rev Collins** will speak from Proverbs 3.
Wed 2nd Aug	**8.00pm**	**Congregational Prayer Time** – in the committee room.
Thurs 3rd&10th	**10.00am**	**Ladies' prayer time** – in committee room & church building (due to LiveWire, New Horizon).
Sun 6th Aug	**11.00am**	**Morning Worship** – **the Rev Collins** will conduct the service considering Philemon.
	7.00pm	**Evening Worship - the Rev Collins** will speak in church tonight from Proverbs 3.

General:

Rev Collins is taking annual leave from Mon 3rd – Mon 17th July. Should anyone need a minister, please contact our clerk of Session, Mr John Campbell at the first instance on 028 2074 1532.

Should you wish to place an announcement in **the 1-off Church Notices' sheet** for the month of August, please take note that **for August** – deadline is 12 noon on Thursday 27th July.

Would you or another, whom you know and could speak to, be interested in helping serve the Lord in **Boys' Brigade or Girls' Brigade** on a Friday night come the autumn? If you are, please have a word with the respective Captains, Thomas Carson and Jeni Caldwell, or the Rev. Collins.
BB needs help, in particular, with **the Anchor Boys section.** Please ask the LORD Jesus for volunteers. Thanks.

Ballywatt Holiday Bible Club – **Monday 14th – Friday 18th August from 6.15 – 7.45pm** in our halls. All primary school children invited. Register on Eventbrite. Volunteers still needed, contact Rev. Ross.

Ballyrashane HBC – **Mon 31st July – Friday 4th August** @ Ballybogey Community Hall. All primary school children are welcome. Registration will take place on the 1st night.

Come along to "**Men Behaving Dadly"** a series of 4 conversations as we fathers share stories, struggles & celebrations without taking ourselves too seriously! Suitable for every father or father figure in our congregation, who wants to pass on faith in Christ to others. Facilitated by **Andy Lamberton**, from ***Legacy*** - we look forward to welcoming you along!
Dates: Mondays - 18th Sep, 16th Oct, 20th Nov, 11th Dec.
Venue: Ballywatt PC, with the '8 churches'.
Time: 7:45 pm
Cost: £20 (bring on the first night)
Register here - https://forms.gle/W5y55fUECv8BHaqz9

Rota	Sunday 2nd July	Sunday 9th July	Sunday 16th July	Sunday 23rd July	Sunday 30th July
Door Welcome	Richard McClure Stanley Keys	Richard McClure Stanley Keys	Alistair Cochrane Winston Taggart	Alistair Cochrane Winston Taggart	David Curry Malcolm Rankin
PowerPoint & Sound	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure
Crèche	Emma Cochrane Louise Kirk	Phyllis Cochrane Claire McAfee	Alison Radcliffe Cheryl Lyons	Laura Cochrane Jayne McClure	Sarah Lyons Anne Curry