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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

4th June, 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:

11.00-11.20am **Pre-Service Prayer time** in committee room. Everyone welcome.

11.30am **Children's Day service** – with participation from Sunday School & the praise group. Guest Speaker: Mr Philip Robinson from Creation.com.

Please do avail yourself of literature/ information from Philip's bookstall today.

Crèche is available in the church hall just before & during the service.

Post Service Picnic – we will have a congregational picnic outside in the sunshine or inside our hall, enjoying one another's company.
Everyone welcome.

7.00pm **Youth service** – with participation from Bible Class & Youth Fellowship**.** Guest Speaker: Mr Peter Wright from Growing Young Disciples. Refreshments served afterwards DV**. Please invite family and friends** to our services.

This Week:

Tues 6th 2 – 4.00pm **Afternoon Bowls** in the Moore Mem. Hall.

Wed 7th 8.00pm **Congregational Prayer Meeting** in the committee room.

Next Week:

Sun 11th June 11.30am **Morning Worship** – the Rev Collins will continue to lead us through the NT Letter to the Colossians.

Further Ahead:

2nd – 14th July **Portballintrae CSSM** will be staying in our halls this summer. Please do pray for the team as they carry out their fortnightly mission to the 4-18yr olds.

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

General:

Funeral teas – *would you be available and willing to volunteer your services to the LORD & His Church when the time arises?*
We need people to help with set up, tidy up & clear up and to help provide & serve the food in our halls – please tick or check **the sign-up sheet in the vestibule** if you are able to help out. Thank you so much.

You will notice that after 30 years+, we have replaced our pew Bibles with newer ones (New International Version translation); quite a number were beyond repair. As a congregation, we have been very thankful to the Caldwell family, who very generously donated the Bibles to our congregation on the death of Mrs Jeannie Caldwell, as well as the reopening of our church building in 1992. The minister of Cork Presbyterian, the Rev. Richie Cronin called recently to take a number of boxes of older & usable Bibles away with him to use in his congregation. Please do take good care of our new Bibles as you take them out to read and refer to during worship.

The Family Education Trust will host an event, *"2023 Classroom Sex Education"* on Tues. 13th June from 7.30-9.15pm @ T3 Conference & Event Centre, Moira Road, Lisburn, BT28 2RF. Speakers: The Rev. Calvin Robinson is an Anglican deacon in the Free Church of England & TV/ radio presenter on GB News; Tony Rucinski works for Coalition for Marriage, the UK's largest pro-marriage organisation and Lucy Marsh is the Communications & PR Officer at Family Education Trust.

Interested in studying Theology? Check out the courses available at Union Theological College, Belfast. Would you or someone be interested in studying for a BA (Hons) degree in Theology – Union's 3 year course welcomes student application from all backgrounds to study Christian theology in the heart of Belfast. For more information, visit union.ac.uk/courses or contact admissions@union.ac.uk

Sun. 9th – Sat 15th July - ***North East Camp with C.E.F*** – Seaview Camp Centre, Kilkeel (transport provided from Ballymoney & Coleraine) for those who have completed P3-Year 10 (3rd year). Flyer/ booking form on vestibule.

BOOK AID *Charitable Trust collection* – the book store in Templepatrick are looking for used Bibles, Commentaries, devotionals, Christian books to be handed in for collection at the Ballywatt Manse. Please contact Rev. Collins for a suitable time. Bibles and books can be sent out to the mission field, especially Nigeria. Profit earned through book sales supports local ministries, initiatives & also employ staff.

Rota	Sunday 4th June	Sunday 11th June	Sunday 18th June	Sunday 25th June
Door Welcome	Jimmy Caldwell Jeni Caldwell	Jimmy Caldwell Jeni Caldwell	John McCrory Stanley Campbell	John McCrory Stanley Campbell
PowerPoint & Sound	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen Lyons Drew McClure	Tim Beattie Richard Lyons
Crèche	Children's Day – crèche will be available for anyone wanting to take their child out during the service.	Laura Cochrane Louise Kirk	Leanne Beattie Claire McAfee	Linda Nevin Sarah Lyons