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CHURCH NOTICES
(In the will of God)

4th May 2025

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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 4th May

11.05am **Kirk Session** to meet in the Committee Room.

11.30am **Communion Service** - Rev. Collins will conduct the service, read and preach the Word and administer the sacrament of the LORD's Supper with the help of our elders. Praise Group will give a lead during the service.
Please prayerfully consider donating to the PCI United Appeal for Mission using your May envelope.

7.00pm **Communion Thanksgiving Service** in the Committee Room.

This Week:

Tues 6th

10.00am **Tea & Tots** meet in the Moore Memorial Hall.
PW Crafters will **NOT** meet today BUT will meet again monthly, starting on Tuesday 20th May (10.00-11.30am)

2.00-4.00pm **Afternoon Bowls** in the hall.

7.30pm **Presbytery** - next stated meeting in Drumachose PC, Limavady (Prayer time at 7pm).

Wed 7th

8.00pm **Midweek: Congregational Prayer Time** in the Committee Room. Everyone welcome.

Thur 8th

9.45am **Ladies' prayer time** in the Committee Room**.**

6.30pm **Revival Prayer Meeting** at the Clark's home. All welcome.

Next Week:

Sun 11th

11.10am **Prayer time** before service in the minister's room - all warmly welcome.

11.30am **Morning service** - the Rev. Collins will conduct worship.
Christian Aid Week begins today & runs through to 17th May. This year, the focus will be on the poverty in the communities of Burundi, where over 70% of people face hunger and poverty every day. Please prayerfully consider making a donation through the provided envelopes in the foyer. Thank you.

3.30pm **Benvardin Orange Service** - Rev. Collins to conduct & Amanda to play organ. Everyone welcome.

Mon 12th

7.45pm **Congregational Committee** meet in the Committee Room. Please, let's have a good attendance if possible.

Tues 13th

10.00am **Tea and Tots** meet in the Moore Memorial Hall - LAST DAY in the hall for this year!

Thur 15th

9.45am **Ladies' prayer time** in the Committee Room**.**

6.30pm **Revival Prayer Meeting** at the Clark's home. All welcome.

Further Ahead:

Wed 21st May 4.30/4.45pm **Friendship Group** are closing their session with a get together at Aghadowey Presbyterian Church. A High Tea has been organised with the meal being served at 5pm approximately. See clipboard for meal details. Please indicate your intentions for attending and also any dietary requirements. Also indicate if you require transport from Ballywatt or if you are taking your own car/sharing lifts.

General:

Thursday 8th May - The **Causeway Coast & Glens Borough Council** will host a parade, ***Act of Remembrance*** & beacon lighting in The Diamond, Coleraine to mark '**VE Day 80.'** A military band will lead the Parade from Coleraine Leisure Centre at 8.30pm.
An Act of Remembrance will be held on the parade's arrival to The Diamond, followed by the beacon lighting at 9.30pm.
A stage & picnic tables will be set up in the entertainment space at the Bridge Street end of the Town Hall as well as a military village in Queen Street, with a programme of entertainment from 6.30pm until the beacon lighting at 9.30pm.
Further details about the event can be found at http://causewaycoastandglens.gov.news

Thank you to everyone who gave our **Easter Collection for the Causeway Foodbank**. Your generosity is much appreciated!

Please do prayerfully consider using your ***MAY envelope*** to give to "***the PCI United Appeal for Mission."***
Your giving will make a difference to a wide range of mission and ministry projects through 5 core areas: Council for Mission in Ireland (CMI); Council for Global Mission (CGM); Council for Congregational Life & Witness (CCLW); Council for Training in Ministry (CTM) & Council for Social Witness (CSW). Through prayer, generosity and involvement, we are all partners in the work of spreading the Gospel message and seeing God's Kingdom grow! Amen!!

Rota	**Sun 4th May**	**Sun 11th May**	**Sun 18th May**	**Sun 25th May**
Door Welcome	Joyce Lyons Jimmy Caldwell	John McCrory John Campbell	John McCrory John Campbell	Stanley Campbell Richard McClure
PowerPoint & Sound	Emma Radcliffe David Radcliffe	Stephen/Lydia Lyons Drew McClure	Tim/Josh Beattie Richard Lyons	Roy Wilson Emma Wilson