

Welcome



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presbyterian church

“ Meet Isaiah ”

Morning Service

Sunday 30th September 2012 at 11.00am

Call to Worship

Praise Hymn 161 Holy, Holy, Holy

Welcome

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Children's Address

Praise Hymn 150(KS) I'm Gonna Click
(Following the hymn Little Fishes is available for children aged between 0 – 3 years old. Little Fishes is supervised so parents may return into the church service. Children may leave for Kingfishers and Young people for Late Breakfast)

Scripture Reading – Isaiah 38: 1- 8, v21 to chapter 39 v 8

Bethany McDowell

Anthem The Lord's Delight, Nares

Prayers for Others Conor Martin

Introductions

Praise Paraphrase 18 Behold the mountain of the Lord

Sermon Derek McKelvey

Church Announcements

Offering

(Please stand as the Stewards bring the offering forward)

Prayer of Dedication

Praise – Hymn 246 Ye Servants of God

The Benediction

Organ Postlude

At the end of the service please join us for coffee/tea and a light lunch in the Church Halls. If you are visiting Fisherwick for the first time please introduce yourself to our ministers, Derek McKelvey, Kathryn Viner, Gary McDowell or any member of the congregation.

Prayer Ministry

Members of the Church's Prayer Ministry Team are available in the Prayer Chapel following morning worship for anyone who would like people to pray for them. Prayer is available to everyone whether you are a church member or not.

NEW TEACHING SERIES

September 2012 – June 2013

THIS MORNING

A 'Prophetic Voice' - Speaking what God has to say!
Launch of the winter morning series on Isaiah

Continuing tonight at Sunday Night Live 7.00pm
A Different Gospel – why write yet another gospel?
John and his passion

Each week there will be additional resources online on the church website (www.fisherwick.net and the church facebook page <http://www.facebook.com/Fisherwick>) including a Blog from Derek on the series. Go to the website and follow the links. There will also be readings each week in preparation for the following Sunday.

Readings for this week are:

Morning Service – Isaiah chapters 1:1 to 2:22

Sunday Night Live – John chapter 1:19 to 51

CONFIRMATION & BAPTISM

There will be a series of meetings for young people or adults wishing to become full members of the church either by Confirmation if they have already been baptised or by Baptism and Confirmation if they have not been baptised. Those interested in attending these classes should speak to Derek or send an email to derek@fisherwick.net.

Today

Sunday Night Live starts at 7.00pm and Kathryn will speak from John 1: 1 -18 "Speaking a language that people understand".

Sunday Services – 7th October

Sunday Morning Worship including Holy Communion starts at 11.00am and Derek will speak on "God's Agenda."

Sunday Night Live starts at 7.00pm and Michael Ots (from the Evangelism Trust) will speak from John 1: 35 -51.

Prayer for people

This week please pray for those in our congregation family who are in hospital, or in need of prayer. Please remember the following: Sylvia, Annabel, Mary and Ashleigh.

Prayer for others

MIDDLE EAST

The National Evangelical Synod of Syria and Lebanon (NESSL) is running a Refugees Assistance Programme for people who have become refugees due to the ongoing conflict in the country. The programme seeks to provide physical, spiritual and emotional support for displaced persons associated with the Synod. To date it has dispersed over \$90,000 in aid to make than 250 families and pastors in need. However, hundreds more are also in need and, with winter coming and the fighting continuing, the number of people requiring assistance is increasing. In response to this, the World Development Committee of the Board of Mission Overseas is sending £20,000 to NESSL for their Syrian Refugee Assistance Programme.

- Pray for the people of Syria continuing to suffer due to the ongoing conflict,

those who have lost loved ones, been injured and those who have been displaced from their homes.

- Pray too for church leaders and those running the Syrian Refugee Assistance Programme. Pray that the Programme will receive good support and be able to help all those in need.

CHURCH NOTICES

Over the next few weeks, Church Organisations and Groups start their new church year activities. Start dates are noted below. If you would like more information on any of these, please speak to Raymond Robinson, any member of staff or leader of the Organisation or Group.

Monday 1st October

The **Chess Club** meet each Monday night. The Chess Club contact is Michael Waters. If you are interested in joining the Chess Club please pass on your details to Raymond who will give them to Michael.

There is a **Life line Meeting** on Monday 1st September starting at 6.00pm.

Tuesday 2nd October

The **Ladies Badminton Club** starts at 10.00am in the Musgrave Hall.

Babies and Toddlers meet at 10.00am in the Minor Hall and Parlour.

The **Presbyterian Women (Afternoon Branch)** meeting for this month has been cancelled. The next meeting will be on 6th November at 2.30pm.

Over 18 Badminton Club starts at 7.30pm.

The **NET** continues on Tuesday at 8.00pm. The NET is an informal, student gathering for those who want to discuss and share what they believe. Whether you are exploring the Christian faith or a long-time Christian, come along as we explore what we believe and why we believe it. It is an opportunity to make good friends and grow in your faith over hot apple pie and custard. The Net meet in the church during term at 8.00pm. If you are interested in finding out more information please speak to Derek McKelvey or Raymond Robinson.

Wednesday 3rd October

Thank you to everyone who helped and attended the Coffee Morning to Support Macmillan Nurses last Wednesday.

This week is the **Wednesday Club Lunch** and is open to all of our senior (young at heart) adults. The Wednesday Club meet from 10.15am.

The **Bowling Club** meets in the Musgrave Hall at 7.30pm. All are welcome whether you are an experienced player or a beginner.

Choir Practice begins at 7.45pm. Anyone interested in joining the Choir, please talk to Neale Agnew our Musical Director.

Thursday 4th October

Students Lunches continue from 12.00pm to 2.00pm in the Church Halls. Anyone interested in assisting by volunteering to help on a Thursday or who wish to make a financial contribution to the work of student lunches, please speak to Ruth Crawford, Derek McKelvey or Raymond Robinson.

Girls and Boys Brigade continues at 6.30pm. The Girls Brigade is a Christian uniformed organisation for the girls aged 3 years and upwards. It is international and interdenominational. They meet on Thursday evenings in the Church Halls from September to April. Girls 3 - 8 years are called Explorers and meet from 6.30 - 7.30pm. The Juniors (P5-P7), Seniors (Form 1-3) and Brigaders (Form 4+) meet from 7.30 - 9.00pm.]The Boy's Brigade also meet on Thursday. The Anchor Boys (P1-P4) and the Junior Section (P5-P7) meet at 6.30 - 7.30pm.

We provide activities and opportunities for the girls and boys and help them find new interests, learn new skills and discover their gifts. It is all about having fun and meeting new friends.

Friday 5th October

The **Friday Morning Congregational Prayer Meeting** starts at 7.30am in Wilson House, which is open to everyone to attend. The prayer meeting will finish at 8.15am, however if you have to leave earlier that is fine.

Youth Club. Every Friday night a large group of vibrant teenagers descend on Fisherwick from 7.30pm. It is a chance for the young people (and leaders) to unwind after a long week and enjoy a diverse sports programme. There is also a chance to chat and relax.

Thursday 4th to Saturday 6th October

The Going Deeper Prayer Ministry Course will run on Thursday and Friday evening and all day Saturday in the church. People from a wide cross section of churches are attending.

Monday 8th October

The Presbyterian Women (Evening Branch) meet at 7.45pm. Gary McDowell is the guest speaker. All women are welcome.

SMALL GROUPS

Small Groups meet fortnightly, mostly in homes across Belfast. Each group is unique in style and format but they all exist for people to meet together, form real relationships and encourage one another as we live life following Jesus. If you would like to meet new people and grow in your faith then join a small group. For information about Small Groups in Fisherwick check out the information boards beside the Coffee Bar, the website or contact the Church Office. The Small group Co-Ordinators are Peter and Linda Little.

LITTLE FISHES

Little Fishes is in the parlour. It is a place for parents to leave their babies and toddlers during the church service. There are supervised activities, toys and a snack time during Little Fishes. There is also a designated baby area with a protective screen with a Little Fishes leader supervising. Please introduce yourself to the Little Fishes leaders on duty as you arrive and sign in. The Little Fishes co-ordinator is Lynne Guiney. If you would like to be part of the Little Fishes Team then either speak to Lynne or contact the church office and your details will be forwarded.

Little Fishes Rota - October

07/10/12	Louise Scullion	Peter Scullion	Peter Little	Helen Bridgett
14/10/12	Janette Wilson	Rebecca Liggett	Peter Little	Helen Bridgett
21/10/12	Janette Wilson	Rebecca Liggett	Hannah Hooks	Lucy Armstrong
28/10/12	Kate Gray	Susan Parkinson	Hannah Hooks	Lucy Armstrong

Clothing in the Musgrave Hall Corridor

There is a wide selection of clothing items in the Hall on the racks that has been there for some time. Please check this, if relevant to you. Items will be

removed in two weeks time by the Facilities Committee and donated to a charitable cause.

The Beehive Club

An information evening for the Beehive Club will be held on Monday 1st October at Taughmonagh Church at 7.30pm. The Beehive Club offers a programme of worship, music, art and craft for those in the 18 plus age group who experience learning difficulties. For more information speak to Shelagh Caldwell.

Fisherwick Presbyterian Women

invite you to a

Harvest Supper

with a Musical Interlude on

Monday 15th October 2012 at 7.30 pm

in the Musgrave Hall, Fisherwick Church, Chlorine Gardens, Belfast.

Suggested Donation £10.00 Proceeds in aid of PW Projects at Home and Overseas

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM SUNDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER

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