

Welcome



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presbyterian church

“Out of Africa Missions Report”

South Africa Team – July 2012

Morning Service and Holy Communion

Sunday 9th September 2012 at 11.00am

Call to Worship

Hymn 246
Hymn 245

You servants of God your Master proclaim
We are a moment you are forever

Welcome

Children's Address

Where is South Africa?

Praise - Hymn 152

We are marching

(Following the hymn Creche is available for children aged between 0 – 3 years old. Creche is supervised so parents may return into the church service.)

Scripture Reading

Exodus 1: 8 - 22

Anthem

Ride the chariot

South Africa Team

Prayers for Others

Praise

Church Announcements

Offering

(Please stand as the Stewards bring the offering forward)

Prayer of Dedication & Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

Call to Communion

Distribution

During which we will sing The Lord's my Shepherd
and Thank you for the cross Lord

The Peace**Aaronic Blessing**

Praise - Hymn 380 Alleuia Sing to Jesus

The Benediction

Organ Postlude Paeon, Morrow

At the end of the service please join us for coffee/tea at the back of the church. 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.

Today

The **Prayer Ministry Team** meet at 5.30pm in Wilson House.

Sunday Night Live starts at 7.00pm and is the continuation of our summer series "My Vision of Church". Derek McKelvey will speak tonight.

Sunday Services – 16th September

Sunday Morning Worship starts at 11.00am with Kathryn Viner speaking on "Leaping over walls with God" from 2 Samuel 22 and Psalm 18. Sunday Night Live starts at 7.00pm and David Cromie will speak tonight.

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, Emerald, Emily and Ashleigh.

Prayer for others

THE MIDDLE EAST

The National Evangelical Synod of Syria and Lebanon (NESSL) has written to its partners throughout the world (including PCI) asking for prayer for Syria. Rev Fadi Dagher, General Secretary of the Synod writes, *“Friends beyond the tragic situation from human and economic points of views around the country, the Christians in particular are deeply concerned about their presence.”* Indeed, *some churches have been purposely hit and totally destroyed and some Christians have been directly threatened”* (For more information go to www.pcimissionoverseas/news/).

- For an immediate end to the violence; for peace and security, and God’s righteousness to prevail in Syria.

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 10th September

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 NO Moderators Committee meeting tonight.

Tuesday 11th September

The **Ladies Badminton Club** starts at 10.00am in the Musgrave Hall. There is **NO Over 18 Badminton Club** tonight due to Fisherwick hosting the IFA Welcome Meals.

IFA Welcome Meals 11th & 12th September

There are two International Friendship Association Welcome Meals being held in the church halls on Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th September. Two thousand students study in Northern Ireland each year and this is an opportunity

to welcome them. We are looking for volunteers to assist on both evenings. If you can help please speak to Derek McKelvey or Raymond Robinson this morning.

Wednesday 12th September

The **Wednesday Club** meet from 10.15am.

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

Friday 14th September

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.

Church Weekend 14th -16th September

The Church Weekend is on 14th-16th September at Ganaway.

Monday 17th September

There is a **Board of Management** meeting on Monday 17th September starting at 7.30pm.

Tuesday 18th September

The **Babies & Toddlers Group** starts at 10.00am and meet in the Minor Hall.

Wednesday 19th September

The **Bowling Club** meets in the Musgrave Hall at 7.30pm.

Thursday 20th September

Girls and Boys Brigade begins tonight starting 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.

Tuesday 25th September

The **NET** starts on Tuesday 25th September 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.

Thursday 27th September

Students Lunches start on Thursday 27th September. 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.

Friday 28th September

Youth Club starts on Friday 28th September. 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. More details will follow in the next few weeks.

Saturday 29th September – SOS Bus Fundraiser

In aid of the SOS Bus, a community dragon boat challenge and Family Fun day. For more information there are leaflets at the back of the church or speak with Joe Hyland. For registration packs, telephone 02890664505. Or email communityfundraisingteam@sosbusni.com.

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.

CRECHE

Creche 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 crèche. There is also a designated baby area with a protective screen with a crèche leader supervising. Please introduce yourself to the crèche leaders on duty as you arrive and sign in. The crèche co-ordinator is Lynne Guiney. If you would like to be part of the Creche Team then either speak to Lynne or contact the church office and your details will be forwarded.

Creche Rota - September

9th	Janette Wilson, Rebecca Liggett, Sharon McIntyre, Lucy Armstrong.
16th	Janette Wilson, Rebecca Liggett, Claire McCoy, Lucy Armstrong
23rd & 30th	Kate Gray, Susan Parkinson, Jonathan Viner, Alex Cameron

At the Bookstall – Arthritis Care Fund Raiser

To Cut a Long Story Short! – Feature articles and short stories, by Jim McDowell, available today at the bookstall! £10.

Revival 2012

An Evening Celebration on Friday 28th September in the Odyssey Arena, Belfast starting at 7.30pm with Nicky Gumbel and Robin Mark.

This is an exciting opportunity for Christians and their friends to join together in worship before God. With Robin Mark leading praise and Nicky Gumbel of the Alpha Course speaking. Tickets are free and Fisherwick have acquired 50 tickets for the evening.

If you want to attend, please put your name on the list at the back of the church. We have only 50 tickets available.

WEDNESDAY 26th

FISHERWICK WEDNESDAY CLUB, invite you to join them for a Coffee Morning to support the Macmillan Nurses On Wednesday 26th September 2012, 10.30 am to 12.00 noon in the Minor Hall. Sale of Chutneys, Lemon Curd and Jams.

All proceeds for the Macmillan Cancer Support. Everyone is welcome.

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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