

Sunday 3 December 2017

Welcome to worship in Carnmoney! We hope that you will be challenged and moved in our services and that you will be able to participate fully with us in the praise of God. If you are new to the congregation you will find information about our activities at the Reception Desk in the main vestibule.

09.30/MORNING WORSHIP
11.00/MORNING WORSHIP
18.00/EVENING WORSHIP
(Evening Service in Church)
IKON
Hebrews 1:1-4

CHRISTMAS POST

COFFEE MORNING

WHITE RIBBON CAMPAIGN

9.30 & 11.00/MORNING WORSHIP
LITTLE STARS FOR CHILDREN UP TO
NURSERY AGE.

WINTER PICNIC

Shepherds' Treasure will be held today after morning worship in the Church Centre at Carnmoney for our annual indoor picnic. Bring your own lunch and enjoy some time with other members of our church. We'll provide hot chocolate, baked goods, crafts for kids, games and an interactive experience of the shepherds' journey to discover the greatest treasure of all. Plan to come and invite your world!

THANKSGIVING & BAPTISM CLASS

The next Thanksgiving and Baptism Class will be held today at 5.00pm in the Church Cafe for parents requesting Thanksgiving or Baptism for their infants.

SUNDAY 10 DECEMBER

09.30/MORNING WORSHIP

11.00/MORNING WORSHIP

18.00/EVENING WORSHIP

IKON

1. Combatant - God declares war

Genesis 3:14-15; 1 John 3:8

PRAYER MINISTRY

is available after all services

PODCAST MINISTRY

Audio podcasts of Sunday sermons can be accessed on the Media page of our website or at carnmoney.podbean.com or on iTunes (just search for "Carnmoney")

INFORMATION

The Welcome Desk is open before and after worship. Please use the information cards to keep in touch.

Green Cards - to request information about joining and supporting our ministries and activities.

Multi-Coloured Cards - to register an interest in using your gifts to serve.

Blue Cards - to inform us of pastoral information about yourself or someone else. Michael Wylie will respond to information on the Green and Multi-Coloured cards, and Jean Pillar to the Blue cards.

THE GRACE OF GIVING

Be Joyful and Generous!

Thanksgiving Appeal. £18,264 has been received to date from 103 contributors.

Please consider how you can support this. Gift Envelopes available from Information Desk.

As you consider your regular giving for 2017 you can help by:

- Increasing your regular givings to church funds either by standing order or weekly envelope. Please let us know your amount of standing order increase so that we can update our records.
- Using the link on the Church Website to the Just Giving page
- To give up to £10 – Text "CARN99 £amount" to 70070

COFFEE MORNING

The Pastoral Care team would like to invite the over 60s to their monthly Coffee Morning which will be held in the Church Centre Coffee Bar on Monday 4 December from 10.30am - 12 noon. We would love you to drop in for tea/coffee and a chat.

It will be an opportunity to build community and develop relationships. Please invite your neighbours, friends and relatives - all will be made most welcome!

NEWS, EVENTS & NOTICES

A BIG THANK YOU

to all who contributed in any way towards our coffee morning held in aid of NI Hospice. We raised a total of £1380. Thank you on behalf of the Hospice and the Crockett family.

WORLD DEVELOPMENT APPEAL ENVELOPES

World Development is a Presbyterian Church programme, helping people trapped by poverty who cannot free themselves. It works in long term partnership with the poor, changing lives and communities for the better. It supports projects in every continent and channels its resources through Christian Aid and Tearfund. An information leaflet together with a small amount of World Development Appeal envelopes are available at the Information Desk for anyone who would like to contribute.

FINANCE UPDATE

We are coming to the end of our financial year again and the last date that we can receive monies into the Church accounts for 2017 will be Sunday 31 December.

Would Treasurers of our organisations please note that any donations to the Church for heat, light, minibus etc for 2017 should be submitted as soon as possible.

Draft Organisation accounts should be submitted to the Church Office by Friday 15th December. Final accounts with small adjustments for bank charges and/or interest should be sent to the Church Office by Friday 5th January together with copies of your bank statements as our external audit is scheduled for 17th and 18th January 2018.

Many thanks to the counting teams, those who help with data input and Organisation Treasurers for your continued dedication and support which is much appreciated.
Finance Team

PW

The next meeting of PW will be held on Tuesday in the upstairs meeting room at 8pm. We will be 'Celebrating Christmas' with Virginia Davis and with carols and readings to remind us of Jesus' birth. Anyone wishing to give to the PW Missionary Fund please bring on Tuesday night as this is the last opportunity before the books close this year. All ladies welcome.

TOTS & CO

Every Wednesday in the Sports Hall from 10.30am - 12.00 noon for newborn infants to pre-school children. For further information contact Jean Pillar.

CHAT N PLAY

Wednesday in the Meeting Room from 9.30am
This week we will be making a craft for Christmas. All ladies welcome.

DISCIPLESHIP COMMUNITIES

Our groups meet in the following areas:

Wednesday 6 December

Kimberley / Shorelands / Templepatrick / Carol Gardens / Ballyclare / Craiglands / Farm Lodge

Thursday 7 December

Belfast / Doagh / Greenisland

For more details contact Michael Wylie.

24/7 PRAYER AT CHRISTMAS

During the first 3 weekends in December we're hosting continuous prayer in the prayer room of the church centre from 9am on Saturday morning to 9am on Sunday morning. Take some time in this frantic season to hear God's voice, experience His presence and bring before Him the real and deepest needs of our world. If you would like to book a slot, please contact Michael Wylie. (Dates 9th & 10th Dec, 16th & 17th Dec).

NEWS, EVENTS & NOTICES

NEW TO CARNMONEY?

If you're new to Carnmoney Church and would like to get to know us a little better, we'd love to meet you. On Sunday 17th December at 10:30am we'll serve tea, coffee and baked goods in the coffee bar and offer you the chance to meet the leaders and ask any questions you may have. For those attending 6:30pm worship we'll provide pizza in the coffee bar after the service. Please contact Michael Wylie or John Dickinson if you're interested in coming along.

AFTERNOON TEA

Members of the congregation who are making their own transport arrangements to the Templeton Hotel for Afternoon Tea on Tuesday 12 December are asked to be seated between 2.00pm and 2.15pm.

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS EVENT

Saturday 9 December at 4.30pm – 5.30pm
This year we're delivering an all-age Christmas Event in Ballyduff Community Centre. Carols, Stories, Media Presentation and light refreshments. If you're available on the Saturday and would like to join us, we'd love to have you with us. As we develop ministry in Ballyduff, we appreciate your support, presence and prayers. Jamie McMillan & Michael Wylie

WHY NOT TAKE OUT A HERALD SUBSCRIPTION FOR 2018?

The Presbyterian Herald is the monthly magazine of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. Containing news, features and general information about our Church's work, both at home and overseas, it is a useful way to keep up to date with what is going on in PCI. Why not give someone a subscription for Christmas this year or think about taking a subscription out for yourself. A yearly subscription of 10 issues costs just £10/€12 through our congregational agent Kate Elliott

women's aid

Antrim, Ballymena, Carrickfergus, Larne and Newtownabbey

The White Ribbon Campaign is an international campaign, which originated in Canada in 1991 by a group of men in condemnation of violence and abuse against women, wherever it takes place. Wearing a White Ribbon is a statement that says the wearer will pledge:

'Never to commit, condone or stay silent about violence against women.'

Atrocities against women and girls are committed every day in every country. At least one out of every three women has been beaten, coerced into sex, or otherwise abused in her lifetime, according to a study based on 50 surveys from around the world. In the UK, on average, two women per week are killed by a partner or former partner. In Northern Ireland, PSNI respond to an incident of domestic violence and abuse every 18.5 minutes of every day; In this local area alone, Women's Aid support an average of 1,400 women and 9000 children every year. We have seen the tragedy when women, mothers, are seriously injured or murdered by partners, and the devastation that leaves behind for families.

Domestic violence and abuse is not confined to a small section of our community. Victims, and perpetrators come from all walks of life, and no religious denomination is exempt.

Many victims of domestic violence and abuse sit in pews every Sunday. You know them but you may not know what they are living with.

Please support the White Ribbon Campaign by donating - A box and White Ribbons are at the back of the Church.

NEWS, EVENTS & NOTICES



STRUGGLING WITH DEBT?

Call free on 0800 328 0006

www.capuk.org

Daniel Black Centre Manager

0798 3420018

HELP NEEDED - CAP CHRISTMAS DINNER - FRIDAY 8 DECEMBER

The CAP team are looking for help with preparations, decorations, serving, looking after children and clearing up!

We'll also accept donations to help pay for costs! If you can help with any of this, please contact Daniel on daniel.black@carnmoney.org or 07983420018 or Christine Dickinson.

WINTER FUEL ALLOWANCE

Have you had your winter fuel allowance yet? Is your oil tank already full? Many CAP clients do not have heating oil at present. If you wish to donate please speak to Daniel.

HANDYMAN NEEDED!

We have a local CAP client who needs a little bit of help around the house to put up curtain rails, change a toilet seat, etc. If you could spare an hour or 2 and have the skills, get in touch with Dan on 07983420018 or daniel.black@carnmoney.org

FOOD BANK CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Thank you for your continued support to the Foodbank for which we are extremely grateful. Since we opened the Foodbank in April 2015 we have fed 7218 people, 3915 adults and 3303 children.

We start packing the Christmas hampers at the beginning of December, so we are requesting donations of Christmas items over the next few weeks. This will enable volunteers to complete the packing and be in a position to deliver the hampers 2 weeks before Christmas.

We are asking our Carnmoney congregation to donate SHORTBREAD and SWEETS this year. Please leave your donations in the trolley at Church or the 4 Permanent Collection Point in Tesco Northcott. Thank you again for your generosity.

CHRISTMAS POST

Once again Christmas cards will be delivered in the area to raise funds for the World Development Fund. Someone will be in the reception area of the halls from 7pm – 9pm Monday 4th – Friday 8th December.

As a 2nd class stamp is now priced at 56p this is a great way to send some of your cards in the area and raise money at the same time for a very worthy cause.

In a similar way to the Dock Café at Titanic, I am not putting a minimum charge on the cards but rather will leave it to the individual to decide how much to put in the money tin. Christmas post delivery areas are shown in the bulletin.

CHRISTMAS POST DELIVERY AREAS

Christmas cards will be delivered to raise funds for the work of the World Development fund which supports the work of Tear Fund and Christian Aid amongst others.

There is no minimum charge this year, I would ask that people give what they believe is an appropriate amount. Remember all monies raised will go to a very worthy cause.

Abernethy		Earlford		Parkgate	
Archvale		Elmwood		Pembroke	
Ashgrove					
Ashbourne		Fairhill		Ravelston	
Antrim Road#		Fairview		Ravensdale	
		FarmLodge		Richmond	
Ballyclare Road^		Ferndale		Rogan Manor	
Ballyduff Road		Fernridge			
Ballyduff*				Sentry Hill	
Ballyhenry		Glencraig		Sharonmore	
Beechgrove		Glencroft		Sherwood	
Beverley		Glenkyle		St Annes	
Ballyrobert		Glendemere			
Ballyearl		Glebe Road		Templepatrick	
Blackthorn		Greenacres		The Cairn	
Brackens		Greenhill			
Brambles		Glebe Manor		Waverley	
Briar				Woodford	
Burnthill		Jordanstown		Wynnland	
Carnmoney Road		Kimberley		#Antrim Road takes in from	
Carnhill		Knockview		KFC to Sandyknowes only	
Carntall Road					
Carnvue		Lakeview		^Ballyclare Road takes in from	
Carol				Glengormley to Ballyhenry only	
Carwood		Manse Road			
Cedars		Mallusk		* If posting to Ballyduff or	
Coolehill		Moss Road		New Mossley please include	
Coole Park		Mossley		this in the address as it helps	
Christine				sorting	
Craiglands		New Mossley*			
				Please do not put anything else	
Dalewood		Oaklands		in the envelope	
Dorchester		Oldwood			

STAFF CONTACT DETAILS

MONDAY

Over 60s Coffee Morning
first Monday of every month from 10.30am -
12 noon in the Coffee Bar.

BB Junior Section / P5 - P7 / 7pm – 9pm
Bowling Club / 7pm
BB Badminton / 9pm

TUESDAY

GB Ladybirds / age 3-P1 / 6pm - 7pm
GB Explorers / P2-P4/ 6pm- 7.15pm
GB Juniors / P5-P7 / 7.15pm - 8.30pm
GB Seniors /Y8-Y10/ 7.30pm - 9pm
GB Brigaders / Y11-Y14 / 7.30pm- 9pm
PW / 1st & 3rd Tues /8pm

WEDNESDAY

Tots & Co / 10.30am - 12.00 noon
Chat & Play / 9.30am
Discipleship Communities /
1st & 3rd week
Badminton / 7.30pm
Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme
7.00pm - 9pm

THURSDAY

BB Pre Anchors / Nursery & P1 / 6pm-7pm
BB Anchors / P2 - P4 /7pm-8pm
BB Company Section / Y8+ / 7.45pm-9.45pm

FRIDAY

Christian Endeavour
All Sections / 3-18 yrs / 6.30pm - 7.30pm
Bowls / 7pm

SATURDAY

Junior Youth Club P4-P7 / 6.30pm- 8pm

SUNDAY

Little Stars up to Nursery age
Connect/ Year 8 upwards /11.30am-12.30pm.
Sunday's Kool /Nursery-P7
Fusion / Year 8 upwards / 8pm-9.45pm

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WORSHIP, COMMUNITY, WITNESS.

As part of God's family we exist to worship Jesus Christ, follow His example and share with everyone the Good News of His love.

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