

**OTHER INFORMATION:**

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER:** If you have prayer requests please use the prayer box in the hallway. Prayers for Healing are held the second Monday of each month at 11am at Bushvale Presbyterian Church.

**WHEELCHAIRS** - The church is fitted with four designated spaces for wheelchair users on the ground floor. For more information, please speak with stewards at the door.

**LOOP SYSTEM** - The church is fitted with a loop system. Please adjust hearing aids to the 'T' position.

**NOTICES** for the Bulletin to Dorothy Eslor by midday Thursday latest  
Tel: 2766 8963 E: [dorothyeslor@hotmail.com](mailto:dorothyeslor@hotmail.com)

**CARETAKER** If you need to contact the church caretaker, Mrs Bridie Murdock, her telephone number is (028 2073 1456).

**HOSPITAL VISITS** When any member of the congregation is admitted to the Causeway Hospital Rev Nancy would appreciate if relatives would notify her. The official notification from the hospital doesn't always get through in time.

**THE JAR 2017**

Jar total to end of **April £592.21**. . Please put £1 in the jar each week for the building fund. (Next update April). Visitors who wish to support our appeal are welcome to do so! Thank you.

**ROTAS**

**VESTIBULE STEWARDS AND COLLECTORS**




**MAY**

**Front Door and Offering** David McAllister, Brian McElwee, Ian McMillan, Doreen Armstrong

**Upstairs** Brian Moore, Robert Chestnutt

**PLEASE NOTE:** Upstairs collectors will meet and greet at the New Hall door. If anyone is unable to do their Sunday, please get someone to cover or let **George Steele know (Contact No 2073 0406)**

**GRAVEYARD MAINTENANCE FOR MAY – George Steele**

	Sun 14 May Sun 21 May Sun 28 May	Adele Geary, Doreen Armstrong Adele Geary, Doreen Armstrong Adele Geary, Ellen Creith
	Sun 14 May Sun 21 May Sun 28 May	Moira Taggart, Ellen Creith Edith Blair, Gillian Mulligan Pauline Knox, Trevor Knox
	Sun 14 May Sun 21 May Sun 28 May	Mrs I McAllister Mrs S McCallum Mrs E Moody
<b>DROP IN ROTA</b>	Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> May Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> May Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Edith and Kenny Blair Anne Holmes and Gillian Mulligan Joan McAlister and Dorothy Eslor

# Bushmills Presbyterian Church

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Welcome to Bushmills Presbyterian Church. Please stay afterwards for refreshments in the Minor Hall. All are welcome to use the crèche facilities upstairs. A door steward will guide you



## MORNING WORSHIP

### CALL TO WORSHIP

**PRAISE** G to G 111 For the healing of the nations

### PRAYER

### READING

**PRAISE** G to G 49 I, the Lord of sea and sky  
(Children come to the front of the church during this Hymn)

### CHILDREN'S ADDRESS

**PRAISE** G to G 87 Jesus went to worship  
(Children leave for Children's Church)

### READING

### OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**PRAISE** G to G 40 Father, hear the prayer we offer

### TALK

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

**PRAISE** G to G 117 (first 3 verses) Lord, bring the day to pass

### BENEDICTION

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at 11.30am**

### THIS WEEK:

Sun 14 May	10.40am	<b>Bible</b> Class for all children of secondary school age (finishing at 11.20am)
	11.30am	<b>Christian Aid Morning Worship</b> led by Rev Brian Cockcroft
Tues 16 May	2.00pm	<b>U3A Table Tennis</b>
Wed 17 May	9.45am	<b>Bush Tots</b>
Fri 19 May	9.30am	<b>Friday Fabrics</b>

### NEXT WEEK:

Sun 21 May	10.40am	<b>Bible Class</b> for all children of secondary school age (finishing at 11.20am)
	11.30am	<b>Morning Worship</b> led by Rev Noel Ward
	7.00pm	<b>Evening Worship</b> Dunluce Presbyterian church is a 'Children's Day' Service We are also welcome at the 7pm service on the 28 <sup>th</sup> May during which new Elders will be ordained at Dunluce
Tues 23 May	2.00pm	<b>U3A Table Tennis</b>
Wed 24 May	9.45am	<b>Bush Tots</b>
Fri 26 May	9.30am	<b>Friday Fabrics</b>

**The Rev Jones** is on holiday leave from **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May until Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May**. In case of pastoral emergency, please contact the Rev Alan Buick at 2073 0514.

**During the absence** of Rev Dr Nancy Cubitt the Rev Mark Jones will be in charge of pulpit cover and any emergency pastoral needs. He can be contacted at Roseyards Manse Tel 028 2074 2599 or by email [mjones@presbyterianireland.org](mailto:mjones@presbyterianireland.org)

**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK** runs, this year, **from Sunday 14th to Saturday 20th May**. As you leave the church on **Sunday 14th May** you will receive the familiar red envelope for your contribution to the work of Christian Aid. The focus this year is on refugees, the focus of Christian Aid when it first began in 1945.

The eight churches in our area taking part in this special week have in the past contributed so much and we would encourage you to continue this trend with your usual generosity. Don't forget to fill in the part on your envelope which enables Christian Aid to benefit from gift aid. Return your envelope on the offering plate on any of the remaining Sundays in May or in the first two Sundays in June. Envelopes will be available in the porch of the church for anyone who misses out on **Sunday 14th**.

### UNITED APPEAL

The target for this year's United Appeal is £9,414, total raised to date is £2,000. You will find United Appeal envelopes at the back of your Freewill Offering pack.

### MODERATOR'S APPEAL FOR THE EAST AFRICA CRISIS

The Moderator has launched an Appeal to provide emergency relief for those affected by famine in East Africa (especially in South Sudan, Ethiopia, Kenya and Somalia), following the worst drought to hit the region in over half a century. The PCI have immediately released £60,000 towards the emergency relief effort. If you wish to donate to this Appeal please use the yellow envelopes in the pews and mark them **MODERATOR'S APPEAL**.

Remember to complete the Gift Aid section, and place them on the collection plate.

**BUS TRIP TO SPRUCEFIELD** on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May leaving the Church at 9.30am, returning 7.00pm, stopping on the way home for salad tea in Randalstown Presbyterian Church. This is open to all members of the congregation and friends. Sign up sheets are available in the front porch and the link corridor. (Cost is £20.00 per person).

### SAVE THE DATE!

Elizabethtown College Concert Choir and Jazz Band will be performing here on **Thursday May 25<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm**. This is a Music College in Pennsylvania and their performances are of the highest standard. It includes the music of Durufle, Brahms, Lauridsen, Djello, African American Spirituals and of course Legends of the Big Band Jazz Stage. Madison Button who was here last summer is a student there. Please make every effort to attend. You won't be disappointed! Cost of admission £5.00. Proceeds will go to the church building fund.

**'STAND BY ME TABLE QUIZ'** in Roseyards Presbyterian Church Hall on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm We hope to make this a fun, multi-media, not too difficult, something for everyone table quiz which all will enjoy. Bring a team of up to 6 people, or join a team on the night. Donations in aid of Bethany School in Bekoji, Ethiopia.



**DROP-IN FRIDAYS** will be serving coffee/tea **from 10.30am to 12 noon** every **Friday morning** beginning **19<sup>th</sup> May** in the Minor Hall and will continue on Fridays over the summer. You will be very welcome to drop in for a chat. A rota of helpers is available on the Notice Board in the

Link corridor and also in the weekly bulletin. These mornings are free or donations may be made to our building fund.

**BANK OF ENGLAND £5 PAPER NOTES** - A reminder that these notes are no longer legal tender.