from Restored Ministries

Coffee, Craft & Bric-a-Brac Morning

Everyone Welcome!

in St. Patrick's Church, Coleraine

Saturday 9th December 2023

from 10.30 am – 12.30 pm

Christmas Music

COUNTERPOINT CHOIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Friday 1st December at 7.30pm

in St. Patrick's Church, Coleraine.
Special Guests: Joanna Higgins (soprano), Cheryl McCay (Cello), Julie McClelland (Piano) Tim Cairns (Flute), Adrian Millar (Trumpet) & Andrew Harrison (Organ).

Suggested subscription £10 payable at the door.

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St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's Weekly News sheet

Sunday 19th November 2023

This Sunday 19th November Family Service & Baptism in St. Patrick's 10am & St. Andrew's 11.30am

Next Sunday 26th November Morning Prayer in St. Patrick's 10am & St. Andrew's 11.30am

Sunday morning prayer!
What better way to settle ourselves before the Sunday morning service than to take 10 minutes in stillness and prayer. You are welcome to join us in the Side Chapel from around 9.40am so please feel free to slip in during that time. We will aim to be in our seats by 9.55pm. - Thanks.

Parish Prayers continue each Tuesday in St. Andrew's Ballysally at 7pm please join us, everyone welcome.

Wednesday Communion continues at 1pm.

Parish office: St. Andrew's Church, Hazeldene Drive, Ballysally.
opening hours Monday to Friday 9am to 1pm 028 7034 4213
If there is a pastoral emergency please contact Rev. Malcolm Ferry 028 7083 2538

AUTUMN PRAYER POINTS (Nov)

You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you (Isaiah 26:3)

A prayer for ourselves

Lord you know my hunger for you and I know your desire to make yourself known to me. Grant me therefore gracious Lord, eyes to see, ears to hear, and a mind to understand your ways. Cause me to become more aware of you and more fully attentive to your Presence. Help me to notice your activity in the world around me and be responsive to the nudges of your Spirit. Above all, let my ordinary little life be full of you, for your glory. Amen.
(from Attentive to God: being aware of God's presence in daily life by Tony Horsfall)

Our Parish

Give thanks for the BB and GB Enrolment Service and let us be faithful in keeping our promise to pray for the members and leaders, (and also of the Sunday Schools in both St Patrick's and St Andrew's), as they meet from week to week———-that our young people would grow and develop in these safe environments and come to know Jesus as their Saviour and Lord.

Our community

Continue to pray for those affected by the economic downturn, especially as the commercial pressure around Christmas gathers momentum. Pray that many would resist it, not overspend, and discover rather the true meaning and values of the season.

Our world

Faced with so much trouble worldwide, and now especially in the Middle East, let us rest in the biblical truths that this is God's world, he ultimately is sovereignly in control and will work out his purposes. Meanwhile we pray for aid to come to the suffering, particularly in Gaza, for protection on the Christian church there and for peace and a just settlement to come.

MISSION

Pray for Claire Holmes over the next six weeks as she leads a Prison Fellowship Restorative Justice course. Also pray for Claire as she leads the final children's ministries workshop for leaders in S. America via zoom on November 11
(Please check the Mission Table weekly for latest news of our Mission Partners)

Ballysally foodbank donations

We continue to donate towards the Ballysally Building Together project. Items of greatest value to the team at present include tinned meat and fish, tinned fruit and vegetables, soup, creamed rice and packets of pasta or noodles which only require the addition of hot water. Monetary donations towards the female hygiene project or foodbank are also welcomed. At present, around 70 families are availing themselves of your donations, helping them survive difficult financial times.
The food baskets are delivered on Mondays between 10am- 2pm. If you could help with this on a rota basis, please contact Laverne in the Parish office, or speak to the church wardens.

Churchwatchers
Deliver foodbank donations
Flower Team
Contact office or a Churchwarden

ST PATRICK'S HOSPITALITY ROTA

FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH	HOLY COMMUNION	NO TEA OR COFFEE AFTER SERVICE
SECOND SUNDAY	ORGANISED BY	RENA LINDSAY AND FRIENDS
THIRD SUNDAY	ORGANISED BY	JACKIE BENNETT AND FRIENDS
FOURTH SUNDAY	ORGANISED BY	DAVID & GILLIAN ANDERSON /ROBIN HOLMES