

Newtownbreda (St. John's) Presbyterian Church  
Announcements: 13th May, 2018

Welcome to everyone, especially any visitors with us this morning.

There will be the usual Traidcraft stall in the Foyer after the morning service for you to make your Fairtrade purchases.



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*Sunday*            **Christian Aid Week:** collectors' bags are available in the Foyer  
*13th May -*        after church. If unable to collect yours please contact John  
*Saturday*        Herron on 079 0967 2750 who will deliver your bag. Thank you  
*19th May*        to all those who have volunteered. There are still some vacant  
collecting slots if anyone is interested in helping.

*Tuesday*        10.30am **Carers and Tots.**  
*15th May*

7.00pm    **Finance Sub-Committee** in the Church Office.  
7.45pm    **Congregational Committee** in the Megaw Room.

*Wednesday*    5.30pm - 7.30pm **Pizza Nights** continue every Wednesday until the end of  
*16th May*        August. You are invited to come along, choose your own toppings and then  
enjoy your wood-fire cooked pizza with others from the congregation and  
the wider community. There are also openings for additional people to help  
with a wide variety of tasks. One of the organising team will be in the Foyer  
after church each Sunday with a sign up sheet for helpers for the following  
Wednesday. They will be wearing a black apron with the church logo on it to  
help you spot them.

*Thursday*        7.30pm **Prayer Group** meets in the Office.  
*17th May*

*Friday*            10.30am **Coffee and Chat.** A new sign-up sheet for volunteers is on the Foyer  
*18th May*        noticeboard. How about trying something new? Jacynth and Barbara.

*Saturday*        2.00pm - 5.00pm **Voices Together Community Choir**  
*19th May*                           Creative Director: Dave Stewart  
Come and join us for a taster workshop! People of all ages and backgrounds  
welcome. No need for prior experience, just a love of singing in good  
company.        Tenors - male or female - particularly welcome!  
Join us in the Megaw room on one or both of these dates:  
                         Saturday 19 May, 9 June.  
For further details contact [janetuprichard@googlemail.com](mailto:janetuprichard@googlemail.com)  
or visit our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/VoicesTogether>

7.30pm **'Caim' Celtic Harmony Trio in the Church (please note change of venue)** An evening of song, harp, flute, story, dance and refreshments supporting **'Send a Cow'**.

## General

**Pastoral Cover** Rev Anne is away from 7<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> May. During this time if you need a minister please contact Rev Bill Haslett on 028 9180 0859 or Rev Karen Mbayo on 078 8230 0401.

*Sunday* 10.30am Rev Bill Haslett  
*20th May*

**Sunday coffee and tea:** would anyone who is willing to help serve tea and coffee during the summer please sign the list on the Foyer notice board or speak to Margaret Robinson.

**Catering for the community:** why not come along every Tuesday at 1.00pm for a healthy cooked meal prepared by Root Soup, with desserts, tea and coffee and served in our Foyer. All dietary requirements can be catered for. Everybody will be made welcome Cost £3.50.

*Sunday* 10.30am Rev Anne  
*27th May*

**Chronicle:** would all those who have articles for the June Edition of the Chronicle please have them with the editor by 27th May. Please phone 9058 3401 or email [newtownbredachronicle@hotmail.com](mailto:newtownbredachronicle@hotmail.com)

*Tuesday* **Asante Outing** to Greyabbey House. Anyone wishing to have a tour of the gardens and house followed by supper should speak to Clare or Barbara. The cost will be £25.  
*29th May*

*Sunday* 10.30am **Communion**  
*3rd June*

*Sunday* 10.30am **Children's Day**  
*10th June*

*Sunday* 10.30am **Cradle Roll Service**  
*17th June*

*Sunday* 10.30am Rev Anne  
*24th June*

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**Food donations:** items most needed by Foodstore@Cooke or South Belfast Foodbank at the moment are - sugar, tinned ham, tinned corned beef, tinned fish, tinned rice, tinned custard, long life milk, long life fruit juice, cereal, rice (to cook), washing-up liquid. Thank you for your continuing support. Jacynth & Billy.