

**Newtownbreda (St. John's) Presbyterian Church
Announcements: 13th August, 2017**

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

The Crèche for babies and toddlers is found in the Foyer of the St John's Hall; access by the main Hall doors and across the Hall.



Pizza@Newtownbreda

Wednesday evenings
6.00pm - 8.00pm

All ages welcome to our
community summer pizza evening.

Starring: Our New Pizza Oven!
Come along and make your own pizza,
catch up with friends and make some new ones.

Thursday **Newtownbreda Strollers: Hazelbank Park**
17th August

Friday **Coffee & Chat continues throughout the summer.**
18th August



**Root Soup Fundraiser
Saturday 19th August
5 Ormiston Park BT4 3JT**

10.00am-12 noon: Scones, tea & coffee;
12 noon-2.00pm: Soup & roll;
2.00pm-4.00pm pm: Cake, tea & coffee.

I have been volunteering with Root Soup this year and am inspired watching the work they do. Root Soup is a social enterprise where people with learning disabilities or transitioning out of homelessness work together as a team to learn, grow and cater for the local community. Root Soup is part of L'Arche, Belfast, and subsidises its existence with outside catering events. With a suitable van a whole new range of catering jobs, currently logistically difficult, would become accessible to them. Van = more work = sustainability = more investment into supported programmes and community lunches = developed skills and soaring self esteem all around! **Please join me to raise money for a Root Soup van.**

Thank you, Elaine Baker

General

Pastoral Care: if you need to speak to a minister from 7th - 14th August, please contact Rev Bill Haslett on 028 9180 0859 or 077 4298 7589

Sunday 10.30am Rev Anne
20th August

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27th August

Thursday 7.30pm Uganda Team Final Meeting in Newtownbreda.
31st August

Red Cross: can you spare 1 HOUR a week or more? Would you like to help the Red Cross care for people in your local community? We are looking for volunteers for our wheelchair loan service and volunteer drivers to help with deliveries and collections. No experience necessary. Full training provided and volunteer expenses reimbursed. Contact David Moore on 028 9073 5380/078 4172 7043.

Volunteers required to help serve tea and coffee after church. If you would like to help please speak to Margaret Robinson.

Baby Jesus pebbles: Are you going on hols this summer? Would you be able to take one of our Baby Jesus pebbles to leave at a place of your choice - be it by a beach, a view on a city break, or whilst travelling by bus, train, boat or plane? It's our outreach challenge, all you have to do is take a photo of where the pebble was left and send the picture to the Editors of the Chronicle at newtownbredachronicle@hotmail.com. Baby Jesus painted pebbles are available in the Foyer on the Notice Board table.

CHURCH HOLIDAY

Monday 4th to Friday 8th September 2017

Coach Holiday staying in Templeglentine, West County Limerick, with tours to Killarney, Ring of Kerry and Dingle Peninsula. The total cost of the trip is **£245** with single supplement of **£40**
If you and/or your friends are interested please contact Irene Younge on 077 0841 4009 or at ireneandmaud@btinternet.com

**Jubilate! Chamber Choir
CANTICLES OF EARTH AND SKY
30th Anniversary Concert**

Director: David Stewart, Organ: David Stevens Piano: Jayne Moore
23rd September at 7.30pm

St Nicholas' Church 507 Lisburn Road, BT9 7EZ

Parking beside Parish Hall, Cadogan Park, off Lisburn Road (behind the Fire Station)
Join us for an inspiring choral journey in the company of timeless texts set to beautiful music spanning the 16th - 21st Centuries: Praetorius, Pergolesi, Victoria, Jenkins, Gjeilo, Chilcott.

Thursday Morning Bible Study

A new Bible Study group is starting on Thursday mornings
10.30am - 12noon in church hall.

This is open to everyone - all ages welcome. First meeting is Thursday 28th September and will be meeting every two weeks. We will be studying '*The Good and Beautiful God*' by James Bryan Smith. Some books are available and if you are interested please speak to Rev Anne