

## INFORMATION

### SUNDAY SCHOOL and BIBLE CLASS

Sundays at 10.00am.  
Children will go into church and come out after the children's story. No Sunday school on Sunday 7th.

### C.E. PRE-JUNIORS & JUNIORS

(Pre school to P7) Each Friday from 6.45 - 8.00pm

### C.E. INTERMEDIATE

(1st year - 4th year) 5th & 19th from 8.00 - 9.00pm

### YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Sunday 14th from 6.30-8.00pm in Magheramorne  
Sunday 28th from 6.30-8.00pm in Raloo

### YARNS

Tuesdays 2nd & 16th at 7.30pm

### FLOWERS

7th: Valerie McKee 14th: Lila Robinson  
21st: Esther Barry 28th: Rosemary Paisley

### JOINT BIBLE STUDIES CONCLUDING WITH PRAYER TIME

Wed 10th (Raloo), Wed 24th (Magheramorne) at 7.30pm

### MUMS & TOTS

Resumes Thursday 4th November from 9.30am-12noon.  
We will be restricted in numbers attending, please keep an eye on Church Facebook page as it important to register beforehand. The Leaders would appreciate additional volunteers from the Congregation to assist in the practical running of the Toddlers group on a rota or weekly basis. Please contact Mary Davidson if you can help in any way.

### ANNUAL SHOEBOX APPEAL

Filled boxes due back by Friday 5th November

### CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Friday 26th  
Magheramorne Silver Band from 6.30pm  
Lights switch on by special guest at 7.00pm

### LARNE FOODBANK:

Thank you to the children's ministry groups and the congregation for all of the items they donated to Larne Foodbank as part of our harvest celebrations. 395 items of non perishable food were dropped off to the Foodbank and were gratefully received to help our local community.

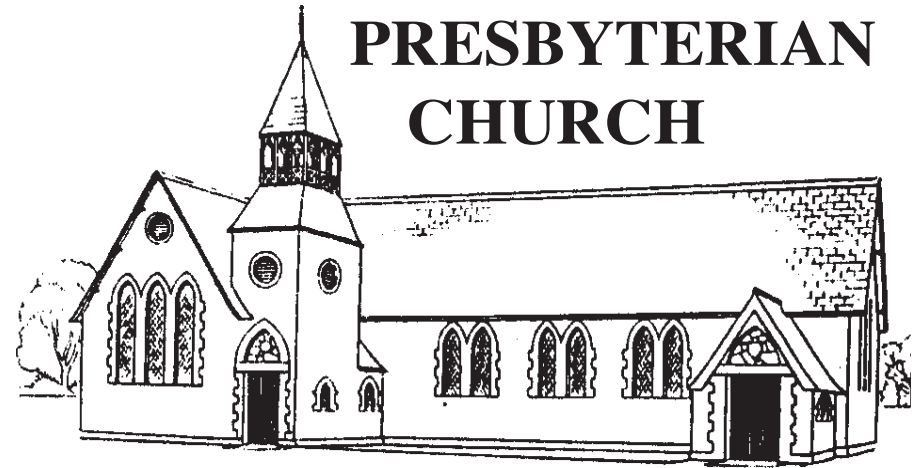
Items for this month: biscuits, red sauce, brown sauce and mayonnaise

**Mission Aviation Fellowship:** Box at the back of the church to collect new and used postcards which will be sent to Mission Aviation Fellowship as part of their fund-raising.

**Used Stamps:** Box at the back of the church to collect used stamps

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# MAGHERAMORNE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



## Prayer and Information Diary

### November 2021

Please use the enclosed suggestions in your private prayers, supplementing them with your own ideas, to pray for your Church each day.

### *Memory Verses*

#### **1 Timothy 6: 17-18**

Paul's Charge to Timothy

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share.

Visit our website:

[www.magheramornepc.org](http://www.magheramornepc.org)

## SERVICES

7th	10.00 am	Communion Service - No Sunday School <i>Everyone is invited to stay for a cuppa after the service</i>
14th	10.00 am	Remembrance Sunday
21st	10.00 am	MorningWorship
28th	10.00 am	MorningWorship

## Points for Prayer

### *Give thanks for:*

- God's blessing on our harvest services.
- A bountiful harvest. We have more food than we need and the farmers have the crops safely gathered in and they are ready for the winter months ahead.
- The generosity of the congregation, C.E and Sunday school to the Food bank.
- The return of Mothers and Toddlers.

### *Pray for:*

- Communion Sunday and all services in November.
- All those in the Armed and Security services at home and abroad who protect us and those who paid the ultimate price for our freedom.
- The Christmas lights switch on and all who will attend.
- Families who are experiencing financial hardship and are worried about the increased utility bills and the additional spend over Christmas.
- The Children's Ministry & Youth Fellowship.
- The NHS. Hospitals are struggling to cope as Covid-19 infection rate remains stubbornly high, leading to postponed treatments and operations.

## The Enduring Word

Life comes in seasons. Years of fast-paced running around can give way to seasons of stillness and rest. Times of desperate need are sometimes followed by refreshing abundance - or the other way around. Some seasons feel dormant and wasted while others delight us with fruitfulness and joy. We can look back on our lives and see many different autumns, winters, springs and summers; the ebb and flow of life.

This last year and a half has been a season like no other. Normal life slammed to a halt and we tried to figure out how to live in a totally unfamiliar landscape. Thankfully, even pandemics don't last forever. Peter writes of all the changeable seasons of our world: "All people are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field; the grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of the Lord endures for ever"  
(1 Peter 1 :24-25)

It is good that some things change; and it's even better that some things don't! The landscape of our lives may alter, but whatever happens, God's eternal Word is solid, unchanging and trustworthy; it is our steady foundation in a world of changing seasons. The story it tells is of the King who reigns in power and who loves us relentlessly; He always has and He always will.

This year as we crunch through the carpet of autumn leaves, let us remind ourselves again that no matter what changes in our lives or the world, God's Word remains as true and life-changing as ever. Let us pray that God will illuminate it afresh in our hearts so we can shine as lights in the darkness and help others come to know the wonderful hope we have in Jesus, our faithful King and Saviour.  
(Taken from Our Daily Bread Ministries newsletter)