



**BUCKNA  
PRESBYTERIAN  
SOW GROW GO**

**Welcome to our Lord's Day  
Services**

**Morning 12 noon**

**Evening 7.00pm**

**5th December 2021**

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## **Announcements**

### **Today**

- 6.40 pm. Engine room prayer time in mobile 1.
- 7.00 pm. Evening Worship. Preacher: Rev. Victor Patterson.
- 8.00 pm Vibe will meet in the church hall.

### **Monday**

- 7.15 pm. **BB Junior Section** meet in the church hall.

### **Tuesday**

- 6.15 pm. **GB Explorers** will meet in the church hall and finish 7.15 pm.
- 7.30 pm. **GB Juniors** will meet in the church hall and finish at 8.30 pm.

### **Wednesday**

- 8.00 pm. Mid-week prayer meeting in the church hall.

### **Thursday**

- 8.00 pm. Bowling club will meet in the church hall
- 7.00 pm. PW dinner. Hotel staff will probably ask for proof of Covid vaccination. Please bring it if you have it, but no one will be denied admission without it as passports will not be enforced until 13<sup>th</sup> December.

### **Friday**

### **Saturday**

- 1.15 pm. Youth Club outing. See back page.

### **Sunday**

- 12 Noon. Morning Worship. Preacher: Rev. John Holmes
- 6.40 pm. Engine room prayer time in mobile 1.
- 7.00 pm. Evening Worship. Preacher: Rev. Victor Patterson.

***THE TOTAL CONTRIBUTED*** to the PW Mission Fund has now reached £1752. Thank you for this most encouraging generosity.

***PASTORAL.*** Stephen's leave of absence started on Wednesday 1st December. He will return to work on Thursday 16th December. Rev. John Holmes is taking the morning services today and next Sunday. Rev. Victor Patterson is taking the evening services today and next Sunday. Rev. Eddie Chestnutt will provide pastoral cover in case of an emergency. If you require a minister, please contact John Robinson, Clerk of Session, in the first instance.

**FLOWER LIST FOR 2022.** Members who provided flowers for the communion table on a particular Sunday during 2021 and would wish to do so again in 2022 please mark “R” beside your name on the flower list presently displayed in the session room vestibule as soon as possible. Thanks are expressed to all who provided flowers in 2021.

**FOOD BANK DONATIONS.** Vibe are asking young people to donate one or two items to Ballymena Food bank. Items can be brought to Vibe this evening and to church next Sunday. While this is a Vibe initiative, it is open to the whole congregation and was well supported last year. If you would like to donate any food (e.g. non-perishable items like soup and tinned meats) please leave it in the Session Room.

**YOUTH CLUB.** For those going on the outing are asked to meet at Broughshane Community Centre @1:15 pm, bus leaves @1:30 pm. Hoping to return @7.00 pm. Remember to bring £10 to cover costs and money for food, also parents are reminded to complete outing consent form and the jungle NI waiver on the parents WhatsApp group.

**FLAME:** We are planning to go to Prison Island, Belfast on Wed 29th December. Cost is £10 and anyone wanting to go, please let Alison Millar know ASAP to enable us to get it booked. This is open to anyone 16yrs and above.

**NOTE:** All announcements for the announcement sheet no later than 4.00 pm on Fridays please. Your cooperation will be much appreciated.

### **Let's Pray - Prayer Point.**

**Tom Dowling (Irish Mission worker in Kilkenny)** Pray for Tom and for door-to-door visitation and contacts made, and for in-person and online Bible studies, that God will be in all the interactions; pray that people will come to faith in Jesus, and believers will be built up in their faith.

**Kenny Hanna (rural chaplin)** Pray for Kenny who has begun serving as PCI's first rural chaplin. Give thanks for a warm welcome at local churches, livestock markets, agri-businesses, farm support organisations and amongst farmers and farming families. Pray for pastoral and gospel opportunities. Pray for God to open hearts.

### **Verse for today – Galatians 4: 4,5**

***But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law so that we might receive adoption as sons***

## DUTIES – December 2021

### Door Duty

Session Room Aisle	B 'Shane End Aisle	Centre Aisle
Richard Kidd	James Currie	Andy Hamilton

### Offering Rota (morning service)

	Session Room Aisle	B 'Shane End Aisle	Centre Aisle
Ground Floor			
Gallery			