



BUCKNA PRESBYTERIAN SOW GROW GO

Weekly Announcements Sunday 21st April 2024

Welcome to our church family!

If this is your first time in Buckna, you are very welcome! If you worship with us regularly it's great to see you as well. We trust that you'll know God's presence and blessing as we worship our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Today at Church...

10.45am	Sunday School (Church Hall) and Bible Class (Mobile 2)
12 noon	Morning service. Crèche is available in Mobile 1. Boys and girls up to P4 can go out to Heroes in Training after the children's address
6.10pm	Engine Room prayer time in Mobile 1
6.30pm	Evening service
8pm	Final night of Moving Mountains <i>Hope For Eternity</i> mission

Our morning and evening services are live-streamed on YouTube. You can listen back to the Bible reading and sermon from both of our services through our church podcast.

**For more information about our church family visit our website:
www.bucknapresbyterian.org**

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This Week at Church...

Tuesday 22nd April

Treasure Chest will meet in the church hall from 9.30-11.30am.

Wednesday 24th April

Our midweek gathering will be held in the Minor Hall from 8pm.

Thursday 25th April

There will be a choir practice in preparation for the service of ordination and installation in the meetinghouse from 8pm.

Sunday 28th April

Sunday School (Church Hall) and Bible Class (Mobile 2) will start at 10.45am. Our morning service will be at 12 noon.

The service of ordination and installation of our six new ruling elders will take place at 6.30pm. Refreshments will be served in the church hall following the service.

Midweek Missionary Focus in May

At our midweek meetings in May we will be hearing from people involved in mission work in different parts of the world.

The plan for the month is as follows:

1st May: Claire Robinson (Zoom call)

8th May: Good News For You

15th May: Ethan McClintock

22nd May: Sat7

29th May: Open Doors

We'd love you to join us for these special meetings as we hear about how God is at work in our world and as we pray for those serving Him.

Each meeting will begin at 8pm in the Minor Hall.

Other Announcements...

Copies of the UCB *Word For You Today* are available in all vestibules this morning.

Membership classes will be held soon. If you would be interested in becoming a communicant member in our church family, please speak to Stephen.

Circuit Classes will begin in the church hall on Thursday 2nd May from 7.30pm. Everyone would be welcome to attend.

The Congregational Committee will meet on Thursday 2nd May at 8pm in Mobile 1.

The Faith Mission will be holding their *Ballygelly Rally* in our church hall on Friday 3rd May at 8pm. The speaker will be Rev Henry Montgomery and the singer will be Mr Dean Davidson. Supper will be served afterwards. Everyone would be welcome to attend.

Walk & Talk will run on Tuesday evenings in May. The first evening will be on Tuesday 7th May from 7.30pm. All ladies connected to our church family would be welcome to attend.

At the end of June, Jacob Bradley is going to Zimbabwe with Exodus Team 43 to work with a school, helping with lessons, after-school activities and practical work, as well as outreach in the local community. On Friday 10th May, there will be a Table Quiz in the church hall at 7.30pm to raise funds for the team. Refreshments will be provided and everyone is very welcome. Please sign the sheet in the vestibules if you are able to attend.

Anyone who is planning to be involved in mission work at home or further afield this summer is asked to contact Stephen or Bertie Kidd (Missionary Committee Convenor) as soon as possible.

Please send announcements to Stephen by 10am on Friday.

Recent Building Project Events

A further £100 was received for the Session Sit Out.
The updated total from that event is now £5838.

A further £20 was received for the Vibe Row. The updated total from that event is now £2016.96. The loose offering at the Vibe service came to £280.70.

Jaci Wright wishes to thank everyone who donated the 312 knitted / crocheted items and for the donation towards transportation costs.
The total raised from *Knit & Natter* is now £1310.

Who's Doing What in April...

Door Duty

Session Room Aisle

Andy McCurdy

David Mills

Broughshane End Aisle

James Currie

Richard Kidd

Centre Aisle

George Hamilton

Dan Alexander

Offering Rota

Session Room Aisle

Finlay Hunter (D)

Andy Hamilton (U)

Broughshane End Aisle

Chrissy Rea (D)

Paul Blair (U)

Centre Aisle

Paul Reid (D)

Reuben Hamilton (U)

Crèche

7th April

Lynn Kennedy, Gillian Middleton, Sharon Montgomery,
Lauren McNeill, Debbie Hunter, Moyna Thompson

14th & 21st April

Joanne Alexander, Ruth Walker, Elizabeth Walker,
Rachel Murdock, Jenny Davidson, Elizabeth Alexander

28th April

Charlotte Mills, Sandra Smyth, Anne Murdock, Ruth Kennedy,
Alison Kidd, Annabelle Millar

Heroes in Training

7th April

Chrissy & Debbie Rea, Sylvia Hamilton, Jill McBride.

Younger Helper: Ellie Caldwell. Graduate Helper: Tommy Rea

14th & 21st April

Joan Bradley, Maria White, Charlene Caldwell, Jenny Bonnar

Younger Helper: Phoebe Caldwell

Graduate Helper: Harry Caldwell

28th April

Joanne Gaston, Lynn Kennedy, Sharon Craig, Helen Stevenson

Younger Helper: Zoe Craig. Graduate Helper: Isla Gaston

SNAC

14th April

Grace McBurney & Cara Knowles

Helpers: Zoe Craig & Dannii Blair