Announcements cont'd

(7) *Eagle Wing*: It is time to begin working towards the Easter issue of our magazine - even though Easter itself falls very late this year. We have actually received some contributions already, and look forward to more over the next few weeks. If possible, please email to eagle.wing@hotmail.co.uk

The deadline is next SUNDAY 10 MARCH.

(8)There will be meeting of the **Property Committee** on Tuesday 12th March at 7.30pm.

(9) Join us for a six week Lent **Bible Study Series** looking at Jesus' final week upon earth, led by Ryan. Throughout the week, we will be examining how Jesus' final week upon earth has changed everything about our world. The five week series will begin on March 20th, running until Wednesday 17th April. Studies will take place at 7.30. Come join us for a time of prayer and study, you will be most welcome!"

(10) Humble Folk - A night of sing along, hand clapping, feet stomping to well known and not so well know traditional Irish Folk music. This will be held in The Walter Nelson Hall at 7.30pm, Friday evening 22nd March. Tickets £5 and are available from the Events Committee or contact the church office and website. This is an Outreach event.
(11) The Congregational Committee will meet on Monday 1st April at 8.00pm.

Next Sunday: Children's Church is with Jordan Goldie and Adam Steele



Sunday 3rd March 2019

Thought for the Week

Relying on God has to start anew every day as if nothing has yet been done.

C S Lewis

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Minister: Rev Paul Dalzell 07909 896123 Assistant Minister: Mr Ryan Pearce 07577 000978 Caretaker: Mr Ian McDonald 07899 718089 Office Secretary: Mrs Julie McClurg 028 9146 2552 A WARM WELCOME is extended to members and visitors to our Services today. We hope you feel at home in our Worship.

THE VISITORS' BOOK is in the front porch for signing. THE YELLOW WELCOME CARDS in the pews are for your convenience and may be placed on the Offering Plate.

MORNING WORSHIP at 11.30am

Organ Prelude & Preparation for Worship in quietness before God

Welcome & Announcements

INTROIT Jesus shall reign where'er the sun (Rimington)

Scripture Sentences

PRAISE 352 Name of all majesty (Majestas)

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading Mark 1:40-45 (page 1003) read by Lowry Manson

PRAISE 487 And can it be that I should gain (Sagina)

Talk with the girls and boys I want...

PRAISE 210 I'm special because God has loved me (sung twice) (*Children leave for Children's Church*)

Offering & Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading Leviticus 13:1-3, 45, 46 (page 113)

Video Presentation

Intercessory Prayer Stephanie McCreedy

PRAISE 368 We give God thanks for those who knew (Melcombe)

SERMON Leprosy & Sin

PRAISE 551 O Jesus, I have promised (Hatherop Castle)

Benediction & Choral Amen

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World Leprosy Day 2019: *Heal Nepal Campaign* - please join the Sunday School in supporting the work of The Leprosy Mission to *Heal Nepal.* Special envelopes are available in your pew and this year thanks to UK Aid your donation will be doubled by the UK government. If you are a UK taxpayer please gift aid your donation by completing the details on the envelope as gift aid can also be claimed. Please make cheques payable to Groomsport Presbyterian Church. Your support is much appreciated

(1)**The Tuesday Club** will be meeting this Tuesday, 5th March, when Grace Williams from the NI Air Ambulance will be speaking to us and receiving a cheque for £800, part of the proceeds from our October Concert. Hopefully the NI ambulance service will be there too to give us their side of the equation.

The **final film** for this session will be "The Sound of Music" on Tuesday 19th March. All welcome.

(2)The church is open on a Wednesday morning for anyone who would like to spend time in **prayer and quiet reflection**.

(3)A warm welcome awaits all congregational members to our **Annual General Meeting** this Wednesday 6th March at 7.45pm. Please plan to attend this important meeting in the congregation's calendar, when essential business takes place, after which entertainment and a light supper will be provided.

(4)**Choir practices** will resume this Thursday 7th March at 7.30 pm in preparation for our Palm Sunday morning meditational service on 14th April. New members will be especially welcome, and we also look forward to the return of all those choristers who regularly augment the choir.

(5)Election of Elders

The voters list has been finalised and voting papers will be available for distribution from Sunday 10th March.
Voting papers can be returned to a ballot box in the vestibule from Sunday 17th March and not later than Sunday 31st March.
(6) PW are busy the next few weeks:
Next Sunday 10th March is PW service with Helen Sloan from Kilonga Christian Centre
Monday 11th March at 8.00pm The Singing Chef Saturday 16th March Coffee Morning 10.30 - 12 noon We look forward to seeing you all.

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