

Announcements

ELDERS: Communion tokens are available today for Communion on 5th January 2020.

(1) Not content with a skydive, June Kirk, & members of her family will be **swimming on Boxing Day** at 11.00am, at Ballyholme Yacht Club, in aid of the Urology Dept. at Ulster Hospital.

June has almost reached £10,000 this year alone for this cause! Your support would be greatly appreciated. Thank-you."

(2) **IBRA Reading Notes** are available for collection today for those who have ordered them. Any outstanding subscriptions for **Herald** and **IBRA Readings** should be made to the church office in the envelope provided.

(3) **Carols by Candlelight** will take place tonight at 7.00pm. The congregation are invited to partake of **mulled wine and mince pies** after the Service. Please use the signup sheet in the vestibule if you are able to come along- we need to have an idea of the numbers likely to attend. Thank you.

(4) As we are nearing the year end, this is a reminder that the last day for **givings** for 2019 is next Sunday 29th December. Any monies received after that date will be recorded in the year 2020. We thank you for your continued financial support.

(5) New Rotas have been issued for 2020 for **Children's Church and Pulpit Duties**. If you do not have access to email, please collect your copy from your pigeon hole. Many thanks

(6) The **Church Office** is closed until Friday 3rd January.

Next Sunday: Children's Church is with Jordan Goldie and Caroline Lavery



Sunday 22nd December 2019

Thought for the Week

A child is born to us, a son is given,
and He will be called our ruler,
Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Eternal Father,
Prince of Peace

Isaiah 9:6

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.

All hymns will be projected on the screen as the words of the traditional carols will be taken from the older hymn book

Organ Prelude & Preparation for Worship in quietness before God

Welcome & Announcements

INTROIT Joy has dawned (Getty and Townend)

Scripture Sentences

PRAISE Angels from the realms of glory (Iris)

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading Isaiah 11: 1–10 (Page 697)

PRAISE Unto us is born a Son (Puer Nobis)

Talk with the girls and boys Candle of Joy

PRAISE Away in a manger
(Children leave for Children's Church)

Offering & Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading John 1: 1-18 (Page 1063)

Prayer of Intercession

PRAISE Silent night, holy night! (Stille Nacht)

SERMON When God Moved into the Neighbourhood

PRAISE See! in yonder manger low (Humility)

Benediction & Choral Amen

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