



**First Magherafelt**  
**Presbyterian**  
CHURCH IN IRELAND



*Experiencing GRACE, Sharing LOVE, Demonstrating COMPASSION*

**Morning Worship – 16<sup>th</sup> January 2011 @ 11am**

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**Opening Praise**

There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus  
There is power in the name of Jesus  
God of Grace, Amazing wonder

**Preparation for The Word**

**Call to Worship**                      Joel 2v32

**PRAISE**        O Breath of life                                      Hymn 339

**Prayer**

**Proclamation Of The Word**

**Children's Address**                      Genesis 11

**PRAISE**        Jesus loves the little children                      MP 924  
*(Junior Church Leaves)*

**Reading**                                      Acts 2

**Sermon**

**PRAISE**        Salvation belongs to our God

**Response to the Word**

**Prayers of Intercession**

**Offering**

**Dedication**

**PRAISE**        Christ for the world we sing                      Hymn 500

**Benediction**

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*If you have any questions or need assistance please speak to the welcoming team at the door.  
If we can be of any help please let us know (Information cards are in the Pews)  
Our Praise and Bible readings will normally be displayed on the screens.  
Songs are from a variety of books and Bible readings from the NIV.*

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## Today@first

10<sup>am</sup> **Sunday School and Bible Class**

10:30 **Prayer Time** (Minister's room). Everyone Welcome.

11<sup>am</sup> **Morning Worship** – Speaker – Rev Curry

*Crèche - pre school (Minor Hall), Junior Church -Primary children (Main Hall)*

6<sup>pm</sup> **Evening Service** Mission Focus - Steven Cargin *(Followed by tea in Hall)*

7.15<sup>pm</sup> **MAD@First** *(Graham Room)* All young people year 8 + 12 are welcome.

## Monday 17<sup>th</sup>

7.45<sup>pm</sup> **Bowling Club**

## Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup>

10<sup>am</sup> **TenTen-Drop-in.** (Minor Hall)

7-8.30 **English Classes** (Minister's Room)

8<sup>pm</sup> **PW** meeting. Special Speaker: Eileen Black (Main Hall)

## Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>

10<sup>am</sup>-12 **Parent & Toddlers** (Main Hall)

6-7.15 **Girls Brigade - Explorers** Age 3-7

7-8.45 **Girls Brigade - Juniors** Age 8-10

7.45-9.30 **Girls Brigade - Seniors/Brigaders** Age 11+ years

## Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>

7.45<sup>pm</sup> **Bowling Club**

8<sup>pm</sup> **Midweek – Congregational Prayer meeting** (Minor Hall)

## Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>

6<sup>45</sup>-8<sup>pm</sup> **J-Team** for all children at Primary School P1-P7. Games, Stories, Quizzes, Songs, Stories etc. All Welcome - Further Details from Lorna or Melanie

8<sup>pm</sup> **YouthClub@First** from 8-10pm. *(for young people - school year 8 and over)*  
Further details from Heather Palmer or Judith Evans.

## Next Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> January

10<sup>am</sup> **Sunday School and Bible Class**

10:30 **Prayer Time** (Minister's room). Everyone Welcome.

11<sup>am</sup> **Morning Worship** – PW Service

*Crèche - pre school (Minor Hall), Junior Church -Primary children (Main Hall)*

5<sup>pm</sup> **Young Adults Bible Study** (Graham Room)

6<sup>pm</sup> **Evening Service.** Hard Questions (It's the church that puts me off)  
Speaker– Rev Curry *(Followed by tea in Hall)*

7.15<sup>pm</sup> **MAD@First** *(Graham Room)* All young people year 8 + 12 are welcome.

## Other Congregational Notices.

1. Points for Prayer Booklets are available on the Tables – please take one.
2. Young people are asked to return 2010 **League of Church Loyalty cards** to Harriet McKay today so that prizes can be arranged for distribution on 6<sup>th</sup> February. Also, all young people school year 10 and under please ask for your card for 2011 today.

3. **Election of Committee.** Every three years we are required to have an election of committee. In this respect a list of qualified voters will be posted in the Vestibule on 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> January along with the definition of a qualified voter. *If you consider the list be incorrect in any way please contact Rev Curry in writing by 23<sup>rd</sup> January. Also, if anyone who is a qualified voter, does not want their name to go forward for election to committee please let Rev Curry know in writing by 23<sup>rd</sup> January. Ballot papers for the election of 16 members of committee will be available from 6<sup>th</sup> Feb and are to be returned by 20<sup>th</sup> Feb. We would encourage all voting members to participate prayerfully in this election. A leaflet "Choosing a Congregational Committee" will be available as you leave worship today.*
4. **PW collection** will take place this month. Could all collectors please collect their envelopes from the Vestibule table
5. Could all **Leaders of Church Organisations** please give their Annual Organisational Reports for 2010 to the Congregational Secretary by 23<sup>rd</sup> January. Please leave in the Secretary's post box in the office or email to [hugh.lorna@btinternet.com](mailto:hugh.lorna@btinternet.com)
6. Once again this year the **Church Membership Classes** are being planned. If you have committed your life to Jesus Christ and would like to take time considering the next natural step of full membership (communicant membership) of our congregation. *Please speak to Rev Curry before 24<sup>th</sup> January.*
7. **Congregational Dinner** is on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 2010 7:30pm in Church hall, Please add your name to the sheet if you are planning to come along.
8. Any member of the congregation **planning to get married** before Easter 2012 please speak to the Rev Curry as soon as possible. Presbytery marriage classes will take place on the four Fridays in February details from Rev Curry.
9. **PW ladies** have been invited to Bellaghy PW on Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb at 8pm, Mrs Diane McLean, Flower demonstration & talk on overcoming depression & also Castledawson PW on Wed 9<sup>th</sup> February at 8pm, speaker will be Keith Lindsay from ACRE Gospel Mission. Can you please let Judith know asap if you wish to attend. 028 79300672 or [judithevans70@hotmail.com](mailto:judithevans70@hotmail.com).
10. The PCI **Summer Outreach Team** this year will run from 6<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> August. Application for resident team members see [www.pciyac.org/summeroutreach](http://www.pciyac.org/summeroutreach) there will be an opportunity to help on a daily basis with preparation and youth activities.

## **Prayer Points**

1. Continue to pray for countries affected by disasters remembering especially Haiti who one year ago suffered from a devastating earthquake which left around 230,000 dead and one million homeless. Despite the huge aid effort, much of the country is still left devastated, with huge piles of rubble remaining on the streets and cholera continues to take the lives of many. Hundreds of thousands of people still live in refugee camps. Pray for all those who were injured, who lost loved ones, and those who suffered damage to their homes, possessions, or livelihoods. Pray for the government, aid workers and all involved in the rebuilding work that they will work well together to rebuild houses, schools, hospitals, etc. Pray too for all those affected by the flooding in Australia at present.
2. Pray for Steven and Angelina Cowan as they prepare for the training in Tuum, Kenya next weekend that it might be a time of challenge and that God will raise up spiritual leaders to continue this work. Pray too for Carragh as she settles back into Boarding school.
3. Pray for our health service as they cope with the recent rise of swine flu cases and pray that all will be done to minimise the risk of this becoming an increasing problem.

## Evening Worship @ 6 pm (Led By K Hibbert)

<b>PRAISE</b>	Jesus is King	MP 366
	Amazing Grace	MP 31
	Thank you Jesus	MP 633

### Prayer

**PRAISE** The Church is wherever God's people are praising Hymn 427

### Reading

**Mission Focus** - Steven Cargin

**PRAISE** Filled with compassion MP 828

### Prayer

**PRAISE** Lord speak to me Hymn 485

### Benediction

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## **Rotas** *(Please speak to those who arrange rotas if there are any changes).*

**Welcoming Team** (Rota by H Todd).

Jan – I Brown, R Brown, J Dawson, A Hogg, J Glassey, W Currie, H Duncan

**Duty Elder** Jan – H Todd

**FWO Recorders** (Rota by J Hamilton)

Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – B Stewart, R Brown, I Brown Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – C Henderson, B Miller, W Smith

**Junior Church** - Primary School (Rota by A Crossett)

Jan – R Hunter, C Hogg, A Crossett

**Crèche** - Pre School (Rota by J Gregg).

Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – H Palmer, P Palmer, R Palmer Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – E Brown, A Steele, G Steele

**Parent & Toddlers** (Rota – M Smyth)

Jan 19<sup>th</sup> – N Currie, E Ferson, D Meharg, M Moore

Jan 26<sup>th</sup> – A Watson, E Connell, M Smyth, P McCullough

**Church Library** (Rota by A Crossett) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – S Todd

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – C Hogg

**Flowers** Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – no name

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – D Badger

**Projection** (Rota - W Currie) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – J Currie

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – M Brown

**Sound Desk** (Rota - J Smyth) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – B Smyth

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – W smith

**Opening Praise** (Rota - M Boyce) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> –

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – A Crossett

**Vocalists** (Rota - C Hughes) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> –

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – PW group

**Lead Service pm** (Rota - Rev Curry) Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – K Hibbert. Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> – Youth

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Items for this sheet should e-mailed to Rev Curry or placed in the post box by 12noon Thur.

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