

ology and Social Ethics at the Jos ECWA Theological Seminary and Director of the Centre for the Study of Religion, Church and Society.

CASTLE PLAYERS will be performing a Sam Cree play 'The Mating Season' in the Braid Arts Centre on 19 and 20 January. Tickets can be purchased from the Braid.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED for the new British Heart Foundation Shop for a wide range of roles. Please call in to the shop at 48-50 Ballymoney Street, Ballymena, or phone 07584 376983.

ROTAS	14 January	21 January
Church Grounds	Michael Taylor Colin Alexander	Ryan Currie John McLernon
Welcome Desk		
Pulpit Bible	Ethel Armstrong	Sally Armstrong
Tea and Coffee	Jo Anne Kennedy Elizabeth Nelson	Linda Livingstone Alannah Morrow
Creche	Megan McKane Tracey Millar	Laura Caldwell Claire Lawther
Prayer Ministry	Kathy Burnett Sarah Orr	
Audio/Visual	Derek (S), Neil (V) Hugh (S), Alison (V)	Hugh (S), David L (V) Hugh (S), Amy (V)
Money Count	Jean Boyce, Maurice & Anne Livingstone, Annie Erwin, Margaret & Harry Lamont (January)	
Welcome Stewards	Annie Erwin, John Graham, Victor Mahon, Margaret Lamont, Ned McConnell, Alan Calderwood, Reid Burnett, Marc Thompson	



West Church

Celebrating and Serving Jesus Together

14 January 2018

11.00 am Rev D J Kane
11.15 am Switch
6.30 pm Mrs Phyllis Linton

Tea/Coffee is available in the Social Area after both services

Parents/guardians are reminded to pick up their children promptly from the various groups at the end of the service, when supervision becomes the responsibility of parents.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Various: Home Groups

Monday: Bowling 7.30 pm

Tuesday: Session Meeting 7.30 pm
Football 8.00 pm

Wednesday: Buddies & Bundles 9.45 am
Men United 10.30 am
Life Explored 8.00 pm
Bowling 8.00 pm

Thursday: Coffee and Craft 10.00 am
GB Explorers & Company Section 6.30 & 7.30 pm
Centurions 7.30 pm

Friday: Squirrels 6.30 pm
Beavers 6.30 pm
Scouts & Explorer Scouts 7.30 pm

Saturday: Junior and Senior Youth Club 6.30 & 7.45 pm

Hall Fund: £1,029,290.00

Sunday flowers were kindly provided by Mrs R McFarland.

Rev Daniel J Kane 028 2565 3111	Mrs Phyllis Linton 028 2588 1848 *Sunday to Thursday only	Mrs Tania Boyd 07936 909171	Mr Chris Wilson 07739 003784
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Church Office: Tel: 028 2564 8327 westchurch.ballymena@btinternet.com
 Tuesday to Thursday 9.00 am - 3.00 pm, Friday 9.00 am - 2.00 pm. Bulletin 6.00 pm Wednesday

PRAYER MINISTRY is available each week after morning Service and on the first Sunday of each month after evening services. This will take place at the front of the Church and is open to everyone who would like prayer.

PRAYER TIME at 10.30 am and 6.00 pm in the Prayer Room & Library. Everyone welcome.

WIDER WORLD is now available for collection in the vestibule.

PRESBYTERIAN HERALD is available from the north and south vestibule tables or in your pew. Please collect your copy.

SESSION MEETING will be held on Tuesday 16 January at 7.30 pm in the Meeting Rooms.

CHURCH FLOWERS Anyone who has received Church flowers is asked to return the container to Church as soon as possible. Thank you.

MEN UNITED At our next meeting on Wednesday 17 January at 10.30 pm, our speaker will be Stuart Elliott, ex Irish International and Glentoran football player.

CENSUS will be taken next Sunday, 21 January.

ELDERS' PRAYER TIME Elders are reminded of the Elders' Prayer Time next Sunday, 21 January, at 9.45 am in the Minor Hall.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE will meet on **Tuesday 23 January at 2.00 pm** when our **guest speaker** will be **Rev Canon Derek Kerr**. Everyone is welcome, especially new members.

LEPROSY MISSION On behalf of the Leprosy Mission it is now time to collect donations again. Many thanks to those who faithfully support this worthy cause each year, which helps many people. It is greatly appreciated. Donations will be gratefully received by Annie Erwin.

LIFE EXPLORED The final session of Life Explored will be held in the Meeting Room on Wednesday 17th January at 8.00pm.

FLOWER FESTIVAL The income from the Flower Festival was £16,012, the expenses were £9,282, leaving a profit of £6,730.

BOOT CAMP A new 8 week session of fitness Boot Camp will commence on Tuesday 23rd January from 6.45 - 7.30pm with Martin Emans. Places are limited so please book early - contact 07834 997550. Cost £35.00.

CENTURIONS will commence this Thursday evening (18th January) in the Lounge at 7.30pm and continue to meet on alternate Thursdays.

HAMPER MINISTRY When doing your shop this week would you please consider buying an extra item or two from the **HELP** shopping list, **bringing it with you to church NEXT SUNDAY** and put it into the HELP collection trolleys in the vestibule. This is an ongoing ministry and if you're not a church that particular Sunday, we will welcome your contribution any Sunday or through the week, as the trolleys will stay in place.

Thanks.

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - Donegal Weekend 29th June - 1st July 2018
Speaker: Desi Maxwell - Mill Park Hotel, Donegal Town. Booking Form and details will be available soon. In the meantime, if you are interested in attending please put your name on the sheet on the Welcome Desk. If you have never been before and want to find out more information please speak to Willie or Wilma Wilson (25881214 or 07860 480785 email: william.wilson@btconnect.com).

ANNUAL PRESBYTERY GLOBAL MISSION EVENING will be held on Wednesday 31st January 2018 at 8.00pm in Brookside Presbyterian Church.

OPEN DOORS WORLD WATCH LIST highlights the top 50 countries where Christians face the most severe persecution. Using data gathered from independent experts and - crucially - from Open Doors workers on the ground, the World Watch List tracks the degree of freedom Christians have to follow their faith. We will be gathering at **Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church, Bangor on Wednesday 17th January at 8:00pm**. Speaker will be Professor Yusufu Turaki from Nigeria, who will be sharing about the situation in his country. He is a Distinguished Professor of The-

Hamper shopping list

Flour, Sugar, Tea/Coffee/Rice/Pasta,
Porridge/Cereal (inc kids), Tinned
vegetables, Tinned fruit, Tinned meat/
Fish, Tinned soup, Tinned beans, Pulses
ie lentils, beans, Pot noodle, Passata/
Chopped tomatoes, Crisps Maxi Packs,
Angel Delight, Tinned custard/Rice
Pudding, Jelly, Toilet roll/Kitchen roll,
Washing Powder