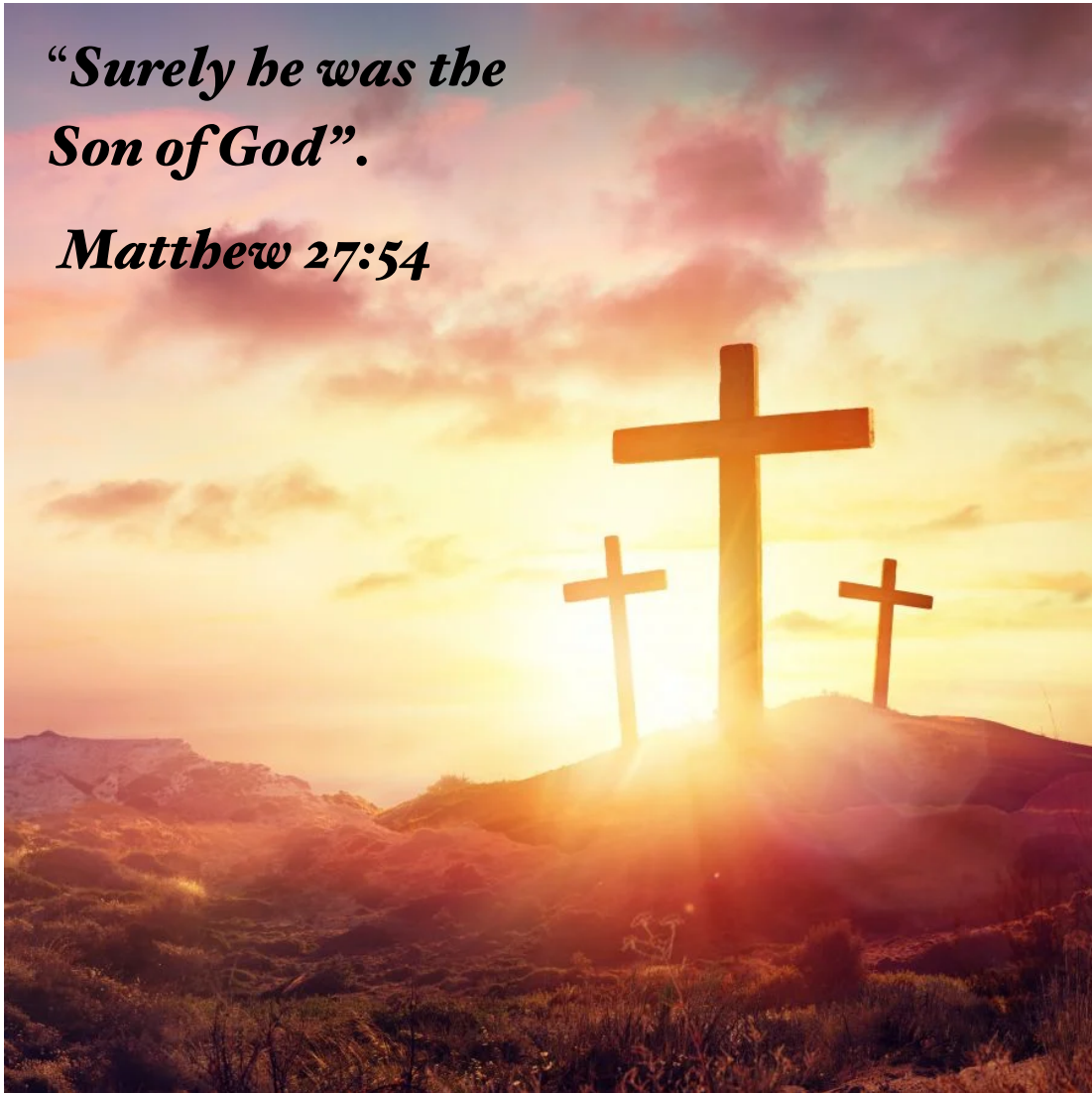




“LET HIS LIGHT SHINE”

*“Surely he was the
Son of God”.*

Matthew 27:54



DATES OF SPECIAL SERVICES

Tuesday 26 - Friday 29 March at 7.30 pm Holy Week Services in Strean (see pg 16)

Sunday 31 March - Easter Sunday

6.30am Dawn Service at Scrabo Tower monument

11am Easter Morning Worship at Strean

Sunday 7 April 11am : Communion

Sunday 19 May 11am: Children's Day with Discovery Sunday School

Sunday 23 June 11am: Communion

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This magazine is published to let you know what is happening in our Church. Not every member of the Church can attend on a regular basis, so it is important that those at home should be kept informed. If you have articles or news of a special anniversary or birthday, including photographs, please email them to Rosemary Black (Editor) rosemaryblack@gmail.com, or alternatively give them to Barbara McCartney in the church office.

REFLECTIONS FROM THE MANSE

Welcome to the latest edition of our church magazine, the first for 2024. We are now into March and Easter is nearly upon us. In Streaton we are looking forward to hosting the combined PCI/Ards Easter services and our guest speaker, Rick Hill.



For some, this is a time of the year when certain things are set aside or given up for Lent. Maybe it is sweets or chocolate, coffee or crisps. For some it might be the use of social media. Whatever it is that you may or may not give up for Lent, I wonder how often do we really think about the reason for doing this?

At the start of his ministry, Jesus went into the wilderness by himself, fasting for 40 days. During this time, he was tempted and afterwards was attended to by angels. Giving up something at Lent is to remind us of Jesus giving up heaven, giving up food for 40 days, and then giving up his earthly life so that we could have forgiveness and our relationship with God be restored; we are giving up something small to remind us of the enormity of what Jesus has done for us.

For Christians, Easter is the most important time of the year. It is the time when all the Old Testament prophecies start to come together and make sense. Jesus told his disciples three times that he would have to die but they did not understand. Even when Jesus was crucified on the cross, gave up his life and his earthly body buried, they still did not understand. It wasn't until Jesus rose again, appeared to Mary and then the disciples, that they started to fully grasp what had happened. Jesus had paid the price for all our sins. He had become the ultimate sacrifice so that, if we choose to follow God, the punishment that we would have to pay for our sins was instead paid by Jesus. This is why Easter is a time of hope and love. The love is spoken about in John 3v16 and the hope in John 3v18. Verse 18 also brings a warning about what happens if we reject Jesus and what he has done for us.

God's love for us is unlimited and unconditional; His hope is the promise of eternal life with Him in heaven.

This Easter I pray that you would know, understand, and experience the hope and love of our Heavenly Father.

John 3v16-18 (NIV) "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. ¹⁸ Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God's one and only Son."

Jeff

CHURCH MEMBER RECORDS DECEMBER 2023-MARCH 2024

NEW MEMBERS & NEW COMMUNICANTS

Gillian Davison

Andrew Hamilton

Claire Savage

BAPTISMS

3 March

Isaac Martin Nugent, son of Adam & Rachel Nugent (nee Cairns)

Abigail Dobson, daughter of Andrew & Alanna Dobson (nee Cairns)

17 March On profession of faith:

Sara Rose Black

Anna Grace Alaina Harris

Eve Rachel Harris

Matthew Alexander Harris

DEATHS

2023

31 December – Eve Norris

2024

8 January – Margaret Scott

11 January – Dorothy Boyle

17 January – Fay Robinson

7 March – John Cumming



Sisters Alanna and Rachel along with their husbands brought their babies for baptism on Sunday 3 March.

Pictured with Rev Jeff McWatters in the middle, from left to right are;

Andrew and Alanna Dobson with their daughter Abigail and Adam and Rachel Nugent with their son Isaac Martin and big sister Cora.



On Sunday 17 March it was a special privilege for Rev Jeff McWatters to baptise four of our young people on profession of their faith.

Pictured from left to right:

Anna Harris, Matthew Harris, Rev Jeff McWatters, Sara Black and Eve Harris.

REFLECTIONS OF PORTBALLINTRAE CSSM 2023 - ZARA CONROY



I have attended Portballintrae CSSM since I was 10 years old, and it was always the highlight of my summers. This summer I joined the Portballintrae CSSM team for the first time as a leader.

The theme for the two weeks was 'Who do you say I am' where we explored who God is through the stories of Moses and Jesus. I led the toppers section with 12 others and the children in my age group were 6-8 years old. They were all eager to learn and had a brilliant time listening to Bible stories, doing craft and playing games. During my time at CSSM, I learnt a lot about how to spread God's word to children in engaging and fun ways.

I was then able to use what I learnt to help me lead my section in Holiday Bible Club this year. I am very thankful for the time I spent at CSSM this summer and the fun and fellowship I was able to have with the other leaders. I am also grateful to my church family for all their support.

MISSION FOCUS 2024

Streaan has a long association with Mission, supporting many Mission organisations and funds who work locally, regionally and world-wide. Our mission giving is channelled through online giving and mission envelopes for the Mission account, as well as through Coffee Mornings, the mission support of our organisations and through special appeals, such as the Blythswood Shoebox Appeal, and in many other ways. Your generosity is very much appreciated. And as you have so generously given, it's important to update you on what monies have been raised, and how they have been prayerfully distributed.

Our mission giving has two clear Biblical instructions. Firstly, Mark 16 verse 15 tells us that "*Jesus said to them: Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation*". That command is one area that we uphold through our giving, for example to United Christian Broadcasting (who broadcast the gospel worldwide) and the Revival Movement Association (who print Bibles and tracts to be distributed in many different countries). Secondly, we are encouraged in Deuteronomy 15 verse 10 to: "*Give generously to them and do so without a grudging heart*", reflecting on the humanitarian needs all around our world. For example, at Streaan we support the work of Mercy Ships (who deploy hospital ships to African nations to provide free surgery to those most in need from disability, disfigurement and disease), and the Link here in Newtownards (who provide a range of services for young people, including helping those with addictions or those who want to learn English).

Mission Giving

The main source of funding for our Mission giving at Streaan is YOU – as a member of our congregation. This is boosted by giving to other appeals such as the PCI United Appeal and the Moderator's Annual Appeal. The table below summarises the support provided to the Mission Fund account by the end of 2023.

<u>Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Mission Giving (monthly envelopes and online)	£9,611
Half of Harvest Givings	£1,657
HMRC Gift aid (from mission giving)	£2,449
United Appeal Envelopes	£1,135
Moderator's Appeal (Turkey/Syria Earthquake Disaster)	£2,200
Morocco/Libya (Emergency Appeal)	£1,115
Targeted Charity 'Mercy Ships' (April'23)	£1,120
Half of Antique Fair	£1,640
Children's Society	£ 905
World Development envelopes	£1,095
Total	£22,927

Mission Fund Allocation

The administration of the Mission Fund is a responsibility of Session; they receive regular updates from our Treasurer on what funds are available for distribution, as well as our requirements in terms of PCI United Appeal. In 2023 the requirement for Streaan was £8,882 - this is based on the size of our congregation.

It's worth emphasising that we also help to support any of our young people who venture out into the wider world; on mission or humanitarian trips. At present we offer £50 for local NI projects and £150 for overseas trips. In 2023 four of our young people benefitted from this funding. Any young people this year should request this through their Youth Leader, the Clerk of Session or the Minister.

Amount allocated in 2023

PCI projects

United Appeal	£8,882
Moderator's Appeal (Turkey/Syria Earthquake Appeal)	£2,200
Church Appeal Morocco/Libya	£1,115
Diane Cusick (PCI Zambia)	£525
Children's Society	£905

Other Projects

United Christian Broadcasting	£300
Revival Movement Association	£350
SOS Bus NI	£300
Mercy Ships	£325
Bible Society NI	£500
SUNI – Scripture Union	£500
Belfast City Mission	£525
The Link, Newtownards	£525
Open Doors	£575
Platform 67	£500
Christians Against Poverty (CAP)	£850

Young People

Matthew Harris, Jengana, Kenya	£150
Emma Smith, Jengana, Kenya	£150
Alexandra Faloon, GoMAD, Tanzania	£150
Zara Conroy, CSSM, North Coast	£ 50
Youth for Christ Donaghadee, Football & Fellowship	£140
Church Donation supporting leaders (Delamont trip)	£200
Church Donation to Summer Blitz Costs	£139

Other

Christian Aid - Funds from Streaan input	£295
World Development	£1,095
Targeted Charity 'Mercy Ships' (April'23)	£1,120

This amounts to **£22,366** of mission fund allocation in 2023! **Can we encourage you to keep on giving so generously?** Session is always pleased to hear about missionaries and mission organisations which you – as a congregational member – think could be considered. Please speak to our minister, Jeff, about this. And if you would like details of the Mission account in order to give online, please speak to Sandra Gwynne (Treasurer) or Barbara in the office.

Whilst our mission focus is important, alongside this let us place prayer as top priority – praying for the organisations and missionaries we support, praying for PCI's mission focus, and praying for those in need – for their humanitarian needs and their need of the gospel.

Streaan Session and Treasurer (Sandra Gwynne)

CHRISTMAS NATIVITY 2023



On Sunday 17th December members of our church of all ages came together to reenact the Nativity story for our congregation. It was lovely to have people of every generation involved in this service, and the children from Discovery Sunday School enjoyed the opportunity for role reversal, as this year they watched, rather than acting themselves. After the performance, the children joined us to lead the congregation in singing 'Away in a manger'.

Our Nativity was the result of many members of our congregation willingly using their gifts of time, effort and creativity; working together as a team. Whether taking on a role in our story, working in the tech team, providing props or helping with costumes, all duties were equally important and the commitment of everyone involved was greatly appreciated.

Thanks to Martin Conroy for the photographs.

Joanne Harris

Cast List

- Narrators:** Fiona Boyle and Joanne Harris
Mary: Eve Harris
Joseph: Lexie Brown
Angels: Stephanie Baron, Joy Scott, Charlotte Cunningham, Charmaine Clint, Kirsty Patton
Shepherds: Stephen Boyle, Graham Scandrett, Robin Kennedy
Caesar Augustus: Stuart Faloon
King Herod: John Black
Innkeepers: Drew Hiles, Brian Nixon, Jenny Brown
Wise Men: Phil Baron, Carl Harris, Wallace McKee
Sound desk/tech: Adam Foster, Matthew Harris, Peter Causby

Tots & Toddlers at Streen

On Tuesday mornings in Streen you will find a willing band of volunteers, there's about 10-12 of us, ready for our Tots and Toddler group to start. Come 10.15am the doors open to some excited children ready to play. We would usually have between 25 and 35 toddlers and babies each week.



We use the Adgey Hall and we've different areas set up for various activities. Starting with the youngest children, our baby area has a base of foam mats, with some play mats and toys. And it's a chance for the parents/carers to have a chat. Then there's the role play area, with a kitchen, work bench and bricks, and baby dolls. You can never have too many prams!

Keeping active there are two slides and several ride on toys including a couple of "Little Tike" cars. And we've had the recent addition of a ride on digger. There are also the lawnmowers and a vacuum cleaner!



In the middle of the hall we have the small world play, vehicles and garages, animals and a farm. More things to stimulate their imagination as they line up the cars or choose their favourite animal.

Moving to the other end of the hall there's the Lego, jigsaws and of course our craft activity for that day.



Each week there is something fun to make or colour. It could be butterflies or snowmen, and I'm not sure if the children or the adults have more fun. We also introduced a book area this year where they can get to know some great stories.



No morning would be complete without a break for "snack time". The children will sit together at the small tables to have something to eat and drink, usually some pancake, suitable crisps and some juice. We also have highchairs set up if that's more suitable for the children.



And after the carers have had their tea and coffee, it is time for "song time"! We gather in the middle of the hall to sing five or six songs. Again, it's another activity where the adults have as much fun as the children. "Hop little bunnies" and "Dingle dangle scarecrow" are definitely the favourites.

We also give out fruit to the children as they leave, and we are grateful to Sure Start for providing some of the fruit for this each week.

As you can imagine, none of this could happen without a fantastic group of leaders. Every one of the leaders plays an important role in the running of tots and toddlers, whether it's preparing food, planning craft, chatting to carers and children, singing songs or setting up/tidying up. We are always looking for more helpers so if this is something you would be interested in, please come and talk to me about it.

Finally, please pray for our Tots and Toddlers group:

- For the children and carers, that they will feel welcome and comfortable with us.
- For the leaders at Tots, for health and strength, and opportunities to chat to the carers.
- For safety during Tots and Toddlers and when travelling to and from Streen.

Heather Faloon

THIS YEAR AT GIRLS' BRIGADE IN STREAN

This year our GB company has 60 girls and we are cramming a lot of activities into our Monday nights. We are following the GBNI scripture course and the theme this year is 'God's Promises', teaching the girls that God is 100% reliable and He will never let us down.

We started back on 4 September with a fun filled night, there was a bouncy castle for the younger girls and an inflatable obstacle course for the older section. Seniors and Brigaders went to Ganaway where they experienced archery and had a go on the climbing wall. The Explorers and Juniors had a visit from the Plant and Play Roadshow which included a craft session, a science experiment and planting a seed to take home and care for.

During the year we had a visit from Judith Colhoun who made jewellery with the girls and also a visit from Neil Blackmore, a Paramedic who gave the girls a valuable lesson in CPR. Deborah Webster from Thrive Academy came to Strean to give the juniors, seniors and Brigaders very relevant Internet Safety Training.

The Brigaders entered two teams in the District Badminton Competition. One team got 3rd place and the other team a certificate of distinction. The seniors entered the District Football Competition and came runner-up scoring the highest number of goals. Explorers and juniors entered the District Team Games Competition. Explorers achieved 3rd place and juniors won 1st place and will be travelling to Ballymena for the NI finals in March. Seniors and Brigaders entered the GB Headquarters Art Competition, the results are not in yet!

At Christmas the Brigaders had an outing to the Christmas Market in Belfast. DJ Dance came to the church hall to entertain the rest of the company and all the girls had a visit from Santa! The under 5s and explorers have an outing planned to the soft play in Aurora Leisure Centre. On the Monday nights that we don't have visits or outings we have fun playing games, doing Scripture, making craft or making something yummy in the kitchen.

Our annual GB breakfast was a great success and a big thank you to all who supported us. We are currently preparing for our Parents Night on 22nd April. Why not come along and support our girls and enjoy some tea and biscuits afterwards?
Lynn Cairns



THIS YEAR AT BOYS' BRIGADE IN STREAM

Our BB has been enjoying a good 2023/24 session in terms of delivery of our respective age programmes, and playing our part in the life of our congregation. The following is a snapshot of what we have been doing since the end of Summer 2023.

Anchor Boys has had a great year with 25 boys at the start of the session and with most boys attending every week. This was an increase from the previous year of 18 boys, however the noise seemed to rise 10 fold!!

Along with the usual weekly activities of craft, Bible stories and games we have been blessed to be able to take part in a number of different external activities. Six Anchors took part in the combined Anchor, Junior and Company section Cross Country in September and we were delighted that some of our boys brought medals home.

December was an exciting time for the boys. Not only were they visited by Santa who had a gift for each boy, they also had the opportunity to enjoy the Christmas outing along with Junior section to Airtastic Inflatable Park in Bangor. We are happy to report no bones were broken on the night – kids or leaders!

We've also had 2 outings to Blair Mayne Leisure Centre this year with the boys enjoying both the Splash Pool and the Soft Play Area.

However the event most enjoyed by the boys was the visit from Wee Critters. They were joined by the Juniors on the night and had the opportunity to see and hold a variety of bugs and animals, ask question and get a sticker at the end. Some Company section managed to sneak in as well once they heard that Arthur, the three banded armadillo, was visiting - showing that boys really don't grow out of the Anchors!

It has been another busy session in Junior Section, with the boys taking part in two competitions this year, the first a combined Anchor, Junior and Company section Cross Country. The boys came 1st in the team event and Joe Brown came 1st in his year group. The 5-a-side Football Competition held at Eddie Irvine Centre saw our team come third in the Ards battalion. A special mention to James Patton who was runner up in his year group for a creative competition run by BBNI to design a superhero cape. This tied in with our Bible study this year which was superheroes of the Bible.

A night out at the activity centre at Ganaway was great fun, especially the zip line in the dark, many screams could be heard. A visit from St. Johns ambulance was highly informative and the boys had a chance to look round their ambulance and ask lots of questions. We had another fun night out at Gamelocker in Dundonald to play computer games, racing car simulators and use virtual reality headsets. When Wee Critters entertained the Anchors and Junior section boys with a selection of bugs/ spiders and snakes, this particular leader stayed far away. (Julie)



BOYS BRIGADE cont//

Not to be outdone by our younger sections, our **Company /Senior Section** of 18 boys have had a noteworthy year, with some of the highlights being:-

- Our company winning the Ards Battalion Cross Country team prize in September, when 17 of our boys across our sections ran. 11 of the 17 won medals
- We introduced the new BB Award Scheme, and converted the boy's armbands with lots of new badges
- A number of our Seniors have helped out with the Coffee Bar on Sunday mornings as part of their service to our church (and as a key requirement towards the Queen's Badge which 5 boys are aiming to gain next session)
- Everyone participated in preparing a meal for £2 or less, as part of a study on World Poverty and how to be more careful with our money
- A great joint night at the Ganaway Centre with our Junior Section boys on 7 November
- 12 boys plus 4 leaders took part in an Ards Battalion Mission to Boys event on 13 February to the National Football Stadium (Windsor Park).



Having said all that, it has been a bit of a challenge since the start of 2024 as the boys face competing pressures from school studies and exams, illnesses, sporting interests with clubs. As a consequence, attendances on Tuesdays have ranged from just 6 to 12, and we recognise that retaining boys and seeing them each week is getting harder to maintain. However, we continue to give thanks for all 18 and we continue to encourage each one in all that they are doing.

Finally, pride of place this year goes to our Senior 5-a-side football squad. The boys won both Ards Battalion competitions last session but found themselves "too old" to take part at Battalion level this year. So we entered them in the BB National (UK) 5-a-sides. The first round of local matches took place on 2nd December at the Valley Leisure Centre, and our boys easily won their group. The next stage was the Semi-Finals, held in Coleraine on 2nd February. We were in a group of 4, with the top two going through to the Irish Finals. Most of our squad had been ill all week, and two players unavailable, so we were up against it. But we somehow won our opening two games and by the time of our final match we knew that we were through to the finals. We lost heavily to 7th Londonderry BB, the current UK champions and a really good team but we were delighted to get to the finals.

The Irish Finals took place on 1st March at the Valley Leisure Centre. We lost our first match, gave a much-improved performance against 7th Londonderry (lost 2-0) and then won our final match to finish in a very creditable 3rd place. This meant that we narrowly missed out on a place at the UK Finals but bowed out happy in the knowledge that the boys had given their best.



Sure and Steadfast in His Love.

Stephen Boyle (Captain)

OPORTUNITIES FOR LADIES' FELLOWSHIP AT STREAN



At our Monthly PW meeting we have had a very enjoyable season with an average of twenty ladies joining us for the monthly meetings. Our theme of 'Being Transformed' was carried through the content of our speakers.

Around 50 ladies joined us for the Christmas Craft night which Mandy Graham demonstrated very professionally.

Our January meeting was a dinner at Clondeboye Golf Club and twenty-two ladies enjoyed a most delicious meal. At the end of January we had our 'Afternoon Tea' lunch after church and raised £300 for the PW missions.



On 25 February we had our annual PW Service and were delighted to have Ann Wilson, President of PW this year, as our speaker. For our meeting on 11 April, we will have members of PSNI to talk about Scammers. This meeting is open to all members of the congregation (of any age) as this is a topic which is very current in our everyday lives.

Jennifer Wallace

Ladies' Coffee Time

Every third Wednesday in the month the ladies of the congregation enjoy tea and coffee – and some delicious scones or traybakes – at Hillmount Garden Centre in Newtownards. This is an informal and relaxed get together open to any ladies (and their friends) associated with Streaan. There are no sign-up sheets, you don't have to be any particular age, you don't have to come every month, and it's entirely up to you how long or short a time you stay. And there's no sign-up fee as we each just pay for what we want to eat and drink.



The ladies look forward to this every month. You can come on your own – and be assured of a warm welcome. A friendly Streaan face will greet you at the front door of Hillmount – and direct you upstairs to the Mezzanine Level in the cafe. There's even a lift to help anyone up to the café.

There are no talks or speeches – quite simply a time to sit back and relax, enjoy getting to know other ladies from Streaan, to benefit from the fellowship of being together. And of course, having the chance for a good old natter and chat! After all, that's what us ladies are good at!

Why not join us next month on the 3rd Wednesday at 10.30am.

We can also provide a lift, either from your home or meeting at church at 10.15am, so please don't let transport be the only barrier to coming along.

P.S. At Christmas time over 30 ladies enjoyed coffee, mince pies and shortbread in the Welcome Area, with some carols from Londonderry Primary school together with their teacher, Mrs Julie Gillespie.



Fiona Boyle

OPPORTUNITIES FOR MENS' FELLOWSHIP AT STREAN

Football and Fellowship at Strean

Looking for fitness, fun or refreshments on a Wednesday evening from 8pm to 9pm.

Armchair footballer or seasoned professional, male or female you will be made very welcome at our football and fellowship group. Football truly is Global – we have team members from Afghanistan, Argentina, Scotland and Castlederg 😊.

We start with a pre-game prayer for safety and fun. Post game refreshments are served each week.

We were blessed to have Miqui's dad Maxi join our group for four months. Maxi with limited spoken English made a real impression on our group with great humour and humble witness. On Maxi's last night with our group, we were pleased to retire one of our Strean football tops and send Maxi home to Argentina with some mementos and our prayers.

Phil Causby



Strean Men's Fellowship

Meets on the third Thursday evening of the month from September to April. The Fellowship provides a forum for men to connect with other male church members that they would not normally spend time with. It provides encouragement and unity within the church family.

Opening prayer is followed on most occasions by guest speakers, for example, recently the Rev. John Faris who recalled his 28 years as a Presbyterian Minister in Cork, and the Rev. Frank Beattie who spoke of his leadership and the aims of the 'Memory Lane Church' providing a church service specifically to suit those suffering from dementia. Other speakers have spoken on local historical subjects, on some occasions we have informal evenings where various topics of interest are discussed over tea and coffee. In December we normally get together for our Christmas Dinner, held in the evening and on the last two occasions at Clandeboye Golf Club. This occasion provides an opportunity for men who are unable to come along on a Thursday evening to join us socially.

Phillip Baron



Men's Monthly Breakfast

Eighteen months ago a few men from the congregation met for morning coffee and it was suggested during conversation that we should extend an invitation to all of the men in our church family to join with us the next month. After several months of meeting for coffee and really enjoying the fellowship, one of the group, came up with the idea of meeting for breakfast the next time. Due to this being a great success we now meet on the fourth Thursday morning of each month for breakfast at 10.30am in Clandeyboye Golf Club. This is a time of relaxed fellowship where there are no speeches or church business discussed. Why not come along and even bring a friend, no one is expected to come every month – just as it suits you and you do not need to pre book. If you would like more information, please speak to Jeff McWatters, Brian Nixon or John Black.



SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PROJECT

In accordance with the mission of the church, we are called to set an example with regards to good and proper stewardship of our physical assets. The Presbyterian Church in Ireland has a policy of not investing in companies that generate their income from extracting fossil fuels; yet, Streaton has remained heavily reliant on fossil fuels to power our church buildings.

Based on professional advice received over the past 12 months, our Kirk Session decided that a solar energy scheme was something which would greatly benefit the current and future generations of Streaton members, due to the cost saving potential which such a scheme would offer. The sight of solar panels having been installed would also be a visible representation to the local community of our commitment to conservation and sustainability, as well as our investment for the future.

Session appointed a small Working Group comprising Brian Nixon, Stuart Faloon, Sam Young and Stephen Boyle, and it developed its collective knowledge of the potential on offer from industry in terms of sustainable energy projects. The Working Group received competitive quotations from three experienced sustainable energy companies, and Solar NRG was appointed and installed 35 solar panels and 4 large storage batteries just before Christmas 2023.

The key financial facts of our scheme which are worth noting are:

1. Capital outlay – £36,000 (utilising the majority of the surplus amount which was achieved through the new manse project a few years ago)
2. Anticipated pay-back period (in which the capital cost will have been recouped through energy savings) – between 6 and 7 years
3. Manufacturer warranties on solar panels (20 years) and storage batteries (10 years) are the best that the market can offer at present
4. Anticipated energy cost savings over a 25-year period – estimated at approximately £95,000 to £125,000



Our Property Team now manage and monitor the performance of the installation going forward.

Stephen Boyle (on behalf of the Property Team)

2024 COFFEE MORNINGS – Saturdays from 10am -12noon

6 April – Marie Curie Cancer Care

20 April – Tots & Toddlers (Sponsorship of Heidy through Compassion)

1 June – The Link Family Centre

15 June – Holiday Bible Club



Dates of Special Events

Tuesday 19 March BB Parents' Night - Anchor Boys 6.30pm Junior and Company Sections 7.30pm

Thursday 11 April at 7.30pm - PW & Men's Fellowship on "Scammers" with P.S.N.I.

Monday 22 April GB Parents' Night - 6.45pm

Saturday 1 June PW Outing - to Lisburn for Afternoon Tea at Haslem Hotel followed by a tour of the Linen Museum including a craft workshop. Cost £30 everyone welcome.

ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES FAIR

will be held in the Adgey Hall

on

Monday 6 May 2024 from 10am - 4pm

Summer Blitz Residential

at Delamont Outdoor Education Centre

Monday 29 - Wednesday 31 July (for Year 8-14 in September 2024)



Holiday Bible Club

Monday 5 - Friday 9 August (mornings)

For children in P1 - P7 in September 2024

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP

TUESDAY 26TH - FRIDAY 29TH MARCH, 7.30PM // SPEAKER: RICK HILL // EVERYONE WELCOME



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