

# 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018

## Trinity 15



**WELCOME**

All newcomers and visitors.

**WORSHIP**

We meet together to worship our God.

### PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Be with us Lord as we worship you. Open our minds to your will, help us to focus on your word and draw us closer to your presence. This we ask in Jesus' name. Amen.

### MAKING FRIENDSHIPS

#### WITH GOD

**HEALER PRAYER GROUP**

Tuesday 7.15 pm in Clergy Vestry.

**MID WEEK**

Holy Communion on Wednesday at 10.30 am in St Patrick's with refreshments afterwards.

**GOOD BOOK CLUB**

Friday at new time of 7.00 pm in the Choir Vestry. Everyone welcome.

**'THE WAY' YOUTH FELLOWSHIP**

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 6.30 pm in the Minor Hall.

**BIBLE FELLOWSHIP**

Will start again on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 8.00 pm in the Choir Vestry. Everyone welcome.

**PRAYER SUPPORT**

Team Leader - Eleanor Burnett: Tel No. 075 1736 5589.

**MINISTRY OF PRAYER**

After morning and evening services in St Patrick's in the Prayer Space.

**PARISH YOUTH**

Please return all youth consent forms as soon as possible.

#### WITH EACH OTHER

**TEA/COFFEE**

After 11.30 am service in St Patrick's today.

**MOTHERS' UNION**

**Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> September** in Main Hall at 7.30 pm. 'A *Worldwide Vision*' focusing on MU overseas links.  
**Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> September** - Holy Communion in St Patrick's at 7.30 pm followed by supper in the Rectory.  
**Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> October** - advance notice of Mid-Connor Area service in St Jude's, Muckamore at 8.00 pm. All welcome.

- SELECT VESTRY** Tuesday at 7.30 pm in the Robing Room.
- GFS** Tuesday at 7.15 pm in the Minor Hall.
- MORNING TREAT** Irene's Soup and Coffee: 2 Beechwood Avenue on Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> September from 11.00 am - 3.00 pm. Proceeds in aid of St Patrick's Parish Church.
- ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES** St Patrick's Church Hall - Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> September from from 10.30 am - 4.00 pm. Over 20 Quality Dealers selling China, Crystal, Clocks, Fine Porcelain, Ceramics, Oil Lamps, Original Paintings, Antique and Vintage Jewellery, Stamps, Small Furniture, Linen, Silverware, Coins, Militaria, etc. Admission £2, children (accom.) free. Refreshments available. Proceeds in aid of Church Funds.

### WITH THE WORLD

- CHRISTIAN FILM** An inspiring Christian film "I Can Only Imagine" (PG) is showing at Antrim's Omniplex cinema daily until Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> September at 2.40 pm and 5.20 pm. Do see it if you can. For details see: [www.icanonlyimagine.co.uk](http://www.icanonlyimagine.co.uk)
- CMSI IGNITE CONFERENCE** Ignite is CMSI's annual conference for members, supporters and churches who engage with the society and our mission partners. The event will take place at Dromantine Conference Centre near Newry on Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> September, between 10.30 am and 5.15 pm. We'd love you to join us!! For bookings please speak to Jen Christie or go to [www.cmsireland.org](http://www.cmsireland.org)
- SHOE BOXES** Boxes for Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child Appeal are available at the back of church. Suggested donation £1 which will go towards Church funds. Filled boxes should be returned by Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> October.
- THE CASTLE PLAYERS** Performance of Sam Cree Play "The Mating Season" in the Braid Arts Centre on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2018 at 7.30 pm. Tickets £8 (£6 concession) available at Braid Centre. You may also pay at the door.
- EXPLORING ENTERPRISE 4 PROGRAMME** A free programme helping people to take the first steps to gain employment or exploring your business idea. For more information contact Laura McCourt on 028 2826 9973: email: [laura.mccourt@ledcom.org](mailto:laura.mccourt@ledcom.org)

**READINGS IN ST PATRICK'S AT 11.30 AM**  
**Psalm 8 (Page 503)**  
**St Mark 7:24-37 (Page 41)**

# Trinity 15 - Ballyclug

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A reading from the Book of Genesis Chapter 1 beginning at verse 1

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*This is the word of the Lord*  
THANKS BE TO GOD

## **A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Romans chapter 1 beginning at verse 18**

For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and wickedness of those who by their wickedness suppress the truth. For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them. Ever since the creation of the world his eternal power and divine nature, invisible though they are, have been understood and seen through the things he has made. So they are without excuse; for though they knew God, they did not honour him as God or give thanks to him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their senseless minds were darkened. Claiming to be wise, they became fools; and they exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images resembling a mortal human being or birds or four-footed animals or reptiles.

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