

19th JUNE 2016

Trinity 4



WELCOME To all Sunday School children, parents, friends, newcomers and visitors.

WORSHIP We meet to worship God who forgives our sins and nurtures our faith.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Loving Father, help us all to worship you, to listen to you, and to trust in your promises. Amen.

MAKING FRIENDSHIPS

WITH GOD

URGENT PRAYERS PLEASE Many of you will by now have heard of the tragic accidental death of Darren Rodgers in Nice. Darren and his family are members of St Patrick's and Darren has been both a member and officer in our C.L.B. At the time of going to print no details are as yet available regarding any funeral arrangements. Please keep this family in your prayers.

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.

LIVING FAITH Next Sunday at 6.30 pm. The theme is Worship.

CMSI NEW annual conference on Saturday 24 September. Anyone interested, please speak to Clergy.

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**KESWICK @
PORTSTEWART**

Life-Changing Bible Teaching - 9-15 July 2016
from 11.00 am - 7.30 pm daily in Portstewart.
For more information see posters at the back of
Church.

**SUMMER
CHILDREN'S
ACTIVITIES**

There will be no Sunday School during the
summer months but there will be Children's
Church. We hope that all children will
attend church with their parents.
Summer Scheme - Monday 15th - 19th August
3.00 - 6.00 pm. £1.50 per child. Please contact
Lucy - Tel No. 077 5995 0497.
Summer Madness: Sunday, 3rd July. There will be
a bus leaving from Church.

**PRAYER
SUPPORT**

Team Leader - Heather Barr,
Tel No. 2564 1047.

**MINISTRY OF
PRAYER**

After morning and evening services in St Patrick's
in the prayer space.

WITH EACH OTHER

REFRESHMENTS

After morning service today.

**ALL
PARISHIONERS**

If you have not already done so our new Rector
would be grateful if you would sign the book at
the back of church. He would like to know your
name, address and telephone number and which
church you normally attend.

FIT FOR LIFE

Fit 4 Life Group meet at St Patrick's Church Hall
on Tuesday at 7.15 pm. Everyone welcome.

WITH THE WORLD

**CHRISTIAN
AID**

The total figure is now:
Lunches £ 797.00
Church plate £ 697.26
Door-to-door £ 880.16
 £2,374.42

FOOD BANK

Thank you for your donations.

**READINGS IN ST PATRICK'S AT 11.30 AM
Mark 12:28-34 (Page 47)**

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A reading from the Book of Proverbs chapter 30 beginning at verse 1

The words of Agur son of Jakeh. An oracle.
Thus says the man: I am weary, O God,
I am weary, O God. How can I prevail?
Surely I am too stupid to be human;
I do not have human understanding.
I have not learned wisdom
nor have I knowledge of the holy ones.
Who has ascended to heaven and come down?
Who has gathered the wind in the hollow of the hand?
Who has wrapped up the waters in a garment?
Who has established all the ends of the earth?
What is the person's name?
And what is the name of the person's child?
Surely you know!
Every word of God proves true;
he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.
Do not add to his words,
or else he will rebuke you, and you will be found a liar.
Two things I ask of you;
do not deny them to me before I die:
Remove far from me falsehood and lying;
give me neither poverty nor riches;
feed me with the food that I need,
or I shall be full, and deny you,
and say, 'Who is the Lord?'
or I shall be poor, and steal,
and profane the name of my God.
Do not slander a servant to a master,
or the servant will curse you, and
you will be held guilty.

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A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Galatians chapter 6 beginning at verse 1

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbour's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads.

Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

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A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Galatians chapter 3 beginning at verse 23

Before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ; There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

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A reading from the gospel according to St Luke chapter 8 beginning at verse 26

Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, 'What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me' - for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, 'What is your name?' He said, 'Legion'; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss. Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, 'Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.' So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

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