

@KandCd: St. Andrew's, Killaney & St. Ignatius', Carryduff



Crossroads Summer 2018



Dear Friends

For the last five years our home has been shared by just two of us, but for the last few months there have regularly been five of us, plus Easkey (the cat), of course!

It has been (largely) wonderful! Yes, the milk keeps running out, and there is often no bread left for toast, or there are occasional queues for the shower. But what a joy, what a privilege to share your space with people you love.

It makes me think of my attitude to people who want to be part of the church and to share the life we have grown to love here. With every new person comes a new perspective, a new sense of opportunity, a new need to serve one another.

It can be uncomfortable for the 'residents' but the love of God within us constrains us to accommodate and welcome the new among us, until both we and they are used to one another.

But there can be a problem when it comes to sharing a space with others. The issue is that we treat it as 'our' space, and we continually remind the 'blow-in' that this is how 'we' do it, and therefore how 'they' must do it too. Think about it. Am I right?

It takes a huge amount of restraint to let the newly arrived be themselves, without trying to make them behave in a way that suits us. Paul, writing in one of his letters to young churches struggling with the whole Christian lifestyle, said this:

I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some.

I do all this for the sake of the gospel, that I may share in its blessings.

(1 Corinthians 9:22-23)

The trivial cost of adapting to the newcomer is nothing compared to the joy of sharing the good news.

- * Make others welcome.**
- * Go out of your way to do so.**
- * Neglect your own comfort.**
- * Win a friend, for Christ's sake.**

Enjoy the summer.

See you Sunday?

Stephen

Summer Services

Vera and Stephen are looking forward to worshipping God with his people in Carryduff, Killaney, Sarasota, and New York this summer. We think the welcome they receive in KandCd will be hard to beat, but, like many holidaymakers, they will make it a priority to find a place to worship while they are away from home.

Where will you worship when you are not at home? Please do not 'take a break' from worshipping God! You may either get some fresh ideas for church, or you may be so glad to get home!

In July and August we plan to maintain 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 services each Sunday, and to have our weekly Wednesday Communion as often as possible. Please use the calendar in the magazine to help you see the schedule.

Children's Activity

As mentioned in the last magazine we hope to have a children's activity each Sunday in the summer.

Killaney

In Killaney some light creative activities for children will go on at the back of the church during worship. Parents can support this by sitting with them. Those concerned with a low level of noise should sit nearer the front!

Carryduff

In Carryduff a small team of volunteers will assist in providing children with activities suited for their age group.

Summer Sundays @ Carryduff

Summer Sundays for Children have now started!!!!

This new programme will take place each Sunday during Morning Service. This will allow our families to come to church over the summer and for children to have an enjoyable time in church at the start of services. and then going out to enjoy games, crafts, refreshments, and for parents also to enjoy Sunday morning worship. There is no event on Sunday 15th July.

We look forward to seeing everyone at Summer Sundays Club.

Cover Pictures: The Rev William and Mrs Alison Jeffrey are presented with gifts at both Killaney and Carryduff on Sunday 10th June.





HAPPINESS is a plant which will grow in any soil that is watered in love and service, but withers in the hot sunshine of selfishness. (W. Riley)

SIX RULES

The six most important words:

"I admit that I was wrong!"

The five most important words:

"You did a great job."

The four most important words:

"Consider others - not yourself."

The three most important words:

"May I help?"

The two most important words:

"Thank you!"

The one most important word:

"We."

The least important word: *"I."*

These words add up to a lot of good sense.

ART EXHIBITION & COFFEE

We had a very successful Art Exhibition thanks to the hard work of Peggy, Florence and Alison. They planned it and organised it with the help of Terry, Gary, Viona and Johnny. The Church looked lovely with all the paintings displayed.

Thank you to Roger Waring and the Killaney Art Group who very kindly donated the full amount raised for their paintings to Church Funds. The Stewards in Church thought they were VIPs with their badges!

Thank you to Anne and all the tea ladies who provided food and did a wonderful job making each and every visitor feel very welcome.

A sincere thanks to Peggy, Florence and Alison and all who helped - £2,600 (with a few more still to come) was raised for Church Funds.

Flowers Roster:

JULY:

Betty McCartney

AUGUST:

Lyn McNeill

Cleaning Roster:

JULY:

Alison Gray Anne Mannis

AUGUST:

Betty Green Eileen Earney

Celebrating Victories

Each Sunday in the summer we will include - in our prayers or preaching - the **Armour of God**.

Ephesians 6:10-20 outlines the equipment God gives us to fight our daily battles against spiritual giants. Both as individuals, and as part of the worldwide church, we need God's help to contend with the forces railed against us.

Identifying these enemies, and the ways in which God helps us face them down, is a daily conflict. Celebrating God's victory over them is a key part of the battle so the sermon series is filled with hope as well.

Here are the themes and the related Sundays for July and August 2018:

Date	Title	Title	Reading
1 July	Standing your ground.	Putting on the Armour	Eph 6:10-20
8 July	Truth? Take your pick.	The Belt of Truth	Eph 4:20-32
15 July	Protecting your health	Breastplate of Righteousness.	Isaiah 11:1-5 Eph 5:8-14 Rom. 3:21-26
22 July	Overcoming inertia	Fitting ready feet	Isa 52:7-10 Eph 2:13-18
29 July	Deflecting attacks	The Shield of Faith	Psalm 18:25-30,35 1 Pet 5:6-11
5 August	Knowing your Saviour	The Helmet of Salvation	1 Thess 5:5-11
12 August	Read, Read, Read the Word	The Sword of the Spirit (1)	Col 4:16 2 Tim 3:14-17
19 August	Preparing to attack	The Sword of the Spirit (2)	Hebrews 4:12-13
26 August	All about breathing	Praying in the Spirit.	Eph 4:14-20

Please prepare yourselves for the teaching by reading the verses beforehand.

We welcome Bishop Edward Darling to celebrate the Holy Communion during the summer, along with the Rev Ian McDonald, who will also conduct some main services in our churches. We are delighted to have Keith Shaw continuing to serve as our Parish Reader as he prepares for his commissioning as Diocesan Reader in September.



New Horizon

New Horizon is a seven day Christian festival that takes place every year on the Ulster University campus in Coleraine, set on the picturesque north coast of Northern Ireland. It exists to provide a space and time in which thousands of people of all ages can be taught from the bible, be inspired through worship and story, develop a missional heart, and engage with relevant and challenging issues. The event has been running in NI since 1989 and we are very much looking forward to seeing and hearing what God has in store for us in the years and decades to come.

The event normally starts on the first Saturday in August and runs until the following Friday. That means 4th -10th August 2018 this year. It's non-residential – so apart from pre-registration for the Children/Youth programme you can just turn up.

The Evening Celebrations start at 7:30pm (Sat-Fri) and the morning Bible teaching starts at 10:00am (Mon-Fri), both in the New Horizon Main Tent. From 11:45am -12:45pm a number of NH Explore seminars take place in various locations in the tented village.

Philip Yancey, whose books include, 'What's So Amazing About Grace', is the speaker at the evening celebration on Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th. Bishop Ken Clarke is the speaker at the closing evening celebration on Friday 10th. Perhaps we could arrange transport for those wishing to go on one or all of these evenings?

Further information relating to other speakers can be found on the New Horizon website: newhorizon.org.uk

If you are interested please contact Marlene Moore.

Killaney Coach Trip

**Saturday 4th
August**



By Charlie Phillips on Flickr

On Saturday 4th August a coach trip to Enniskillen is being organised for the whole church family of Killaney. An adult ticket will cost £10.00 per person with children travelling free.

Leaving around 9:00 am the Ulsterbus coach will travel to the Linen Mill at Moygashel for morning refreshments and then on to Enniskillen for the afternoon. We hope to be back in Killaney around 6.00 pm.

We are booking a 52 seater bus and welcome our friends in Carryduff Parish to join us. To book your place please use the sign up sheets with your church wardens or contact Viona Crothers on 07511654131.

Further details regarding the trip will be confirmed nearer the time with each person who has booked and also on our parish facebook page.

Castlecoole and Enniskillen Castle are local attractions. One is on the way into the town, and the other is located within walking distance of the town centre--- good indoor and outdoor exhibits in an historic building. St Macartan's Cathedral is open to visitors all day unless there is a service underway. There is a really good children's playground for all ages beside the Lakeland Forum.

Enniskillen is a great destination - the town centre, Erne-side shopping centre, the playground and the castle are all within easy walking distance from the bus station/coach park. Lots of really good coffee shops too. There are seats at regular intervals along the new riverside walkway between the Erne-side Shopping Centre and the Castle and a cluster of six picnic tables at the castle end of the walkway.

Bible Week 2018

Please join us for our 12th Annual Bible Week from Tuesday 28 - Friday 31 August 2018 with Bishop Grant LeMarquand (below). Formerly Area Bishop for The Horn of Africa, Bishop Grant is a Canadian missionary and academic and gifted teacher who is very much looking forward to joining us.

Taking the title, *Enter the Throne Room*, Bishop Grant will teach in the Book of Revelation. The venue is Willowfield Church, Belfast and we begin each evening at 7.45 pm.

The Bible Week is four nights of excellent Bible teaching, worship and ministry for the Diocese of Down and Dromore but anyone is welcome to come along and many do!

Programme:

Tuesday: A Vision of God (Rev 4-5)

Wednesday: A Vision of the Church (Rev 7)

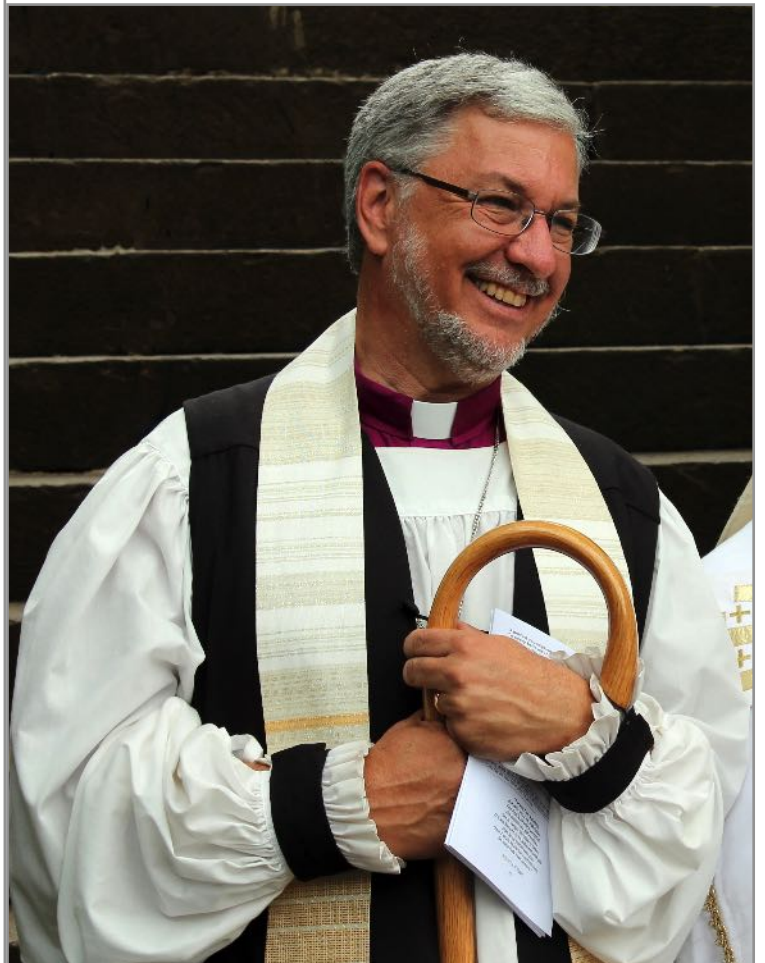
Thursday: A Vision of Judgement (Rev 20)

Friday: A Vision of the New Heaven and the New Earth (Rev 21-22)

We look forward to seeing you there.



When it was Mrs Wilson's turn to do the flower arrangements, she always kept the vicar's hay fever in mind



Letter from Rev William Jeffrey

Where do I start? It's hard to believe that my time as a Deacon Intern at Killaney and Carryduff has come and gone. Such is the nature of things there is always a start and an end, a beginning and a moving on. At this point, my cluttered wee mind goes off on a tangent and I start to think, Alpha & Omega, next I'm thinking Ecclesiastes and a time for all seasons...

I once heard it said that the true spiritual gatekeepers are poets, not priests! Now that would be a good debate to have...anyway, before I digress any further let me return to what it is I should be articulating. That is, the most heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation to you and all the good folk of the parishes of St Andrew's and St Ignatius'.

Sunday 10th June (Trinity 2) was a most blessed day for Alison and me. A day we shall never forget due to the immense generosity and outpouring of love we felt by the people of both parishes. We were completely touched and overwhelmed. The gifts were outstanding, not to mention the planning and detail.

The beautiful Celtic Communion Set from St Ignatius' Parish, unmistakably Church of Ireland in style, is so fitting to be used in the Holy Sacrament of Communion - to the Glory of God. I will cherish this always, and will take great delight in telling the story of generosity behind it.

Mrs J was also thrilled with the very generous House of Frazer gift card she received at Carryduff.

As if that wasn't enough, the good people of Killaney presented me with a most wonderful framed painting of one of the gas lights in St Andrew's. Simply stunning. It will be the inspiration behind many a sermon - to keep the light burning in the dark corners D.V. Alison again was overwhelmed with the presentation of a splendid bouquet of flowers at Killaney.

Fundamental in ordained ministry is the need for serious attention to be maintained pertaining to word and sacrament. The treasured gifts that I have received from Killaney and Carryduff will act as a constant reminder and encouragement relating to these two imperatives.

Words are often not enough to fully communicate how much I have appreciated the learning and ongoing formation I received at Killaney and Carryduff. As I reflect on the privilege I've enjoyed in serving Christ and the people even in such a small way, I remain in your debt. Keep the joy and the faith, 'til we meet again DV.

God Bless.

Yours ever,

William and Alison

Meryl Streep

Tom Hanks

The Post

**MOVIE
MOMENTS**

Nick and Carol Pollard from EthosMedia.org share thought-provoking reflections on the latest films.

The Right Risk?

Is a risk-taker a hero or a fool? For many, it simply depends upon whether the risk paid-off. Steven Spielberg's film *The Post* could perhaps cause us to reconsider that assumption.

Set in the time of Richard Nixon's presidency of the USA, the story begins with the military analyst, Daniel Ellsberg, so disgusted by the government's deception about the under-resourcing of soldiers in the Vietnam war that he copies top-secret documents - the Pentagon Papers. Eventually these pass to the editor of the Washington Post, Ben Bradlee (Tom Hanks), who asks the paper's owner, Kay Graham (Meryl Streep), to approve their publication, despite a restraining order that could get her indicted for contempt of court. In nail-biting scenes, as the print room waits, she must decide whether to take the risk of fighting for freedom of the press.

Kay has much to lose; not only for herself but also for all women, because many doubt a woman can run a newspaper. If she takes the risk and it pays off she could be a hero, but if it doesn't then she would be the fool who damaged the advancement of women in the workplace. The fundamental question is whether a decision to take a risk should be calculated on the odds of success, or on a point of principle.



Spielberg builds the tension brilliantly. And with a device reminiscent of the red-coated girl in his award-winning *Schindler's List*, this film has its own little girl, Bradlee's daughter, starting her life as an entrepreneur. Perhaps, the value of risk-taking should not be assessed by looking back at consequences, but by looking forward into the type of world we can build together if we remain true to our strongly held beliefs.

**ETHOS
MEDIA.org**

EthosMedia.org provides free resources to help people explore spiritual, moral, social and cultural issues through the latest feature films.





Marlene Moore, our ICS rep, reports:
From time to time we receive updates from the mission agencies we support and the following stories from ICS give us cause to praise God and to keep us praying for them.

On Trinity Sunday four adults from St John's, Izmir in Turkey, were baptised by full immersion. After morning prayer a group of twenty five travelled to Ephesus to a retreat centre where there is a baptismal pool, and the four were baptised during a service of Holy Communion. To prepare for their baptism the candidates had attended the full Alpha course, which had lasted sixteen weeks. In February of next year they will be confirmed by the Bishop.

On the Saturday before Pentecost, the chaplain of St. Peter's, Chantilly in the north of France, baptised four young people by full immersion. They and eleven others were confirmed by the Bishop the next day, Pentecost Sunday. For them and the congregation it was a joyous and memorable weekend. Some in the congregation were surprised that the Anglican Church practises total immersion. The chaplain explained that at the Reformation the Anglican Reformers attempted to recover the practices and theology of the early church, and that some very ancient churches have a font big enough for immersion baptism.

In addition to permanent chaplaincies, seasonal chaplaincies in Switzerland, Italy and on the island of Corfu make provision for Sunday worship, and offer help, when needed, for English-speaking tourists and others. This is mission, which reaches out to people who are on holiday and who may be more open to the Gospel in a relaxed setting.

For a number of years Billy served as a seasonal chaplain in several locations, including Belgium and France; our accommodation was a caravan on the campsite where we lived amongst the people we sought to befriend. Some came to the Sunday service out of curiosity, while for others it was part of their normal routine. Chatting with our 'neighbours' over a meal or at the poolside provided opportunities to talk about faith in a non-threatening way. Some shared their problems and we became firm friends with one couple who, on their return home, went back to and got involved in their local church. Those experiences were enriching for us and, hopefully, gave a little encouragement to others on their journey of faith.

Jesus said, "I will build my church and the gates of hell will not prevail against it."

Perhaps we could set aside some time during the summer months to pray for those involved in mission, especially our friends in ICS.

Marlene Moore

Summer Calendar

Verse of the Month: JULY Ephesians 6:10

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.

Sunday 24 June

- 9:00 Holy Communion TWO
2 Corinthians 6:1-13 & Mark 4:35-41
- 10:30 Sunday Special for Children's Day
- 11:15 Parish Barbecue
- 12:00 Sunday Special for Children's Day
2 Cor 6:1-2 and 1 Cor 15:10-11
- 12:45 Parish Barbecue

Trinity 4 (Green)

- in Carryduff
- in Carryduff
- at Carryduff Church
- in Killaney
- at Killaney Church

Tuesday 26 June

- 6:00 First Aid Course

Wednesday 27 June

- 10:30 Midweek Communion
2 Kings 22:8-13; 23:1-3 & Matthew 7:15-20

in Carryduff

Sunday 1 July Putting on the Armour

- 9:00 Holy Communion TWO
2 Corinthians 8:7-15 Mark 5:25-34
- 10:30 Parish Communion
- 12:00 Parish Communion
Ephesians 6:10-20 Mark 5:25-34

Trinity 5 (Green)

- in Carryduff
- in Carryduff
- in Killaney

Tuesday 3 July

- 8:00 Word ALIVE! in Rectory

Wednesday 4 July

- 10:30 Midweek Fellowship Communion
Habakkuk 2:1-4 Ephesians 2:19-22 & John 20:24-29

St Thomas' Day (Red)

in St. Ignatius', Carryduff

Sunday 8 July Truth? Take your pick.

- 9:00 Holy Communion TWO
Isaiah 61:1-3a Psalm 117 Acts 13:46-49 Matthew 28:16-20
- 10:30 Service of the Word
- 12:00 Service of the Word
Isaiah 61:1-3a & Ephesians 4:20-32

St Kilian's Day (Red)

Conducted by Bishop Edward

- in Carryduff
- in Killaney

Sunday 15 July Protecting your heart/health

- 9:00 Holy Communion TWO
Romans 3:21-26 & Mark 6:14-29
- 10:30 Morning Prayer
- 12:00 Morning Prayer
2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 & Ephesians 5:8-14

Trinity 7 (Green)

- in Carryduff
- in Carryduff
- in Killaney

Wednesday 18 July

- 10:30 Midweek Fellowship Communion
Isaiah 10:5-7, 13-16 & Matthew 11:25-27

in St. Ignatius', Carryduff

Sunday 22 July Fitting Ready Feet

- 9:00 Holy Communion TWO
Ephesians 2:11-22 Mark 6:30-34, 53-56
- 10:30 Service of the Word
- 12:00 Service of the Word
Isaiah 52:7-10 & Ephesians 2:13-18

Trinity 8 (Green)

- in Carryduff
- in Carryduff
- in Killaney

Wednesday 25 July

- 10:30 Midweek Fellowship Communion

St James the Apostle (Red)

in St. Ignatius', Carryduff

Acts 11:27 - 12:2 & Matthew 20:20-28

Sunday 29 July Deflecting Attacks

Trinity 9 (Green)

9:00	Holy Communion TWO 1 Peter 5:6-11 & John 6:16-21	in Carryduff
10:30	Morning Prayer	in Carryduff
12:00	Morning Prayer Psalm 18:25-30 & 1 Peter 5:6-11	in Killaney

Verse of the Month: AUGUST Colossians 4:2

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.

Sunday 5 August Knowing your Saviour

Trinity 10 (Green)

9:00	Holy Communion TWO 1 Thess 5:5-11 & John 6:24-35	in Carryduff
10:30	Sunday Summer Special	in Carryduff
12:00	Sunday Summer Special 1 Thessalonians 5:5-11	in Killaney

Wednesday 8 August

10:30	Midweek Fellowship Communion Jeremiah 31:1-7 & Matthew 15:21-28	in St. Ignatius', Carryduff
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Sunday 12 August Read, Read, Read the Word

Trinity 11 (Green)

9:00	Holy Communion ONE Ephesians 4:25 - 5:2 & John 6:35, 41-51	in Carryduff
10:30	Parish Communion	in Carryduff
12:00	Parish Communion 2 Timothy 3:14-17 & John 6:35, 41-51	in Killaney

Wednesday 15 August

10:30	Midweek Fellowship Communion Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22 & Matthew 18:15-20	in St. Ignatius', Carryduff
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Sunday 19 August Preparing to Attack

Trinity 12 (Green)

9:00	Holy Communion TWO Ephesians 5:15-20 & John 6:51-58 Please check on line for service details today	in Carryduff
10:30	Morning Prayer	in Carryduff
12:00	Morning Prayer 1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14 & Hebrews 4:12-13	in Killaney

Wednesday 22 August

10:30	Midweek Fellowship Communion Ezekiel 34:1-11 & Matthew 20:1-16	in St. Ignatius', Carryduff
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Sunday 26 August All about Breathing

Trinity 13 (Green)

9:00	Holy Communion TWO Ephesians 6:10-20 & John 6:56-69	in Carryduff
10:30	Morning Prayer	in Carryduff
12:00	Morning Prayer Psalm 84 & Ephesians 4:14-20	in Killaney

Tuesday 28 to Friday 31 August

19:45	Bible Week in Willowfield Church BT6 8FE Enter the Throne Room 4 Studies in Revelation with Bishop Grant LeMarquand
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Wednesday 29 August

10:30	Midweek Fellowship Communion 2 Thessalonians 3:6-10, 16-18 & Matthew 23:27-32	in St. Ignatius', Carryduff
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A Reading from the Chronicles of Killaney and Carryduff

Now it came to pass in those days that a proclamation was issued by the scribes that sit in high places in the Diocese of Down and Dromore.

Thus it was decreed that a new prophet would be sent to bring good news to the people of Carryduff and Killaney. And the name of the prophet was William.

So it was that in the balmy days of summer the prophet William appeared before the people and did proclaim to them many signs and wonders. Yea, his voice was heard throughout the land. And, lo, the people did take William unto their hearts – for he was young, and of a ruddy countenance, and goodly to behold. And it was even said of him that he was both gracious and loquacious at St. Ignatius – not to mention zany and brainy about Killaney.

Thus it was that the faithful among the people came from far and wide to hear the witness of the prophet William. Yea did they gather together at the Inn that lies at the Crossroads in the region of Carryduff and at the venerable House of the faithful at Killaney. And all were amazed at the teaching of the prophet William – yea even those who travelled from afar – from the lands of Comber and the districts that lie about Saintfield, and from the region along the lough shore that lies beyond Bresagh.

Then, after many months, there came a message from the Diocese of Down and Dromore that the time had come for the prophet William to depart from the faithful of Killaney and Carryduff. Yea, no longer would his sweet tones be heard in the land. And when the people heard these tidings they were sore vexed and there was much weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Then, from among the people, stood up a wise man. And the name of the wise man was Stephen – he whose hair floweth down even unto the skirts of his clothing. And the wise man, Stephen, said unto the people that the prophet William would retain contact with the faithful of Killaney and Carryduff; that he would return from time to time, bringing good news with him.

Then did the innkeepers of the Inn at the Crossroads prepare a great feast; and all the people gathered together and with one voice expressed their gratitude for the good news proclaimed by the wise man, Stephen; and many said among themselves “truly it is good for us to be here.”

Here endeth the reading.

Denis Carson
June 2018

The Widow's little coins



JESUS OFTEN TOLD STORIES WITH HIDDEN MEANINGS



ONCE JESUS WAS WATCHING PEOPLE BRINGING GIFTS TO THE TEMPLE

HE SAW THE RICH PEOPLE BRINGING THEIR MONEY



THEY MADE A BIG FUSS

THE PROUD PEOPLE WANTED EVERYONE TO SEE HOW RICH THEY WERE.



THEY MADE SURE EVERYONE COULD SEE THEM PUTTING THEIR MONEY IN THE BOX

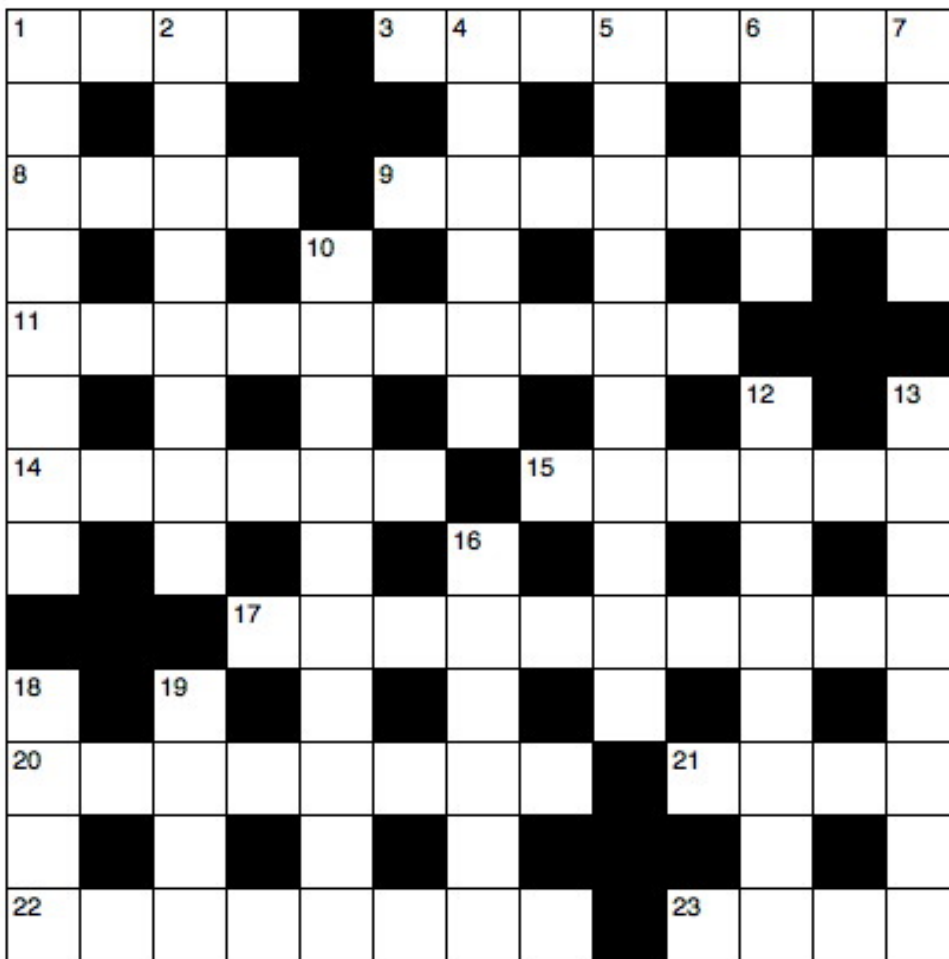


BUT THEN JESUS WATCHED A POOR WIDOW CREEP UP TO THE TEMPLE...

...AND DONATE TWO SMALL COPPER COINS.



"THE WIDOW HAS GIVEN THE GREATEST GIFT", EXPLAINED JESUS. "IT IS WORTH SO MUCH MORE THAN ALL THE RICH PEOPLE'S GIFTS!" see Luke 21.1-4



21 'At midnight the cry rang out, "Here's the bridegroom! Come out to – him"' (Matthew 25:6) (4)

22 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in – '(2 Cor 12:9) (8)

23 'As the – pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, O God'(Psalm 42:1) (4)

DOWN

1 Nickname of popular First World War chaplain, the Revd G.A. StuddertKennedy, – Willie (8)

2 Occasion of religious joy (Lam 2:22) (5,3)

4 'We three kings of – are' (6)

5 Allegation or charge (Jude 9) (10)

6 Kind (1 Chronicles 12:33) (4)

7 'Open your – and look at the fields!' (John 4:35) (4)

10 Also known as the Feast of Lights (John10:22)(10)

12 Area that saw the healing of two demon - possessed men and a herd of pigs stampeding to their deaths (Matthew 8:28) (8)

13 Forebear(James2:21)(8)

16 Name given to the first two books of the Apocrypha(6)

18 Esau sold his birthright for this (Genesis25:34)(4)

19 Rear(anag.)(4)

ACROSS

1 Proverbs describes her as being 'of noble character' (Proverbs 31:10) (4)

3 'Shall we go up again – – against the Benjamites, our brothers?' (Judges 20:23) (2,6)

8 A descendant of Shem (Genesis10:28) (4)

9 'Anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my – '(Luke 14:27) (8)

11 Resentment (Eph 4:31)(10)

14 In Cain(anag.)(6)

15 'Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to – '(Psalm139:6) (6)

17 Intense (1 Thess 4:5)(10)

20 Third Order of the Roman Catholic Church(8)

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Checkpoint Martin

I didn't count the steps on the way up to the dome gallery but, on the way down to the souvenir stand in the crypt, the count stood at 289. This was in an outstanding high-renaissance baroque building in the centre of Berlin. It is known locally as Berliner Dom or, as we would say, Berlin Cathedral.

The Dom began life in the 15th. Century as a collegiate church and has, since then, undergone several phases of architectural renovation until as recently as 1905. The building was damaged during the Second World War and remained closed throughout the years of the German Democratic Republic. It was reopened after restoration in 1993.

Apart from the panoramic view across the city from the dome gallery and the spectacular organ (with 7200 pipes), the Dom is best known as the largest Protestant church in Germany. Thus, sitting in the nave and looking upwards, you are immediately struck by the statues of four great 16th. Century reformers - Martin Luther and his most notable early colleagues, Philipp Melanchthon, Ulrich Zwingli and John Calvin.

Then, in an alcove on the way up to the dome there are two large friezes depicting Luther's famous statement of belief in 1521 at a conference known as the Diet of Worms (pronounced Vorms). Luther had famously challenged the practice of offering forgiveness of sins in exchange for the payment of subscriptions (known as indulgences) to the Church.

There is, of course, no basis in any biblical text for such a possibility. The Church was simply wrong and Luther insisted that it is only through faith in God - and faith alone - that we may be forgiven. This was Luther's famous protest, based on Paul's forthright letter to the Romans, which states ".....a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: The righteous will live by faith (Romans 1 v.17).

"Here I stand" Luther is reputed to have said - and it is our privilege to acknowledge the clarity and rightness of his stance. The conference at Worms dismissed him and he had to face much further opposition before glimpses of a more firmly biblically based church came to prominence.

Luther stood almost alone before the Emperor Charles and the German Princes (representing the authority of Rome) at Worms. Yet he was resolute and there is no doubt that the depth of his solitude gave strength to the

language of his writing and his arguments. All this can be deduced from the collections of his works and the many biographies available in the crypt of the Dom - but only if you can understand the German language.

It is worth noting, nevertheless, that Luther's translation of the scriptures from the original Greek and Aramaic sources into everyday German had an influence well beyond what he could have imagined.

My brief time in Berlin (with my two sons) also included a visit to Checkpoint Charlie. This was the point during the cold war where Allied and Soviet tanks faced each other across the divided city. The hostility was deep and real; fortunately Checkpoint Charlie is now only a tourist attraction.

However, it conjured up in my mind the hostility towards Luther at Worms. This, too, was a hostile Checkpoint.

Denis Carson



*...I don't care what your Sat-Nav's telling you - I'm telling you you are definitely **not** on the M6, nine miles south of Derby!!*

SUMMER ROSTERS CARRYDUFF:

	9:00 Reader	10:30 Reader	10:30 Prayers	10:30 Keynote
1	Ken	Emily Collins	Keith	Jim
8	Raymond, Patricia	Jenny Montgomery	Raymond	Jenny
15	No service (tbc)	Joan Nevin	Ian	Arthur
22	Mary	Jenny Montgomery	Jacky	Zack
29	No service (tbc)	Fiona Ellis	Denis	Martina
5	Caroline	Sophie Rourke	Keith & Team	Kameron
12	Edward	Marlene Moore	Vera	Maurice
19	David	Vera Lowry	William	Fiona
26	Ken	Joan Clayton	Robin	Dave
	Welcome Team		Flowers donor & arranger	
1	Olwen & Emily		Jennifer Carson <i>by Jennifer</i>	
8	Ann & Mary		June McDonald <i>by June</i>	
15	Jim & Margaret		Jeannie Cotter <i>by Susan Creber</i>	
22	Robin & June		Aline Topping <i>by Joyce</i>	
29	John & Jackie		<i>Prepared by Elizabeth</i>	
5	Pamela & Jean		Joan Clayton <i>by Joan</i>	
12	Jenny & Liz		Vera Lowry <i>by Vera</i>	
19	Belle & George		S Rutledge <i>by Joyce</i>	
26	Joyce & Fiona			
	Refreshments Team		Assistants at Holy Communion	
1	Lorna & Francis Buchanan		Raymond Scott & Susan Creber	
8	Liz Fleming & Eileen Martin		<i>For guidance only</i>	
15	Eunice Blakely & Irene Killops			
22	Olwen Bedwell & Maureen Kealey			
29	Joan & David Nevin			
5	J Club Team			
12	Liz Maginn & Jenny Montgomery		Jacky McDowell & Denis Carson	
19	Victoria Frazer & Avril Woods		<i>For guidance only</i>	
26	Robin & June McDonald			

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Brunch is served

Welcome refreshments are served at the Working Brunch in Carryduff Church Hall and Grounds in early June.

We thank the many volunteers who came and served.

CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS

ACROSS: 1, Wife. 3, To battle. 8, Obal. 9, Disciple. 11, Bitterness. 14, Niacin. 15, Attain. 17, Passionate. 20, Tertiary. 21, Meet. 22, Weakness. 23, Deer.

DOWN: 1, Woodbine. 2, Feast day. 4, Orient. 5, Accusation. 6, Type. 7, Eyes. 10, Dedication. 12, Gadarene. 13, Ancestor. 16, Esdras. 18, Stew.

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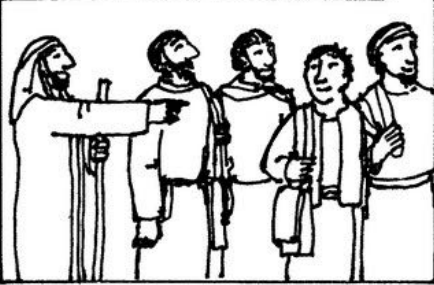
Bible Bite

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in Numbers chapters 13 and 14

God had rescued the Hebrew people from Egypt and led them to the border of the land He had promised them - Canaan. But it was not empty..

12 young leaders were chosen to check Canaan out.



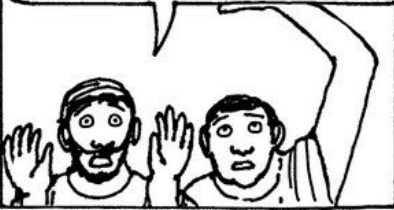
They went north to where Abraham had been buried..



and they returned 40 days later with fruit, and their report...

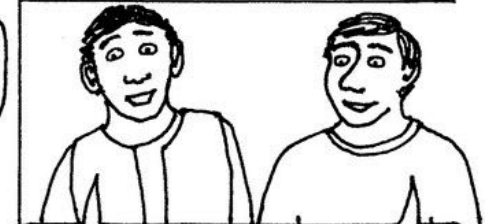


10 said
The people there are like giants! We can't beat them.



Caleb and Joshua said..

But our God is bigger than they are. We can win!

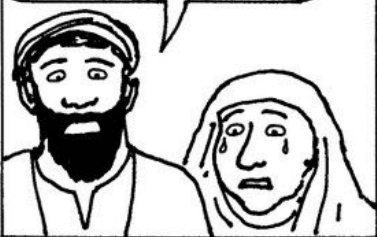


But the people said

No! We should have died in the desert!

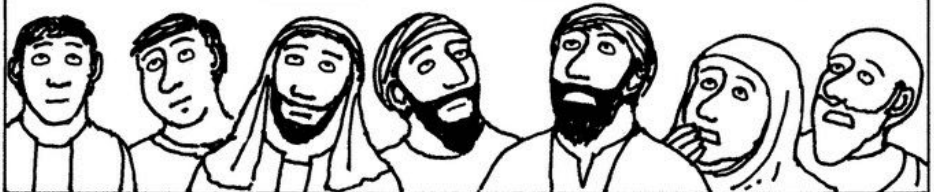


We'll choose a new leader to take us back to Egypt.



But God said..

I have had enough of you not trusting Me. You will wander in the desert for 40 years before your children return here.



We were wrong to complain. Let's go into Canaan!



Don't attack! God will not help you win.

Not listening!



And the Canaanites chased them out of the country.

Run away!



Parish Register

Christian Funeral

8 June Norman William Kittle, Crossgar Road, Shrigley
Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord

Remembered

Norman Kittle

A large congregation inside St Andrew's was joined by many others assembled outside as they gave thanks to God for Norman Kittle's life. Circuit of Ireland Rally Driver, heating engineer and business man, Norman was a former resident of Moneyreagh prior to his move to Shrigley. He is survived by his wife and daughters and grandchildren.

Gordon Crothers

Mourners young and old gathered to pay their respects on the occasion of the funeral of Gordon Crothers of Ballygowan. Gordon was a modest man and would have been surprised by the many who gathered in St. Ignatius', Carryduff to give thanks to God for the great man he was.

The highlight of the moving service was a tribute given by Scotty McFarland to his good friend. Gordon, or 'Gordie' as he was known in Scouts, had been Scout Leader for some 34 years, and was a major influence on a whole generation of young men and women who were members of 1st Carryduff Scouts.

This was made evident by a large number of Scouts, past and present, who had come to pay their respects, some even from as far away as the USA. Amidst many memories Scotty mentioned Gordon's consistency in attendance at Scouts: before he became ill, he had only missed one night- the day Lauren was born and he never let her live that down!

Scotty spoke of the importance to Gordon of the annual troop camp and the value he placed on Scotty as chaplain at the camp. His dedicated service at his work, his devotion to his family and his positive approach even in the face of extreme adversity, all combined to make Gordon an example to all. We extend our sympathy to his family. He is survived by his mother Vina, sister and brother Deirdre and Brian, his wife Gillian, children Connor and Lauren, and grandchildren Dylan and Kyla.

He will be sorely missed by his family and friends.

Gordon Crothers - Gone home.

With thanks to Scotty for his assistance with this tribute.

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Please email content to Stephen or Marlene by Wednesday 15 August
Make up Team Friday 24 August at 11.00 am

Carryduff Parish J Club Groups



J Club Plus - Day Trip to Glasgow on Saturday 2nd June

Everyone met Carryduff Church at 6.15am!!

We made it to the port for 6.45am We all enjoyed breakfast and fun on the boat, then a journey on the coach to Glasgow. All 25 of us had a wonderful day out and lots of bags of shopping returned home.

Summer Football Coaching

For boys & girls (P2 - P7) Wednesday 15th - Friday 17th August Time: 7.00 pm to 8.30 pm. Families are welcome to stay on Friday 17th August for the final match, lively worship & prize giving, including a Family BBQ to finish! Places are limited. Pre-Registration is essential. Return registration forms available from J Club to Carryduff Parish Church or via email keith_shaw@live.co.uk or mobile 07901935205 Cost : £5.00 per child for 3 nights

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