Killaney and Carryduff Parishes' Magazine Summer 2023



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Dear Friends

You have been very busy! Many of you have been caught up in church and community life since the last magazine.

- The Coronation caught the attention of the congregations and organisations which meet at our churches, with meals and parties organised to celebrate the event.
- The arrival of early summer sunshine in May and June
 has encouraged us to walk, to spend time in the garden, and to plan (and go on)
 short breaks and holidays.
- The visit of parishes and CMSI to Killaney to receive reports from Olo diocese and the launch of our Mill Project put us all in good spirits.
- The SOMA weekend mission with visitors from Kilkeel, Brazil and South Africa moved many to reconsider their spiritual health and life.
- The Children's Day events taking place at the end of June created excitement and were designed to enable us all to thank God for the younger members of our parishes.
- New people continue to attend worship their numbers may be small but the welcome they have received has been big.
- J Club has spent a weekend away to enjoy time together and explore life's true meaning.
- Parish groups have been completing their seasons with parents' evenings, lots of cake and other special moments.

For some of you, these events have passed you by:

Maybe you would love to have been able to attend, to meet up with your friends and to mark these special times, but your general health makes that impossible.

Maybe you live in your own little world and haven't seen the need to change your routine to meet with others. Perhaps you are content to remain as you are with your comfortable lifestyle, doing or watching the things you enjoy.

Maybe the sorrows and difficulties you have experienced lately have made all but the most token engagement with others unbearable.

As I think of you, I wonder can we apply two contrasting messages in Paul's letter to the Galatians? Within a few verses he says: "Bear one another's burdens" and the opposite instruction: "Everyone should carry their own load."

On the one hand, we should be willing to help those among us who have found life hard and bland of late to bear their problems with the help of a friend.

On the other hand, we should take the initiative and face up to the challenges before us and do what we can to turn them around.

We have often seen how children can be overwhelmed with their problems, but with a little bit of help and loving support, they can learn the skill, answer the question and excel in the very issue that initially confused them.

What word of encouragement, act of kindness, or inner resolution can we make that will transform the situations or challenges that we each face?



Pray this prayer:

Father God,

your Son came to help us to face the challenges that illness, grief, unbelief, hatred, sin and indifference brought to people's lives.

Give me the strength to support others where I can give help, and the humility to seek and receive help from others when I need it.

Draw me closer to your Son, Jesus Christ, and help me to rely on him for the salvation that he alone can bring.

Use me today to bring you glory, in the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

Have a relaxing summer, please!

Stephen

Readers in the Parish

It is a rich blessing to have four volunteer members who serve as readers. The role involves participation in worship, in particular, the leading of services, and, in addition for those who are diocesan readers, to preach at main services from time to time.

It is particularly helpful when clergy numbers are small or holidays are taking place, but we try in our parishes to use the skills these important leaders have gained, as they assist us in offering worship to Almighty God.

Recently, Mr Raymond Scott has joined the team of readers. Raymond has been an active participant in worship, in lesson reading, as a recent churchwarden, as one who leads prayers from time to time, and as an active member of the parishes' Bible Study Group.

Raymond completed a diocesan course lately and is now permitted to take a more formal part in the leading of worship. We congratulate Raymond on his willingness and his success in becoming our latest Parish Reader.

Lay Readers Marlene Moore Keith Shaw

Parish Readers Jenny Montgomery Raymond Scott

Mothers' Union

With all the excitement of the King's Coronation and numerous bank holidays, we didn't manage to get together in May. So, how about joining us for a picnic and fellowship in the Church grounds on Thursday 20th July at 6.30?

All MU members and friends are most welcome. Just bring yourselves and something to eat and drink.

Let's pray for a dry evening. See you there. ♥



Killaney News

July Flowers: Jennifer Knox

Cleaning: Alison Gray

Anne Mannis

August Flowers: Lyn McNeill

Cleaning: Betty Green

Eileen Earney

Anne and Marie would be pleased to hear from any parishioners who would like to provide flowers or clean the Church.

Children's Day at Killaney

Killaney Parish is holding an outdoor service at 12:00 pm on Sunday 25th June to mark the end of the Sunday Club year. We thank Amanda and the team who assist her with the Sunday Club each week. While our club remains a small one, it is bighearted and makes children very welcome at our weekly worship event. The Service will be followed by a Parish Family Picnic where all ages, with and without children, are invited to sit on rugs or picnic chairs and enjoy their picnics together. Some refreshments will be available too for those who have forgotten or turn up without knowing about the day. In the unlikely event that the weather is inclement we will still meet for worship, and refreshments can be enjoyed in the hall

We had a special cup of tea in May to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles, which everyone enjoyed. Also in May, we had a visit from Linda and friends who represent CMS. It was a very interesting night. We were shown slides taken by a lady who had visited Ola in Sudan. This is an area which we in Killaney support and she told us about her visit. We then tasted food from the area, from what refugees would get, to people who live in the area, to visitors. I can assure you the visitors get the best!! When we were making our cup of tea, Florence showed some of our visitors around our church building, and they were very impressed. They thought it was lovely.

Enjoy the summer break and we will catch up in our September magazine.

In my Summer times of happiness Remind me, Lord, You're there, And let me build up trust in You, Your steadfast love and care.

Then, when the troubled Winter times Come crowding round my door, I'll find my faith is strong and true And I have hope in store.

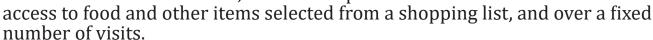
Through all the seasons of my life, Whatever time may bring, Lord, lead me always on with You Towards eternal Spring.

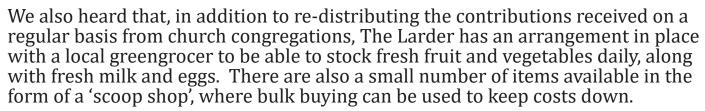


Ladies Coffee Morning in May

More than 30 ladies from both Carryduff and Killaney, along with some other visitors, met together in early May to enjoy a coffee morning at Rockmount Golf Club. We were very pleased to welcome **Louise Ferguson** from 'The Larder' in East Belfast as our event speaker, as she gave us an insight into the development of this enterprise which is located at the former St Christopher's Church in Mersey Street.

Louise explained that The Larder focusses on allowing people who have been referred to have a means of receiving a 'hand up' rather than a 'hand out'. This works by each individual or family group making a small financial contribution, which then provides





Louise's talk also challenged us to keep in mind the bible's emphasis on our duty to care for people in need, through whatever circumstances, as we are able to. She also answered a range of questions from those who came along. A donation box on the day resulted in a significant sum of more than £250 being presented to Louise towards The Larder's work.

As it continues to offer help, wherever possible, to growing numbers of people in need, future plans include setting up a Community Garden (for vegetable growing).

Victoria Frazer

Olo Mill Project

Our parishes have both agreed to support the purchase and set up of a Grain Mill in Olo Diocese. Thank you to our vestries for agreeing to this very practical method of enabling our brothers and sisters in Olo Diocese to improve their lives, and generate income for their diocesan Mothers' Union, and help make the church a focus for the wider community there.

One suggestion, which the vestry has adopted in Carryduff, is to raise funds for this by directing donations made at the Sunday teas to the project. From that decision in June, and on through July and August, tea donations will go to Olo Mill Project.

Routinely, the tea money supports the purchase of biscuits and food for use at the teas. We thank all those who have already generously supported the Tea Fund. Donations will resume for that particular purpose in September.

Finance

Donations to Carryduff Parish Church

Supporting the church by Standing Order saves you finding cash or cheques to pay each week or month to the church funds.

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Three accounts are available for you to use:

- The General Account for salaries, insurance, heat and light
- The Mission Fund Account to support outside organisations that extend our mission locally and overseas.
- The Fabric Fund to accumulate funds for major projects e.g. to repair/replace the church/hall roofs.

Details are listed below:

Account Name: Carryduff Parish Church (same for all accounts)

General Account Number: 41000675 Sort Code -95-02-58

Mission Account Number: 81050192 Sort Code - 95-02-58

Fabric Account Number: 40070068 Sort Code - 95-06-79

Standing Order forms are also available to take to your own Bank for set up if so desired. Freewill Offering envelopes continue to be available for those who prefer to use paper envelopes.

Any new parishioners who wish to avail of Freewill Offering envelopes please speak to Susan Creber.

Thank you in advance for your generous support.

Deirdre Shaw/Sandra Thomas (Honorary Treasurers)

Sunday Club Donations (C)

The children and their families have generously made donations throughout the year and have chosen to support others in rural communities in Africa.

The children chose their gifts themselves and have sent the following items through the Ripple Effect charity - Educate a Child, Wonderful Water, Clean Latrine, Super Stove, Women Leaders, Super-Strong Seeds, Chirpy Chicken, Soaper-Star and Top Bananas.

They raised a total of £161.20 and we are all very proud of them.

Helen Montgomery

Sunday Club Leadership (C)

It has been wonderful to have a great team in place to encourage our children in Carryduff week by week at Sunday Club. For the last number of years the team has been led by Helen Montgomery, who has co-ordinated the weekly programme and worked with the teachers to ensure the children are supported each week.

We are grateful to Helen for her service - both to the children and to their parents - as she has developed this work conscientiously and with imagination. We wish her well as she steps down from this role.

Stephen Lowry

SOMA What a Weekend!

Thursday 1st - Sunday 4th June 2023

We welcomed a SOMA [Sharing of Ministries Abroad] team to Killaney & Carryduff Parishes. The team was staying in Ireland for a few weeks, working in various locations, but they battled travel & jet lag to be with us first!

Rev Norman Allkins arrived from South Africa on Thursday in time for a working lunch with Stephen, learning about activities in our parishes.

Friday had a full programme, starting with an all-day conference in Banbridge for approx. 60 delegates from many different countries, prior to their arrival in 30 parishes in our Diocese of Down and Dromore.

Our other two guests **Marcos Estevao & Victor Verdam**, both from Brazil, joined Norman & Stephen for the training sessions there, before travelling through beautiful, sunny, Co.Down to be with us all in Carryduff for the Prayer Walk at 7.00pm. A group of folk from St Ignatius' accompanied the team, seeing around the local area and praying God's blessing on specific places passed on the walk – school, care homes, other churches etc., places of interest in our community as well as for families, adults and children who live here.

Marcos & Victor seemed to have enough energy left for J Club games before the 8.00pm light supper and "Meet the Team"event. This enabled some more introductions and **George Newell** [team coordinator for the visit] interviewed Norman about his life story, his walk with God and his work in St Margaret's Anglican church in Bedfordview, Johannesburg. It was great to meet informally, becoming friends as the planned events happened, and sharing fellowship and meals together. Like most group weekends, time together is more precious than sleeping time!

Saturday started with 9.30 am breakfast in Killaney – sausage butties, coffee, tea ...

Lots of chatting and a great Killaney welcome. Thank you to all involved in making that treat happen!!

Victor told us his life story and how God led him to join the team here with us. In the afternoon the team distributed some leaflets, inviting people to Church, had a quick mini-tour of Belfast and some preparation time for Sunday worship.

Sunday participation in worship at both services included Marcos sharing his story of how he came to know Jesus as his personal Saviour, friend and guide in his life. He and Victor helped with Sunday Clubs and Norman brought a message from God, encouraging us to accept him into our lives, live in his power and strength each day, in the sure knowledge of his great love and help, even in difficult times when we feel a failure.

It was lovely to share in Communion with our brothers in Christ and to experience a true unity of spirit in worship. At both services George also gave a challenge to us all to share our faith with others each day or, maybe for the first time, to commit to following Jesus in the words of a short prayer. Little booklets "Why Jesus?" written by Nicky Gumbel, were available and received by a number of people to help with starting on that walk with Christ. At the end of both services, there was a time of healing prayer and anointing.

It was a wonderful experience for Norman, Marcos, Victor & George to be with us in Killaney and Carryduff over the weekend – sharing as our brothers in Christ, and we sincerely thank them for coming.

It was also a time of great privilege and blessing for our churches to host the SOMA team in this part of God's world and to learn of God's great love for us all.

The challenge is to love and serve Jesus each day where we are in our parishes and then to know his blessing, comfort and presence in our journey through life.

"What a weekend?" It may be a new start.

Helen Mulholland



Stories we heard in Sunday School

It has been a long time since many of you were at Sunday School! This summer, in July and August, we dip into bible history from Abraham to Moses in short episodes.

Let us bring our Sunday school knowledge up to date and see what wisdom we can gain from Moses' teaching in this part of the bible. We may take a Sunday on another topic as the need arises.

Date	Sunday	Passage	Theme
July 2	Trinity 4	Genesis 22.1-14	Faith draws provision
July 9	Trinity 5	Gen 24.34-38,42-49,58-67	Love in obedience
July 16	Trinity 6	Genesis 25.19-34	Family Lines
July 23	Trinity 7	Genesis 28.10-19a	Elevator: Up or down?
July 30	Trinity 8	Genesis 29.15-28	Frustration
August 6	Trinity 9	Genesis 32.22-31	Encounters with God
August 13	Trinity 10	Genesis 37:1-4,12-28	Joseph sold into slavery
August 20	Trinity 11	Gen 45.1-15	$\label{lossymmetric} \textbf{Joseph reveals himself to his brothers}$
August 27	Trinity 12	Exodus 1.8-2.10	Moses drawn from the bulrushes

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J Elub and Sunday Club Spot

Children's Praise Party

For all primary school age children

Friday 11 August

6.30 pm - 8.30 pm

Further information on the Carryduff Parish J Club Groups Facebook page



July & August Calendar

25 June	Trinity 3 Children's Day	
8:30		in Carryduff
	Romans 6:1b-11 Luke 14:12-24	,
10:00	Celebrate Children's Day at Ten	in Carryduff
	Luke 14:12-24 (both churches)	-
12:00	Open Air Worship & Parish Summer Picnic	in Killaney
27 June	Tuesday	
7:30	Select Vestry Killaney in	n Killaney Hall
28 June	Wednesday	
10:00	Midweek Communion	in Carryduff
	Genesis 15:1-6 Matthew 7:15-20	-
2 July	Trinity 4	(Green)
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
	Romans 6:12-23 Matthew 10:40-42	-
10:00	Parish Communion	in Carryduff
	Genesis 22:1-14 Matthew 10:40-42 Jehovah Jireh (both	
12:00	Parish Communion	in Killaney
5 July	Wednesday	
10:00		in Carryduff
_	Psalm 34:1-12 Matthew 8:28-34	
9 July	Trinity 5	
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
10.00	Romans 7:15-25a Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30	
10:00	Morning Worship	in Carryduff
12.00	Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67 A wife for Isaac (both c	=_
12:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
16 July	Trinity 6	
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
10.00	Romans 8:1-11 Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23	: Carred CC
10:00	Morning Worship	in Carryduff
12:00	Genesis 25:19-34 Jacob and Esau	in Killaney
12.00	Holy Baptism Genesis 25:19-34 Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 Jacob and Esa	
19 July	Wednesday	ıu
19 July 10:00	Midweek Communion	in Carryduff
10.00	Psalm 103:1-7 Matthew 11:25-27	iii Carryduii
20 July	Thursday	
1.00	Golf Society in Masserene Golf Club	
6:30	Mothers' Union Picnic in Carryduff Ch	uirch Grounds
23 July	Trinity 7	iaren aroanas
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
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10:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Carryduff
10.00	Genesis 28:10-19a Stairway (both churches)	m dan yaan
12:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
26 July	Wednesday	
10:00	Midweek Communion	in Carryduff
_ 3.00	Exodus 16:1-5 9-15 Psalm 78:17-31 Matthew 13:1-9	2 2 - 2 J 2 2 2 2 2

30 July	Trinity 8	•
10:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Carryduff
	Genesis 29:15–28 Rachel and Leah (both churches)	
12:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
2 August	Wednesday	
10:00	Midweek Communion Exodus 34:29-35 Matthew 13:44-46	in Carryduff
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10:00	Parish Communion	in Carryduff
40.00	Genesis 32:22-31 Jacob struggles with God	
12:00	Parish Communion	in Killaney
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9 August 10:00	Midweek Communion	in Carryduff
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13 August	Trinity 10	
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
10.00	Romans 10:5-15 Matthew 14:22-33	in Commidus
10:00	Morning Worship Genesis 37:1-4,12-28 Joseph sold into slavery	in Carryduff
12:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
	Genesis 37:1-4,12-28 Joseph sold into slavery	,
16 August	Wednesday	
10:00	Midweek Communion	in Carryduff
17 August	Psalm 66:14-18 Matthew 18:15-20	
17 August 12:30	Thursday Golf Society in Clandeboye (Dufferin Course)	
20 August	Trinity 11	
8:30	Early Communion	in Carryduff
	Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32 Matthew 15:21-28	
10:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Carryduff
12:00	Genesis 45:1-15 Joseph reveals himself to his brothers Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
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23 August	Wednesday	
10:00	Midweek Communion :St Bartholomew's Day (Red)	in Carryduff
	Judges 9:6-15 Matthew 20:1-16	
27 August	Trinity 12	: C
8:30	Early Communion Romans 12:1-8 Matthew 16:13-20	in Carryduff
10:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Carryduff
	Exodus 1:8 - 2:10 Moses drawn from the bulrushes	
12:00	Sunday Morning Worship	in Killaney
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Diocesan Synod

This year's Diocesan Synod was held at Dromore Cathedral. The theme was 'Mission' with an emphasis on evangelism at home and church growth abroad.

The day began with a moving service of Holy Communion and, after a break for refreshments, the President's (bishop's) address followed. He was keen to stress his passion to see churches re-energised and renewed to combat the impact of society's growing secularisation. "When we put evangelism at home and world mission at the top of our agenda, churches grow and thrive."



A number of diocesan projects are planned for the next year, including the Bishop's Bible Week, a diocesan mission in September, and a day for clergy followed by an evening for lay people in January 2024, with Revd Rico Tice(All Souls, London), and Mr Richard Borgonon, a businessman, who will give help and guidance on how to run Christianity Explored courses.

There are nine new church plants and there are plans for a new one each year. In addition, a new outreach to asylum seekers - the Suitcase Project - has just been launched.

The diocese has a number of resources to help develop prayer ministry, Bible teaching and pastoral care, children's and youth ministry, all freely available to churches.

Perhaps one of the most exciting parts of the day's programme was Synod's agreeing to establish a new diocesan link with the Diocese of Mullan in Pakistan, and also one with the Diocese of Santiago in Chile. These new link dioceses join Maridi in South Sudan to extend Down and Dromore's outreach to the wider world.

Interviews and reports filled the remainder of a long day, perhaps a little too long to assimilate everything. However, we were encouraged to hear about the positive things which are happening in the diocese and beyond. As the bishop said, "It was a happy synod".

Marlene Moore

Prayer Points:

for Bishop David McClay and Diocesan Staff as they engage with a busy schedule for Church Plants that seek to proclaim God's love in areas that are difficult to reach for Asylum Seekers living in our diocese

for our new diocesan links: Mullan in Pakistan and Santiago in Chile for clergy planning to retire in the next year and their parishes. SL



1st Carryduff Brownies

It was fantastic this year to have the Brownies back in person from September to May in the hall. We ended up with 23 girls meeting every Tuesday night – a great number! During the year we also had special events such as singing at Carryduff Nursing home at Christmas and attending a 'Brownie take-over' event at W5.

I would like to thank Jen Fleming for helping me with Brownies this year, attending faithfully each week, and also to Mary Hewitt who stood in when either Jen or I were unable to make it – this was much appreciated.

Moving forward we need some helpers. Jen and I are both warranted Guiders, so anyone helping does not need to work towards a Guider warrant unless they wish to do so. We are looking for helpers who would be able to come on one or two Tuesday nights per month to assist with crafts and games. With enough help we can create a rota of helpers who would not need to come too often during the year. Ideally, we would like to restart Carryduff Guides in the next academic year and, if we have enough help, this would be possible. Any adult is welcome but it is also a great opportunity for a young person who is looking to complete some voluntary service e.g. for the Duke of Edinburgh scheme and Jen and I can sign off the scheme booklets to show service has been completed. Access NI checks will need to be done for adult helpers.

If you feel you could give some of your time to Brownies next year (we will be restarting in September) please let me know in person or on my mobile (07852334049) as soon as possible as we would like to make arrangements early in the summer so we can plan ahead. I hope it is something you would consider and we (and the girls) would really appreciate your help.

Many thanks

Fiona Ellis

With the constant weeding and grass cutting at this time of year, do you ever wonder why we bother? Well, Dorothy Gurney's words might offer an

explanation:

The kiss of the sun for pardon
The song of the birds for mirth
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than anywhere else on earth.

Note from SL:

Speaking for myself, being in a loving, supportive and caring church community is an even better place to discover God's love! But the garden isn't bad either!



The Greatest Music

The greatest piece of music ever written. That is the most spectacular claim that has been made about the epic Mass in B Minor composed over an extended period of time by Johann Sebastian Bach.

Bach (1685 - 1750) was never famous in his lifetime. He was, however, an amazingly gifted musician greatly involved in composing substantial amounts of instrumental music and large volumes of both secular and religious choral music for specific occasions. Thus, for example, he was constantly commissioned to prepare church cantatas - mainly in his later years - for two large Lutheran churches in Leipzig where, in 1723, he became director of music.

However, his monumental Mass in B Minor was conceived on such a vast canvas that presentation of it was well beyond the scope of the Sunday services in Leipzig.

The piece opens with a large scale treatment of the Greek text "Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison" (i.e. Lord have mercy on us, Christ have mercy on us, Lord have mercy on us). This is set for four part choir and two solo voices. The remaining four extensive sections of the work, all settings of Latin texts, are:

- Glory be to God on high Gloria

- The Nicene Creed (I believe in one God) Credo

- Holy, holy, Lord God of hosts Sanctus

Agnus Dei - Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world

Taken as a whole the music is a very extensive and involving setting of these texts. Some sections are set for solo voices but the piece also deploys, in places, a four, a five, a six and, in the final section, an eight part choir. The scale is quite simply immense and a presentation of the entire work would last almost two hours.

Bach never heard a complete performance of the Mass in B Minor in his lifetime. However, it was a deeply devout expression of his personal faith and is now widely recognised not only as the summit of his artistic legacy, but as the greatest piece of music ever written.

It has taken me a long time to get to know and love this music, but I have recently come to greatly appreciate it. Indeed it was my immense privilege to take part in a public performance of the B Minor Mass on 10 June this year, as a member of the Belfast Philharmonic Choir accompanied by the Ulster Orchestra. This was, for me, an amazing and deeply memorable occasion, not least as it was also my last concert as a regular member of this great choir - bringing to an end a most enriching fifty three years of involvement in the experience of choral singing.

Denis Carson

Click <u>here</u> to find a good version online https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=So704KMhspk

Smile Lines

Church School Test

For a church school exam, young children were asked questions about the Old and New Testaments. These were some of the (real) results...

In the first book of the Bible, Guinness, God got tired of creating the world, so he took the Sabbath off.

Adam and Eve were created from an apple tree. Noah's wife was called Joan of Ark. Noah built an ark and the animals came on in pears.

Lot's wife was a pillar of salt during the day, but a ball of fire during the night.

Sampson was a strong man who let himself be led astray by a Jezebel like Delilah.

Samson slayed the Philistines with the axe of the Apostles.

Moses led the Jews to the Red Sea where they made unleavened bread which is bread without any ingredients.

The first commandment was when Eve told Adam to eat the apple.

The seventh Commandment is thou shalt not admit adultery.

The greatest miracle in the Bible is when Joshua told his son to stand still, and he obeyed him.

The third hut

A man was stranded on a deserted island in the ocean for several years. Finally, one day a boat came sailing by, and the crew stopped to rescue the man. One of the sailors asked, "What are those three huts you have here?"

"Well, that's my house there."

"What's that next hut?" "I built that hut to be my church."

"Then what about the other hut?"

"Oh, that's where I used to go to church."

Sun Reading while sunbathing makes you well red.

Not like it used to be I used to be able to do cartwheels. Now I tip over while pulling on my socks.

Swim? If a lot of swimming is so good for your shape, then why do the whales look the way they do?

Puppy: I arrived home from work to find all the windows and doors wide open. Apparently, our new puppy had had an accident. "Yeah, it was awful," my daughter told me. "In fact, when we first walked in, I thought you had come home early and were cooking dinner."

Parish Register

Christian Funeral

I am the Resurrection and the Life
22 May 2023 Margaret Isobel Irvine, Saintfield Road, Carryduff

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord: they are blessed indeed for they rest from their labours.

Remembering

Mrs Margaret Irvine (neé Lowe) was a much loved and greatly valued member of both her church and her community. Her passing, aged 87, was marked by a good attendance at St Ignatius' Church, the building where she and her husband had worshipped from its consecration in 1965.

Margaret was an accomplished businesswoman who worked throughout her life, first with her father, and then with her husband Billy Irvine, in the family business.

She and Billy were blessed with three sons and later five grandchildren, of whom she was very proud. They were a devoted family, enjoying a long and happy life together, both in their labours and in the fun they shared.

She preferred staying out of the limelight but was determined to see the development of community activities in Carryduff and beyond. As such, she was a founder of Newtownbreda Combat Cancer committee, a local club of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and, more importantly for us here, the Mothers' Union Branch in the parish.

Her attendance at the morning service, and in subsequent years the early communion, helped her to draw strength from God for her daily living.

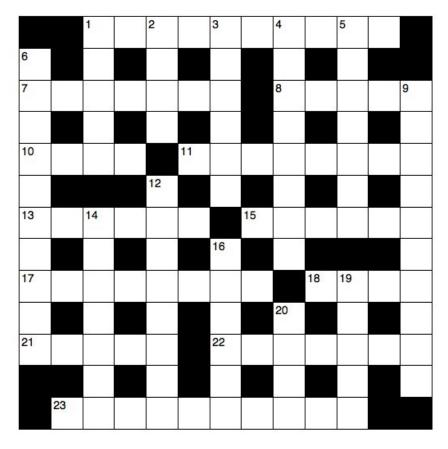
Recent years saw chronic pain diminish her ability to enjoy going out, even to church services, but she was able to maintain her enjoyment of Bridge through learning to play online.

We thank God for the sacrificial and dedicated support afforded to her by her family and carers as she approached the end, and we wish them God's blessing in the years ahead.

We extend our sympathies to her husband Billy, their three sons Edgar, Bobbie, and Richard, her daughters-in-law and five grandchildren.

Late news

Mr Jack Boles passed away while this edition was in preparation. We extend our sympathy to his wife Gladys, their daughters and family circle at this time of loss.



Across

- 1 Relating to the Jewish day of rest (10)
- 7 Point of view (Matthew 22:17) (7)
- 8 20th-century Brethren philanthropist whose construction company became one of the UK's biggest, Sir John (5)
- 10 Girl's name (4)
- 11 Peter was accused of being one in the courtyard of the high priest's house (Luke 22:59) (8)
- 13 The fifth of the 'seven churches' (Revelation 3:1–6) (6)
- 15 'Now the famine was in Samaria' (1 Kings 18:2) (6)
- 17 Banned by the seventh Commandment (Exodus 20:14) (8)
- 18 Insect most closely associated with itching (1 Samuel 24:14) (4)
- 21 Bantu tribe which gives its name to tiny landlocked country in southern Africa (5)
- 22 Familiar material in churches that use an overhead projector (7)
- 23 Last book of the Bible (10)

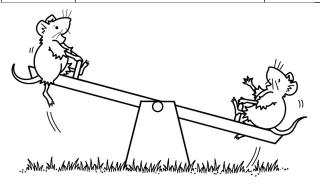
Down

- 1 The young David's favourite weapon (1 Samuel 17:40) (5)
- 2 'Your vats will over with new wine' (Proverbs 3:10) (4)
- 3 Once yearly (Exodus 30:10) (6)
- 4 Milled it (anag.) (3-5)
- 5 Region north of Damascus of which Lysanias was tetrarch (Luke 3:1) (7)
- 6 Comes between
 Philippians and 1
 Thessalonians (10)
- 9 Lake where the first disciples were called (Luke 5:1–11) (10)
- 12 Abusive outburst (8)
- 14 Are loud (anag.) (7)
- 16 Printing errors (6)
- 19 'Take my yoke upon you and from me' (Matthew 11:29) (5)
- 20 Jacob's third son (Genesis 29:34) (4)

Rosters July and August

Readers	8:30 am Epistle	10:00 am Lessons	12:00 pm Lessons
2	Raymond Scott	Karen Mc Connell	Florence Coulter
9	Ken Fletcher	Trevor Dunlop	Bill Connor
16	David Patterson	Tanya Adams	Annie Kirkpatrick
23	Edward Darling	Susan Creber	Brian McNeill
30	No Service	Joan Clayton	Betty Green
6	Caroline Taylor	Jim Gibb	Anne Mannis
13	Raymond Scott	Fiona Ellis	Marie Mack
20	Ken Fletcher	Sandra Thomas	Fiona Chew
27	Edward Darling	Maureen Kealey	Laura Cousins

	Flowers	Refreshments at Carryduff	Screens
2	Susan & Patrick Good	Beatrice & Tanya Adams	Andrew
9		Joan Clayton & Jan Erwin	Maureen
16		Deirdre & Robert Shaw	Jenny
23		Norah Brown & Helen Burke	Fiona
30		Jill Crowe & Jill McPeak	Raymond
6		Jan Erwin & Vera Lowry	Jenny
13		Sandra & Andrew Thomas	Maureen
20	Pamela Trotter	Ryan Shaw & Karen McConnell	Andrew
27		Victoria Frazer & Susan Creber	Fiona



Revelation. **DOWN:** 1, Sling. 2, Brim. 3, Annual. 4, Ill-timed. 5, Abilene. 6, Colossians. 9, Gennesaret. 12, Diatribe. 14, Roulade. 16, Errata. 19, Learn. 20, Levi.

ACROSS: 1, Sabbatical. 7, Opinion. 8, Laing. 10, Olga. 11, Galilean. 13, Sardis. 15, Severe. 17, Adultery. 18, Flea. 21, Swazi. 22, Acetate. 23,

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Teas on the lawn



The Temple and District Vintage and Classic Club annual rally.

On 27th July 2023 gathering at Temple Golf from 6pm for Road Run 7.30. Collection for a local charity. Everyone welcome.



TULLYLISH PARISH CHURCH

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Wednesday 5TH JULY 2023 7PM − 10PM







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The address for the event is 35 Tullylish Rd, Gilford, Craigavon BT63 6DP – c.1 mile from Gilford, just off the main Banbridge Road (4 miles from Banbridge).

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