



Portstewart
Presbyterian Church

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Website: www.portstewartpresbyterian.org

Welcome

Good morning and welcome to Portstewart Presbyterian Church.

This announcement sheet is designed to keep you up to date with church life. Our Minister is **Stuart Morrow**, and he is available if you need to speak with him after the service or at another time.

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PRAYERTIME before worship in the
Centenary Room 9.45 – 10.10 am

CRECHE is in the Creche Room from
10.15 am

What's happening 1st to the 7th June 2025

Sunday **Prayer and Praise Service** at 6.30 pm in
the Centenary Room

Wednesday **Church Art Group** 10.30 – 12.30 pm in
the Main Hall

Thursday **CAMEO** will meet 2.30 – 4.00 pm in the
Centenary Room.



Please remember the
food bank in the
vestibule.

What's happening in July 2025

KESWICK AT PORTSTEWART

Saturday 5th July to Friday 11th July

CSSM

Sunday 6th July to Friday 18th July

Welcome Rota

June **Derrick Turbitt**, Helen Davies, Dorothy Friar, Sarah Powers,
Hazel Walker, Jimmy Wright

Creche Rota

1st June Charlene Henderson and Julia Ross
8th June Janet Allison and Beth Vance
15th June Stanley and Valerie Stewart

Flowers

The church flowers today were kindly donated by Catherine Brown and family in loving memory of Arnie

Treasure Hunters

Wendy Porter and team

Tea and coffee will be served in the Link after the morning service

Other Notices

Please note the Church Office will be **closed Thursday 5th June
and Friday 6th June**

PASTORAL CARE If you know of anyone who is ill or in hospital please contact Stuart with their name and details.

CHRISTIAN UNITY SERVICE AT PENTECOST The Causeway Churches Forum invites you to this service in Coleraine Town Hall on **Wednesday 4th June** at 7.00 pm. The speaker is the Rev Sam McGuffin, a recently retired minister and former President of the Methodist Church in Ireland. All welcome.

CHURCH ART GROUP WORKSHOP on **Friday 13th June** 10.00 am – 3.30 pm. George Gourley, a watercolour artist, will be taking the class. There are still a few places available. Please contact Heather at 07909900910 if you would like to attend.

WHO CARES? A Fostering Information Night will be held in Portstewart Baptist Church on **Wednesday 11th June** 7.30 pm – 10.00 pm. If interested please see notice on the back page.



Acts

The church on fire for Jesus

Points for Prayer

Sunday 1st June

Read Revelation 5:12. **Worthy is the Lamb who was slaughtered to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength and honour and glory and blessing!** Jesus is worthy, reflect on what it means for us to give him power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing. How do we give to God, not just on a Sunday but through every day of our lives.

Monday 2nd June

Read 2 Kings 23:12-14. **The king tore down the altars...** King Josiah introduced religious reform to Judah at a time when the books of the law had been so forgotten by the people and society they were lost in the back of the temple and hadn't been read for generations. Josiah had the law read; he tore down altars to false gods. Do we need to rediscover the word of God in our lives, are there idols we need to tear down? Take time today to reflect on how we worship God.

Tuesday 3rd June

Read 1 Samuel 4:3. **Why did the Lord defeat us today before the Philistines? Let's bring the ark of the Lord's covenant from Shiloh. Then it will go with us and save us from our enemies.** The Ark did not save Israel. They had treated the things of God as a lucky charm. They trusted in the thing and not in God. Have we allowed religious things, religious practices to take the place of trusting in Christ, to replace our worship of God? Take time today to simply be with God. Set aside everything else and simply pray and sit in the presence of the Lord. Listen for his voice in the stillness.

Wednesday 4th June

Read Acts 19:2. **Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?** It is true and can never be denied that the Spirit of God dwells in the lives and hearts of all believers. Yet it is also true to say that believers should be seeking even more of the Spirit in our lives, we should be asking not just to be filled but that the Spirit would flow out from us. Have we received this overflowing of the Spirit? In the quietness of our time with God today ask that we overflow with the power of his Spirit.

Thursday 5th June

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:17. **Pray constantly.** This verse is wonderfully clear. Pray constantly. It is good and important that we have our own times of prayer, but it is equally important that we come together to pray. Plan to come to church earlier on Sunday to be part of the prayer time at 10:00 am.

Friday 6th June

Read Isaiah 52:7. **How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of the herald...** For many of us today is the last working day of the week. Take the opportunity today to invite someone you work with to come to church with you on Sunday.

Saturday 7th June

Read Proverbs 4:23. **Guard your hearts above all else, for it is the source of life.** This morning our elders meet for prayer. Please pray for our church leaders, pray that their hearts would be guarded, that they would remain close to the Lord and that they would be led by the Lord.

Who Cares?

An evening with Home for Good

Wednesday 11 June

7.30pm, Portstewart Baptist



Sign up using QR code or
via church website



Every day in NI, 2 children enter the care system. Everyone can play a part in changing a child's life, come along to find out more.

Please note: As our Church Services are recorded and available to watch on the church website anyone not wishing to be on camera should sit in the balcony