



Portstewart

Presbyterian Church

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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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Please remember the food bank in the vestibule.

PRAYERTIME before worship in the
Centenary Room 9.45 – 10.10 am
CRECHE is in the Creche Room from
10.15 am

Sunday 22nd June 2025

What's happening in July 2025

KESWICK AT PORTSTEWART

Saturday 5th July to Friday 11th July
(Please see back page for further details)



Welcome Rota

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

Creche Rota

22nd June Rachel Pollock and Karen Elliott
29th June Barbara Hall and Karen Scott
6th July Kerry McCammond and Julie Watters

Flowers

The church flowers today were kindly donated by
the Gawne family in loving memory of Pauline

Treasure Hunters

Wendy Porter and team

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

Other Notices

PASTORAL EMERGENCIES Stuart will be in London with the PCI for a conference run by London City Mission **from Tuesday 24th – Thursday 26th June inclusive**. Anyone urgently needing a minister please contact Brian Hall, our Clerk of Session, at 07747337509.

CHURCH COMMITTEE Members of committee are asked to please wait behind after the service for a short meeting.

CAMEO is on the move for July and August They will meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays in the Coffee Hut (opposite The Crescent) at 2.30 pm. The next meeting is **Thursday 3rd July**. Please come along for a cuppa and a chat.

CSSM will begin on **Sunday 6th July** with

CSSM LIVE! 3.00 pm
at the bandstand



Points for Prayer

Sunday 22nd June

Read Isaiah 1 Timothy 2: 1-2. **...I urge petitions and prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone, for kings and all those who are in authority, so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity.** Pray for world leaders today. Presidents Trump, Zelensky, Putin and Macron. Prime Ministers Stamer and Netanyahu, Chancellor Merz and Ali Khamenei.

Monday 23rd June

Read Judges 3:9. **The Israelites cried out to the Lord. So the Lord raised up Othniel son of Kenaz, Caleb's younger brother, as a deliverer to save the Israelites.** Pray that in this time of incredible global instability that the Lord would raise up a leader to deliver, who will lead the world back from the chaos and war.

Tuesday 24th June

Read Exodus 17: 8-16. As long as Moses hands were held aloft the Israelites won the battle. Moses needed help in keeping his arms aloft, he didn't have the strength to hold them himself. Our world leaders do not have the strength to lead on their own, they need the support of public opinion and the prayers of the church. Pray for world leaders but also speak out so that public opinion can be changed and leaders encouraged on better paths.

Wednesday 25th June

Read Psalm 46:10. **Stop fighting and know that I am God, exalted among the nations, exalted on the earth.** Psalm 46 is much less a gentle reminder and more an urgent

command to **be still** as we traditionally read it. Pray this morning for world leaders who will be still, who will stop fighting and know that I am God. Pray for an event, a moment in time to bring the world to a stop in order that we would see Jesus.

Thursday 26th June

Read Psalm 91:4 **He will cover you with his feathers; you will take refuge under his wings. His faithfulness will be a protective shield.** It is always the poorest in society who suffer most in times of unrest and uncertainty. Pray that those who are homeless, lost, crushed and bereaved would know the shelter and protection of resting under God's wings.

Friday 27th June

Read 1 Kings 18:18. **He replied, 'I have not ruined Israel, but you and your father's family have, because you have abandoned the Lord's commands and followed the Baals.'** The prophet Elijah directly challenged the actions and behaviour of King Ahab. The role of the church is to directly challenge governments and leaders when they abandon the Lord's commands. Pray for wisdom and courage in how to challenge the choices world leaders are making today.

Saturday 28th June

Psalm 24. **The earth is the Lord's and everything in it.** After a week of praying in response to all that is going on in our world, take time today to remember that God still sits enthroned over all things and so we have hope and confidence, we have a reason to rejoice.



At this year's Keswick at Portstewart we are going to dive into the theme of being SENT. Join us as we marvel at Jesus, the One SENT for us, and the One who SENDS us to make Him known.

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Rick Hill
Evening Celebrations



Chris Wright
Evening Celebrations



Dai Hankey
Evening Celebrations



Sam Allberry
Morning Bible Teaching

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