



First Presbyterian Church
Coleraine

**Honouring God By Seeking His Presence
and Sharing His Grace**



Sunday 13th September 2026

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Isaiah 43 v 1-4

"Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are Mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; when you walk through fire, you shall not be burned.

For I am the Lord your God...
You are precious in My eyes, and honoured, and I love you."

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Samuel

The God who turns the world upside down.

1 Samuel 2 v 1-11

Rev. James Hyndman



Bible Story Bags are available in the Vestibule.

They are for children 6 years and under and the bags should be returned to the stand at the end of the service.

Everyone is invited to stay behind after the service for tea/coffee in the Fellowship Lounge.



Prayer Ministry is available after the service this morning. You can meet with some of the team at the back of the church. They would be happy to pray with you. There is also a dedicated confidential phone number **TEXT MESSAGE to 07587665361**



All young people in Year 8 and upwards are invited to join Youth Fellowship tonight (Sunday 13th September) from 6.30pm - 8.30pm. If you want to find out more about YF then speak with Adam Steen!

This Week

Monday (14th)

BOWLING CLUB meet tonight and Wednesday night from 7-9pm in the McCaldin Hall. New members will be made very welcome.

FIRST FOOTBALL @ SCORE from 8– 9pm for all young people.

KIRIK SESSION meet tonight at 7.30pm. All members are asked to attend.



Tuesday (15th)

FIRST FELLOWSHIP meet this morning at the usual time of 10.15am in the Fellowship Lounge. This is an informal gathering for everyone with a talk/epilogue. Tea/Coffee is served on arrival.

Wednesday (16th)

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP meeting in the Fellowship Lounge at 10.30am. This is for everyone and will be led by Eddie Dorrans.

YOUTH MIDWEEK for All young people from Year 8 and upwards are invited..... meeting from 7pm - 8.30pm. Speak to Adam Steen to find out more!

HOME GROUPS begin tonight at 8pm in various homes around the congregation. If you would like to join one then please speak to Rev. James Hyndman who will direct you to one of our groups.

All Home Groups will be studying Abigail.

Home Group material is available in the Vestibule and Fellowship Lounge.

Friday (18th)

SPARROWS meet this morning from 10.30am - 12 noon in the Fellowship Lounge. If you like knitting/crochet or crafting please join us in the Fellowship Lounge. Tea/Coffee and plenty of chat!



FIRST FOR MEN

Visit to Derry's walls and St. Columb.

Travelling by train at your nearest train station (Ballymoney 9.32, Coleraine 9.43 and Castlerock 9.50am). Walk the walls with our very own Bill Wilsdon providing

the commentary followed by a private tour of the cathedral booked for 11.30am. There is also a half hour musical performance by organist Stewart Smith in First Derry Church at 12.30pm.

Please use the sign up sheets available in the Vestibule and Fellowship Lounge this morning!

FIRST LADIES OUTING

Roe Valley Country Park

Minibus will leave church carpark at 10am sharp!

Museum tour @ 10.30am

Coffee and Scones at Al's Café at 11am.

Please book your place by using the Sign-up sheets.



BB Registration Night

Friday 18th September from 7 - 8pm
in First Coleraine.

All boys in Primary School and upwards are invited.

THE LEPROSY MISSION NORTHERN IRELAND



Church Sponsored Walk

Join us at any Stage!

Meet 7.20am at Portballintrae Village Car Park.

Walkers depart 7.30am

Refreshments at West Strand Car Park, Portrush at 10am

10.30am Walkers depart Portrush and

Arrive Portballintrae around 12.45pm.

If you would like to donate to this worthwhile cause, The Leprosy Mission, then please put your donation in the envelope attached to the Bulletin and return at your convenience.

Looking Ahead

Mission Rally in 1st Limavady

Sunday 20th September at 7pm.

Naomi Leremore (Kenya) will update us on her missionary work.

Everyone is welcome to join us

INEQE surveys

As you will recall, a few weeks ago INEQE launched a series of online surveys about safeguarding. These surveys are an important part of the data gathering for the independent external review of safeguarding and governance that PCI are paying them to do. It is important for them to receive as many responses as possible, from people with a wide range of experiences — both people who have had concerns and people who have not. To date fewer than 1,000 responses have been received, which falls well short of what is desired and runs the risk of the responses not being representative of the experience of the church as a whole.

We want to encourage as many people in our congregation — young and old, men and women, leaders and participants, those with positive experiences and those with negative experiences — to fill in a survey.

The surveys close on **Monday 21st September 2026 at 11.30pm.**

The direct link is: <https://ineqe.com/presbyterian-church-in-ireland/>

JOB VACANCIES IN ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS -

Data Governance Manager and Head of Finance.

Check out the poster in the Fellowship Lounge and scan the QR code for details.



PRAYER SPACE AVAILABLE

Sundays 10 -10.45am

in 'The House'

Would you like to pray before morning worship?

Come for as little or as much time as you can.

Pray audibly or quietly, or simply listen.



SEPTEMBER WELCOME TEAM

**Carol Wilson,
Peter Wilson &
Adam Steen**

FLOWER ROTA for September

**13th
20th
27th**

**Jean McGowan
Valerie & Ian Stringer
Dorothy McCracken**

