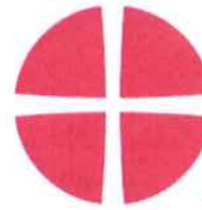


What's happening in your church. Some notes from the Church Council meeting on 1st June 2026.

- The Church council noted with thanks that 44 'Growing our Church' surveys had been completed and an additional 33 'Listening to God' sheets were completed during our Pentecost Service Sun 24th May. These surveys will now be compiled and reflected on by a sub group from the Church council and the Rev Stephen Skuce our Methodist Growing Churches Superintendent.
- As we seek to encourage our corporate prayer life we have started a new prayer meeting at 10am each Sunday morning in the Living room. We will meet for 15 minutes praying for our church and everyone is invited.
- The council noted that it has been a busy year for our family and community pastor, Laura Ewing. In addition to church activities there have been 4 well attended family events with Regent St Presbyterian throughout the year and there will be a Holiday Bible Club held again at the end of July 26. Schools chaplaincy work continues both in assemblies and with Scripture Union programmes and junior Alpha. There are 6 volunteers from our church who attend Londonderry primary school once a week to help with reading. Our congregation have also been painting fences at Londonderry primary and the church is currently being used on a Monday for Supervised Family Contacts for children in foster care. Please pray for this vital work of our church as we reach out to others in the community around us.
- The congregation congratulated Mrs Violet Ellison on reaching her 100th birthday as a handmade card was brought to her by our Minister and the outgoing Irish Methodist President Rev Alan Wardlow.
- The council noted that the church calendar for 2025/26 is almost ready and will be posted on the notice board soon.
- The Church council also noted that as we have moved to a new larger Circuit each congregation is being asked at the moment to manage their own manse. We therefore need to appoint a Manse Steward.



Regent Street Methodist Church



Conference Sunday 7th June 2026

"Living Letter"

Welcome & Notices

Call To Worship

Psalm 103

Hymn

HP 223 "I will sing the wondrous story"

Prayers

Praise Group

There is a higher throne

How deep the father's love

Bible Reading

2 Corinthians 3:1-6

Children's Thought

Offering

(Children can leave for Crèche, Sunday School)

Bible Reading

2 Corinthians 3:7-18

Sermon

Prayers for Others

The Lord's Supper


Pg 191

Hymn

HP 280 "Breathe on me, breath of God"

The Grace

We have Crèche, Sunday School and Young Peoples Group that meet in our Halls, there will be an opportunity to go out during the Service to these groups.

JUST VISITING and want further information or require the Minister pastorally? The Rev'd Colin Milligan can be reached at  028 91815959 or colin.milligan@irishmethodist.org

Church Notes



- Tuesday 9th June:**
- The 6:2 group will meet 10:30am
 - Lunchtime Prayer 12:30pm (Epworth Room)
- Wednesday 10th June:**
- Little Ark (Parent & Toddlers Group) 10am
- Thursday 11th June:**
- Craft Class 10am
- Sunday 14th June:**
- Joint Family Service with Regent St Presbyterian, with our Sunday school and young people taking part.

'Small but Mighty' Family Service (with refreshments after the service)

Sunday 14th June at 10.45am This is a family-friendly service with our children and young people taking part. It's a brilliant opportunity to invite families along. Flyers are available at the Mill Street door—please feel free to take one. If you anyone is able to provide traybakes for that Sunday, it would be much appreciated.

Youth BBQ & Games Night

Friday 19th June at Ian & Steph's house. We will meet in the church car park at 6.30pm and travel together by car to Ian and Steph's. If your young person would like to come along, please let Laura know.

Scuba Holiday Bible Club "Diving into a Friendship with God"

Monday 27th to Friday 31st July, with a Family Service on Sunday 2nd August. Registration is now open and filling up fast, so please scan the QR code on the poster on the office door.



Advance Notices

It's Your Move

Over the next couple of weeks I will have the opportunity of delivering It's Your Move Lessons in partnership with Glenn Johnston (Scrabo Hall). We will be in two Schools - Model and Londonderry Primary with their two P7 classes. Each lesson is 45 minutes long and will help the children think through and process the transition between Primary and Secondary School. We tackle 3 topics - Changes, Choices and Challenges and will be gifting each child an IYM booklet to take home. We have purchased 60 booklets for the P7 children in the Londonderry Primary and there will be a label on the inside wishing the children well from us in Regent Street as they move to their new school.

Please pray for - Glenn and myself as we prepare and deliver these lessons.

- The pupils and teachers that will take part.

- The children's homes and families as these booklets spark conversations.

Dates & times for the lessons:

Session 3 - Model Primary 11th June 9.15am

- Londonderry Primary 15th June 10.45am

The Annual Church Picnic

Sunday 26th July from 1pm - 3pm in Delamont. Please come along to church, bring your picnic and afterwards we will meet up at Delamont. Everyone welcome and bring a friend.

Church grounds tidy up is planned for Thursday 11th June at 7pm if you can please come along and lend a hand. Thank you.

Prayer Diary are available in the Foyer.

