



**Sunday 30 March 2025**

**White Water Justice, Part 12:  
Responding to Injustice**

**Mark 15: 42-47  
Acts 15: 1-6; 12-21**

**Rev. Paul Lutton**

 **Newtownbreda  
Presbyterian  
Church  
(St. John's)**

## ORDER of SERVICE

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Introit: *Kyrie Eleison*

**Song Psalm 121** **I to the hills will lift mine eyes**

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

**Song: IPH 542** **I will offer up my life**

Children's Talk

**Song: IPH 556** **Father, I place into Your hands**

Children leave for Sunday School (P1-5) and Sunday Club (P6-Y9)

Interview slot Janet Robb

**Song: IPH 192** **There is a Redeemer**

Dedication of Offering

Readings:

Mark 15: 42-27, p 50

Deborah Doherty

Acts 15:1-6;12-21, p127

Sermon: Responding to Injustice Rev Corrina Heron

Anthem: *Holy is the Lord*

Prayers of Intercession Margaret Robinson

**Song: SfW 68** **Love is the touch of intangible joy**

Benediction

Please join us for refreshments after the service in the church halls.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### LUNCHTIME LITURGIES for LENT

Join us on **Wednesdays** at 1.00 pm for twenty minutes of readings, music and guided prayer, followed by refreshments.

### LENT REFLECTIONS

Holy Rosary Parish invites you to *Pilgrim Hearts: Reflections through Lent*. From 6.45-8.00pm every **Tuesday** in the hall in Good Shepherd Church car park.

### NEWSLETTER - April At St John's

The next newsletter will be published on Friday 4 April. I will welcome information, news, photographs, articles from you by **Tuesday morning 1 April** please. Do remember that you can access the newsletter by clicking on the link in Rev. Paul's Friday email. If you are having problems accessing it, please speak to me. Marj (Marjorieguiler@gmail.com)

### BIG SING at Knockbreda Community Wildlife Garden

**Saturday 5 April 6.00 -7.00pm.** A very informal sing-along in the Garden, supported by some members from Ormeau Community Ukelele group, followed by tea/coffee. Free entry, but donations will go to the Trocaire Lenten appeal through St. Bernadette's. The Garden is just beside Cornerstone Methodist Church (formerly Knockbreda Methodist) at 66 Rosetta Road - come for an evening of fun in a lovely setting, especially if you haven't been to the Garden before.

### KOINONIA OUTING



Our outing on **Thursday 10 April** to **Killyleagh Castle**, one of the oldest inhabited castles in Ireland, provides a great opportunity to see around a building of significant historical interest. We will meet in Killyleagh at **10.30 am** and be shown round by the owner.

Please note that the Castle has many steps and includes some steep stairs with no handrails so will not suit those with mobility issues. You are of course still welcome to meet us for a lunch in Killyleagh village after the Castle tour.

The cost of £30 includes the tour and a 2-course lunch afterwards in the *Smugglers' Table*, a local restaurant.

Please see Marjorie or Hazel if you would like to go.



Pre-Loved Pictures and Wall Art Fundraiser Sale and coffee morning **Saturday 12 April** 10 am to 1 pm. Come along and enjoy a cuppa and catch up with friends and family. Donate your old pictures and take the opportunity to purchase some new ones.

If you have anything to donate, please contact Jennifer Cairnduff on 07889395132.

### **GARDENING and care of Church grounds**

If you are prepared to help with keeping the Church grounds neat and tidy over the summer months by coming along for a couple of hours on 2 or 3 evenings (usually Mondays but depends on the weather) between April and September, please speak to William Francey or contact him on 07577 605747.

We have a small team of loyal gardeners but since the average age of our current team is 70+ we could use additional volunteers. You don't have to be Monty Don or have any special expertise – the ability to walk behind a lawnmower or pull some weeds is all that is required.

### **VOLUNTEERS for Holiday Bible Club 2025 Holiday**

We're looking for volunteers to help us at our Holiday Bible Club 2025. It will run 1st - 4th July from 9.30-12 noon. There are lots of different tasks, so there will be something for everyone who wants to join the team.

Please contact Sandy: [sandykane48@proton.me](mailto:sandykane48@proton.me) or 07841908198

### **RAINBOWS COFFEE - Thanks**

19<sup>th</sup> Belfast Rainbows would like to thank everyone who supported them last Sunday when they served refreshments after church. A fantastic sum of £230 was raised. For their sponsored event, the girls learned a dance to the song 'Chihuahua'. They did a fantastic job! All monies raised will be presented to a representative from the Dog's Trust at Rainbows on 12 April.

If you would like to have a notice included in the announcement sheet, please email [NewtownbredaAnnouncements@outlook.com](mailto:NewtownbredaAnnouncements@outlook.com)

Please try to send your announcements to us by the Thursday prior to the Sunday service.