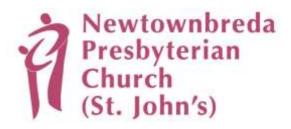
In Season lectionary lessons for the season we're in

Sunday 11 May 2025 What God are you drawing? Psalm 23 and John 10: 22-30 Rev. Paul Lutton



ORDER of SERVICE

Welcome and Announcements	
Call to Worship	
Introit	Don't be afraid
Song IPH 527	The Lord's my Shepherd
Prayers of Adoration and Confession	
Song IPH 195	To be in Your presence
Children's Talk	
Song SfW 65	Lord, I lift Your name on high
Children leave for Sunday School (P1-5) and Sunday Club (P6-Yr 9)	
Interview Slot	
Song IPH 214 (Offering song)	Jesus is the name we honour
Dedication of Offering	
Reading: Psalm 23 and John 10: 22-30	Tom Hutchinson
Sermon:	What God are you drawing?
Anthem:	Jesus strong and kind
Prayers of Intercession	
Song IPH 347	Jesus Christ is waiting
Benediction	

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

Christian Aid Week is from **11 - 17 May**. Envelopes are available in the vestibule and foyer if you don't have one. If you wish to donate online by our e-envelope please follow the link below or on the back of your envelope: fundraise.christianaid.ie/envelope-2025/st-johns

CHRISTIAN AID SERVICE

Please plan to attend our annual Christian Aid Service **next Sunday 18 May**, when we will welcome Rev Dr Liz Hughes, chair of Christian Aid Ireland, as our guest speaker.

BREAD & CHEESE LUNCH This will be held immediately after next Sunday's service. Please join us where soup, bread and cheese will be on the menu.

ORMEAU CHURCHES TOGETHER

This year's OCT Spring Walk will be on **Saturday 17 May**. We will meet outside the main Hall at Cooke Centenary at 2.00 pm and follow the river down to Titanic Quarter and the Dock café for coffee etc. Should be back by 4.30ish. Come and enjoy some conversation with friends from our neighbouring congregations. Contact Ken on 07901 944001 for any queries.

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE – the planned meeting has been postponed by one week. Committee now meets again in the Megaw Room at 7.45 pm on **Tuesday 27 May.**

SEN AWARENESS MORNING



SEN (Special Educational Needs) refers to children and young people who need additional support in learning and in connecting with others. As we develop our church community as a place where everyone feels welcome, we'd like to take a morning to think about how we can include families who need some additional support for their children and young people.

Sandy's organising a **SEN Awareness morning** with the Family Worker at Lowe Memorial on **Saturday 31 May** from 9.30-12.00 noon, at Lowe Memorial. Would you like to join us? You can use the QR code to register, or you can chat to Sandy (07841908198).

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED to serve tea / coffee after church during the summer months. If you can help, please sign the rota sheet on the notice board in the foyer or contact Margaret Robinson 07714 721748.

FOODBANK Thank you to everyone who donates to our Foodbank. The need is greater than ever as the price of food continues to spiral. Items needed at present include cooking oil (it is totally out of stock at Cooke Foodstore), tinned fruit, custard, rice and biscuits.

If you would like to have a notice included in the announcement sheet, please email <u>NewtownbredaAnnouncements@outlook.com</u>

Please try to send your announcements to us by the Thursday prior to the Sunday service. NI Charity NIC104325 <u>www.newtownbreda.org</u>