

HEAR REBECCA MANLEY PIPPERT -

at the Saltshaker Conference, at Scrabo Hall, Newtownards
Friday 26 & Saturday 27 February. *Information leaflets available in Worship Centre.*

BB SPONSORED FUN FAIR

Please support the boys of the BB as they plan to raise money for the Haiti earthquake victims by way of a sponsored Fun Fair on **Friday 26th February.** This is instead of their annual BB week collection.

SANCTUS BOSCUS RECONCILIATION GROUP

There will be a special service of Prayer with songs from TAIZE on Sunday 28th February at 8.00pm in St Colmcille's Parish Church. All are welcome.

CHURCH NEWS

Please have items to be included in the Easter edition of the Church News with the Editor Mark Watsonby next Sunday. mark5marino@yahoo.co.uk

ANNUAL REPORT

All who are responsible for the Report from their organisation etc and have not as yet submitted it are asked to give it to Mary Robinson (m.robinson100@ntlworld.com) as soon as possible.

KOSOVA SUPPORT GROUP

The sponsored abseil from the Europa was successfully completed last Sunday by members of the congregation. Please give your donations to the group as soon as possible.

LOOKING AHEAD AT BANGOR RD

WOMENS WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

The Annual Service this year will be held on Friday 5th March at 8.00pm in the Non-subscribing Presbyterian Church. The special speaker is Heather Walker.

PRAYER @ BANGOR RD

Pray for Christians in the many different countries of our world who personally face and deal with persecution on a daily basis.

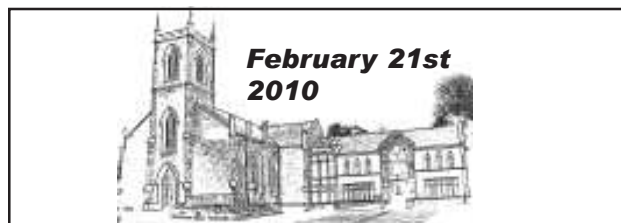
Continue to pray for the people of Haiti as the rebuilding of their lives, homes, and jobs will take a considerable amount of time and money.

Pray for the continuing worldwide recession as it effects everyone whether rich or poor.

Pray that God would give our Armed Forces serving in Afghanistan protection and wisdom. Give thanks for Sandes as they continue to regularly send out boxes of morale to soldiers.

Pray for Christians in Holywood to have courage and reach out into their community to share Jesus and their faith.

CHURCH WEBSITE
www.firsthollywood.co.uk



1st HOLYWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH *enabling people to discover, follow and serve Christ*

We are very pleased to welcome all to our services of worship today. Today's guest speaker is Rebecca Manley Pippert, author of the book 'Out of the Salt Shaker' and internationally known through Salt Shaker Ministries.

Tea and Coffee are available in the Worship Centre at the close of the morning service.

This evening at 6.30pm in the Worship Centre we look forward to hearing Dr Paul Bailie of Mission Africa

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

11.00am Vision Review - Prayer
6.30pm Pitstop Service

THIS WEEK @ BANGOR RD

PRAYERS FOR HOLYWOOD

The February meeting for 'Prayers for Holywood' will be held on Monday 22nd February, 8.00pm at Holywood CFC

TAKE TIME OUT

This Group plan to meet on Tuesday at 8.00pm in the Worship Centre.

WOMEN'S MORNING GROUP

On Wednesday the Women's Morning meeting continues at 10.30am to continue their study of the Lord's Prayer

CHURCH COMMITTEE

The February meeting of Committee will be held on Wednesday at 8.00pm

LUNCH CLUB

The monthly Lunch Club to which all are invited will be held on Thursday at 12.30pm

M5 GROUP

The M5 group are looking forward to hearing the Rev John Duncan, Scottish Presbyterian minister and Army Chaplain talking about his recent experiences in Afghanistan, on Friday 26th February.

WALKING GROUP Saturday 27th February

Lough Shannagh, Mourne's Grading - moderate - 5.5 miles

This walk is on tracks and open moorland which may be muddy in places with some steep ascents and descents. Wet weather gear, stout walking boots and a packed lunch are all essential. There will be a small donation to the drivers. We meet in the Church car park at 8.45 am for a prompt start at 9.00 am. *Any queries please ring Sharon Graham 90423710*

THIS MORNING @ BANGOR Rd

**OPENING PRAISE : 'Be still for the presence of the Lord',
'Only by grace can we enter'**

WELCOME

PRAISE : 'Lord of all being'

1. Lord of all being, throned afar,
Thy glory flames from sun and star;
centre and soul of every sphere,
Yet to each loving heart how near.

4. Lord of all life, below, above,
Whose light is truth, whose warmth is love,
Before thy ever-blazing throne
We ask no lustre of our own.

2. Sun of our life, thy quickening ray
Sheds on our path the glow of day;
Star of our hope, thy softened light
Cheers the long watches of the night.

5. Lord of all life, below, above,
Whose light is truth, whose warmth is love,
Before thy ever-blazing throne
We ask no lustre of our own.

3. Our midnight is thy smile withdrawn,
Our noontide is thy gracious dawn,
Our rainbow arch thy mercy's sign;
All, save the clouds of sin, are Thine.

6. Grant us thy truth to make us free,
And kindling hearts that burn for thee,
Till all thy living altars claim
One holy light, one heavenly flame.

PRAYER

PRAISE : 'When I survey the wondrous cross'

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of Glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.

2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
Save in the death of Christ, my God;
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to his blood.

3. See! from his head, his hands, his feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down;
When did such love and sorrow meet
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

4. Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were an offering far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all.

Isaac Watt

INTRODUCTION - Rebecca Manley-Pippert

DUET - 'Above all powers' - Lisa Nugent & Nathan Jun

PRAISE : 'This little light of mine'

*This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.*

1. The light that shines is the light of love,
Lights the darkness from above.
It shines on me and it shines on you,
And it shows what the power of love can do.
I'm gonna shine my light both far and near,
I'm gonna shine my light both bright and clear.
Where there's a dark corner in this land
I'm gonna let my little light shine.

2. On Monday He gave me the gift of love,
Tuesday, peace came from above.
On Wednesday He told me just to have more faith,
Thursday he gave me a little more grace.
Friday, He told me just to watch and pray,
Saturday, He told me just what to say.
On Sunday He gave me the power divine
To let my little light shine.

Children leave for Children's Church

NOTICES

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION by Valerie Harley

BIBLE READING : Col. 2:13-15 page 1183 Maureen McMaw

PRAISE : 'Here I am'

*Here I am, wholly available -
as for me, I will serve the Lord.*

1. The fields are white unto harvest
but oh, the labourers are so few;
so Lord I give myself to help the reaping,
to gather precious souls unto You.

2. The time is right in the nation
for works of power and authority,
God's looking for a people who are willing
to be counted in His glorious victory.

3. As salt are we ready to savour,
in darkness are we ready to be light,
God's seeking out a very special people
to manifest His truth and His might.

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SERMON

THANKSGIVING OFFERING

PRAISE : 'And can it be?'

1. And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Saviour's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain-
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! how can it be
That thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

2. He left his Father's throne above,-
So free, so infinite his grace-
Emptied himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race;
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;
For, O my God, it found out me!

3. No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ my own.

BENEDICTION