



## The Weekly **Bulletin**

Sunday  
25th July 2010

Welcome to our 11.00am United Summer  
Services with Second Ballyeaston.

**Minister: Rev. E. S. McDowell**

As he went along he saw a man blind from birth.  
John 9:1

**Reading: John 9: 1-12 & 35-41** (Page 1075)

**Sermon: Where is the darkness in your life?**

1. **A very warm welcome is extended to you all.** If you are a visitor we invite you to mark your visit by signing the **Visitors Book** in the outer vestibule before you leave.
2. Our **UNITED SUMMER SERVICES will continue next Sunday at 11.00am in Second Ballyeaston for the month of August.**
3. A **Creche** for preschool age children is held during the Service each Sunday morning in the Patterson Room on the upper floor of the church vestibule. The older children up to P7 leave for **Children's Church** immediately after the Children's Address.
4. **We thank you for your participation** in our Services here in First during July and **a special word of thanks to the musicians and the combined choir for leading our praise so acceptably.**
5. Please join us for a cup of **tea or coffee** in the **Galbraith Hall** at the close of today's service
6. The **Rev. McDowell will be on holiday** during the first two weeks of August and will be back on duty from Monday 15th August. Rev. Chris Glover will be covering for emergencies during this period. Anyone requiring the services of a minister in his absence should, in the first instance, contact either their District Elder or the Clerk of Session, William Stewart, on (028) 9334 1533.
7. Copies of the **UCB Bible Readings 'The Word for Today'** for the Autumn quarter (August to October) are now available for collection in the vestibule. Also available are copies of **WORD4u2day** for teenagers.
8. Do remember to make use of our **Library** facility on the upper floor of the vestibule. You will find a good selection of books to choose from for your summer reading.
9. If you would be prepared to **assist over the summer months with external painting** at First church and halls, please give your name as soon as possible to Robert Woodside (9332 4185).
10. It is hoped to publish the next issue of the **Link Magazine** towards the end of August. **Material for that issue should be with the Editor, Sam Waugh, by next Sunday, 1st August.** If anyone has **photographs** that might

be included in the Magazine from any of the special events held since March, please contact the Editor with details or email [thelink@firstballyeaston.org](mailto:thelink@firstballyeaston.org)

11. **Lylehill Presbyterian** cordially invite you to their **Grand Fete** on Friday 6th and Saturday 7th August 2010. On the Friday night they are having a Clay Pigeon Shoot, a BBQ and a Slippery Football Tournament with events starting at 7pm. Teams of 6 people aged over 12 male or female are invited to enter for the Slippery Football. An entry form is available in the vestibule along with details of events being held on the Saturday.

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### **Galactic Blast Holiday Club**

**Monday 16th - Friday 20th August 2010**

**9.30am-12.30pm daily**

Summer is here! And Second Ballyeaston are planning an exciting adventure for your children! Are you looking for a safe, friendly, and fun environment for your kids? Then sign them up today for Galactic Blast! Application forms are available in vestibule or else sign-up on-line at:

<http://www.cokesburyvbs.com/galactic-blast/SecondBallyeaston>

13. **'Rocky's Plaice' - Ballynure Presbyterian Church's Holiday Bible Club** will be held from **Monday 23rd to Friday 27th August from 10.00am to 12 noon for all children going into P1 to P7**. Copies of their Registration Form are available in the vestibule or contact James Rogers on 9334 2374.

14. **Lylehill Presbyterian Church** proudly present the new **Belfast Community Gospel Choir**, directed by Marie Lacey, in a concert on Monday 4th October 2010 in the Church. Tickets cost £15 including supper. More details available on the poster in the Vestibule.

## **BEREAVEMENT NOTICE**

The death took place on Wednesday past, 21st July, at Ballyclare PNH of Mrs Ellen (Nellie) Murray formerly of 39 Ballyeaston Road, Ballyclare. Her funeral took place on Friday 23rd from her home with burial in Ballyclare Cemetery. As a united congregation we convey our sympathy to her husband Wilson, sons Wilson, Jim, Francis, Alex and Charles and family circle, we commend them, and all who mourn today, to the comfort and loving care of our gracious Heavenly Father.

Come on and celebrate!  
His gift of love, we will celebrate  
The Son of God, who loved us  
And gave us life.  
We'll shout Your praise, O King  
You give us joy nothing else can bring;  
We'll give to You our offering  
In celebration praise.

Come on and celebrate,  
Celebrate,  
Celebrate and sing,  
Celebrate and sing to the King:  
Come on and celebrate  
Celebrate  
Celebrate and sing  
Celebrate and sing to the King

Have you information for The Weekly Bulletin?

Contact Sam Waugh by

email: [bulletin@firstballyeaston.org](mailto:bulletin@firstballyeaston.org) or by telephone - **9332 3708**

**no later than 9.00pm on a Thursday evening.**

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