

Let's Pray

Sun 30 November - Sat 6 December 2025

Sunday 30 November

- **Moderator** | *Pray for the Very Rev Dr Richard Murray as he takes up responsibilities as Moderator from tomorrow, 1 December. Pray that he will know God's guidance and grace in his calling. Pray, too, for his congregation of Drumreagh.*
- **Worship as an act of faith and love this Christmas** | *'I am the Lord's servant,' Mary answered. 'May your word to me be fulfilled.' Then the angel left her. Luke 1:38. Pray that we might approach worship this Christmas season with all that we are, offering our lives afresh in faith and love to God.*

Monday 1 December

- **Naomi Leremore, global mission worker, Kenya** | *Give thanks for the ongoing development of PCEA's Theological Education by Extension Programme, especially the Programme Director, Rev John Gatu, and the staff team. Pray for Sharon, Rose, Simon and Ruth, as they take forward this work of reviewing the Advanced Diploma Course, endeavouring to meet the deadlines that have been set.*
- **Grupos Biblicos Unidos (GBU)** | *Pray for the work of GBU in Bilbao currently led by Aida and Ana, and for Christian students, both national and international, to be shining lights amongst their fellow students. Give thanks that there are now 10 books available in the series "Good News for Little Hearts", with two more coming in the new year. Pray that this series published by Andamio and founded on the Bible, will teach children to deal effectively with different emotions.*

Tuesday 2 December

- **The Village Project** | *Please pray for "Christmas in The Village" – a community carol service at 6pm on 14 December. It will feature the newly formed Greater Village Community Choir along with readers from the local community. Pray that many will come as the hope of Jesus is shared.*
- **Cathy Smith, deaconess** | *Give thanks for Cathy having the privilege to serve as deaconess in First Holywood Presbyterian Church for the past year. Pray for strength for Cathy as she cares for and continues to develop relationships within the church family.*

Wednesday 3 December

- **Csaba & Ilona Veres, global mission workers, Hungary** | *Give thanks that the purchase of the property in Vinceller street, Bodaszőlő has been finalised. Pray for the engagement of the parent-church at Calvin Square, for their focused prayer and generous hearts of love and service for the community in Bodaszőlő. Remember especially the Calvin Square Building Committee as they plan renovations. Continue to pray for the services, Bible studies, women's group, youth group and the monthly messy church event in December, that there would be rootedness in the Word and in prayer.*
- **Church of Central Africa Presbyterian (CCAP), Zambia Synod** | *Pray for the day-to-day work and future development of the Synod's Early Childhood Development Programme. Remember Mabuchi Dokowe, currently serving as the Community Schools Coordinator, but recently appointed as Acting Early Childhood Development Coordinator. Pray that Mabuchi would be granted much grace and wisdom to focus on this new sphere of responsibility in addition to her existing heavy workload.*

Thursday 4 December

- **Naas** | *Give thanks for the wonderful message at the heart of Christmas and pray for a good response to outreach efforts during this season, especially our "Carols together at Christmas" on 12 December, which we hope many in Naas will attend.*
- **Tori McClelland, community outreach worker, Movilla** | *Pray for Tori's work in Movilla with youth, and children's ministry, as well as outreach and involvement in local schools. Ask God to deepen community connections, grow existing relationships and guide her in sharing his love each day.*

Friday 5 December

- **International Relations** | *With many different crises happening across the world pray for global leaders, that they would make wise decisions and seek outcomes for the good of all people. Pray especially for those agencies and organisations which support displaced peoples in countries which often do not have many resources to meet this demand.*
- **Financial worries** | *With Christmas coming and increases in household costs, due to the cost of living, many families are finding that income from wages simply isn't enough – this often leads to borrowing money and the accumulation of debts. Pray for families in this situation and for organisations such as Christians Against Poverty, which provide advice, help and hope.*

Saturday 6 December

- **General Council** | *Pray for all who work in Assembly Buildings in the various councils and departments. Pray too for the wider Church as we enter the season of Advent, that congregations will know God's blessing as they hold special events and services to highlight the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ.*
- **Training in Ministry** | *Pray for the current third year ministry students as they balance the demands of college with their placements in congregations. Pray that this time will be beneficial to them as they continue to apply the academic framework gained in their studies to real world ministry situations.*