



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Our main gatherings as a church family centre around Sunday worship. Our services are about an hour long. They are filled with Bible reading and teaching, prayers and praise, including a selection of traditional hymns and more contemporary praise. Our evening services normally take place on the first and third Sundays of the month in various formats.

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We are a Registered Charity in Northern Ireland: NIC 104474

MISSION STATEMENT

Gilnahirk Presbyterian Church exists to show the love of God in Christ Jesus, proclaim the Gospel and enable people to find its healing power, encourage members to worship and learn together and grow in faith, apply the faith in practical concern and help to others.

NEW TO GPC?

Whether you're new to church, have been a Christian for many years, or are looking for a fresh start, you're welcome here. Everything we do as a church is filtered through our focus on encouraging and equipping every person to take the NEXT STEP on their unique journey to connect with God and his church. We believe that as we keep walking together on this journey of faith, we are being transformed into the likeness of Jesus Christ and into a diverse but united community, where everybody lives, loves and serves with their whole heart.



VISITOR INFORMATION

We know that visiting a new church can feel a little overwhelming. We're here to welcome you and make your time with us a great experience! Step-free access to the building, lift, accessible toilets & baby changing facilities are available. Loop system is in place to assist hearing aid users during the worship service.

What's on

Sunday 18th October

11am Morning Worship led by Rev Roy Mackay. Messy Church will run for young families in the JB Hall. Children and young people will leave Church after the first praise for Roots and Messy Church.

7pm Prayer and reflection in the Meeting Room.

Praise 11.00am

Lord I come before Your throne of grace (IPH 93)

Faithful one, so unchanging

God is my strong salvation (IPH 84)

Yet not I, but through Christ in me

Be thou my vision (IPH 491)

**The
Bible
Course**
NEW EDITION

Do you want to explore
how to apply the Bible to
your daily life?

**Our Discipleship Groups are running
The Bible Course and YOU are invited to join!
Final Session: Revelation- The Story Completed**

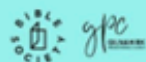
Friday 23rd October @ 11.30am

or

Tuesday 27th October @ 8pm

Meet in Stye Brae Centre // Refreshments served on arrival

biblesociety.org.uk/thebiblecourse



Coming up

1. Monday Morning Drop-In meets weekly in the Styé Brae at 11.00am.
2. A thank you to everyone who donated, decorated or delivered Harvest gifts to members of the congregation. Thank you also, to everyone who took part in our Harvest Services, playing music in the band, singing in the Choir or Praise group, reading or providing seasonal refreshments.
3. Discipleship Groups meet on Friday 23 October **ONLY** at 11.30am in the Lower Styé Brae. Tuesday group postponed until Tuesday 27 October. This week — Revelation: The Story Completed. Refreshments served on arrival.
4. Gilnahirk Men's Group will meet on Wednesday 21 October 10.30am—12 noon in the JB Hall. Speaker: John Bell, 'Life with The Little People at Euston Street PS'
5. Toddler Group meets on Thursday 22nd October 10-11.30am in JB Hall for babies and toddlers along with their carers. £1.50 per family including snack for children and refreshments for adults.
6. Vacancy Update -following the Congregational Meeting on Monday 5th October and a Call being issued and accepted, all members of the congregation are invited to sign the Call document. Papers for this are available at both entrances.
7. **Sunday 25th October**
11am Morning Worship led by Rev Stuart McCrea
7pm Prayer & Reflection in the Meeting Room
8. **Sunday 1st November**
11am Sacrament of the Lord's Supper led by Rev Roy Mackay
7pm Evening Worship in Lower Styé Brae
9. The Gilnahirk Ladies Group will meet on Monday 26 October, 2.15—3.34pm in Styé Brae Upper Hall. Speaker: My life and work in Thailand, Lorna McGowan

Announcements

1. Please note that our Convenor Rev Stuart McCrea will be overseas during 12th-19th October inclusive. During this period, any pastoral issues should be directed to Rev Roy Mackay via 07519018429. Or, alternatively, please contact our Clerk of Session Heather Taylor via 07897243033
2. Please pray for the members of the East Belfast Presbytery Gilnahirk Vacancy Commission, especially Stuart, as they oversee the vacancy: Rev Edward McKenzie (Moderator), Martin Hampton (Deputy Clerk), Rev Stuart McCrea (Convener), Rev Dr Drew Gibson, Rev Jimmy Warburton, Margaret Grayson, Tom McCullough and Hugo Wilson.
3. Prayer requests may be left in either of the boxes in the Styel Brae entrance and the vestibule. All requests kept confidential.
4. Manna Foodbank in Dundonald - thank you for your ongoing support and please continue to donate as you can as they prepare for the increased demands over the winter season.
5. There is a receptacle in the Styel Brae entrance for baby and children's items that anyone wishes to donate for delivery to PCI's International Meeting Point Op Shop at Carlisle Circus. Donations of clothes, toys, equipment, nappies and wipes gratefully received.
6. The Church Office will be closed until further notice. Please continue to email office@gilnahirkpresbyterian.org with any business. Urgent queries should be directed to Heather.
7. The **October** issue of the Presbyterian Herald is now available to collect from the Church Vestibule or the Styel Brae entrance.
8. **PCI Calendar – An uplifting gift!** If you would like to order the 2027 PCI Calendar, please fill in the form at the Styel Brae entrance by the middle of November (order is to be in by 1/12/26).
9. Regifting Stall – Please keep an eye out for any items you can donate to the Regifting Stall at our "Get ready for Christmas" event on Saturday 28 November.