



# Drumbo Church

PRESBYTERIAN

Welcome to worship in Drumbo Church. We come here to delight in God, so that He will delight in us. We hope you are challenged and moved, and that you may be able to participate fully with us as we praise God for all His goodness and kindness to us.

If you are new or want to know more, please contact those welcoming at the door about what life is like as part of Drumbo Church and the activities that take place.

## TODAY

10 am – Prayer Time in Meeting Room 2  
 10 am – Bible Class (Yrs 8-11) in Cafe  
 11 am – Gathered Worship: “Sticks & Stones” James  
 3: David Hunter

11.20 am – Sunday School in Hall. Creche is in Meeting Room 1 in the Hall from the start of the service or when the children leave for Sunday School. Children should be collected from the Hall at 12.15 pm.

**6.30 pm in Meeting Room 2 – Daniel Ballantyne**

### “Thought for the Week”

“He wants you to fulfil His special purpose for this generation, God has a purpose for your life. Everything you do has significance. God wants to work through your hands, speak through your voice and love through your heart. He will bless you and make you a blessing to others as you seek to glorify Him in all you are and all you do.”

### FLOWER LIST DECEMBER

<b>1 December</b>	<b>Christmas Flowers</b>
<b>8 December</b>	<b>Christmas Flowers</b>
<b>15 December</b>	<b>Christmas Flowers</b>
<b>22 December</b>	<b>Christmas Flowers</b>
<b>29 December</b>	<b>Christmas Flowers</b>

### **WELCOME TEAM - DECEMBER**

<b>Left Door</b>	<b>Right Door</b>
Chris Reid	Helena Trimble
Alan Dorman	

## **THIS WEEK @ DPC**

### **MONDAY**

Morning Bible Study @ Geo & Edna's @ 10.15 am  
 Study 6 Questions 1-6  
 Bowling Fellowship at 7.30 p.m.

### **TUESDAY**

BB: Anchor Boys: 6.30 pm  
 Junior Section: 6.30 pm  
 Company Section: 7.30 pm

### **WEDNESDAY**

Connect Community Coffee Morning 10am-12 Noon in Hall Café Area

### **THURSDAY**

Parent & Toddler Group: 10.30 am – 12 Noon  
 GB: Explorers: 6.30 pm  
 Company Section: 7.30 pm

### **FRIDAY**

7 PM- Drumbo Community Association – “Switching on” village **Christmas Tree Lights**

### **SATURDAY**

7.30 pm: Youth Night in Hall

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

10 am – Prayer Time in Meeting Room 2  
 10 am – Bible Class (Yrs 8-11) in Cafe  
 11 am – Gathered Worship: ‘Christmas: It’s more than make believe!’  
 11.20 am – Sunday School in Hall. Creche is in Meeting Room 1 in the Hall from the start of the service or when the children leave for Sunday School.  
 6.30 pm – Prayer & Praise in Meeting Room 2

### COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER

A sincere word of thanks to all who helped organise and support the Community Christmas Dinner on Friday evening.

### PRAYER TXT MINISTRY

If you would like to share in this ministry and receive the weekly txt please forward your contact details to Rosemary Adams (07960950903). If you feel the need to be prayed for please forward your prayer request to Adrian (07546770060) or one of the elders. In line with GDPR we will not be naming individuals unless they have given their consent.

### BADMINTON CLUB

There will be no Badminton Club until the New Year

### PRAYER POINTS

#### James and Heather Cochrane – global mission workers in Portugal

As we enter the Christmas season, pray for an openness among the Portuguese to accept invitations to some of the Christmas events.

- Pray for the Sunday services, especially the special service on 22 December, which will include Christmas carols and readings and a time afterwards for food.
- Pray for the three small groups that will meet in the third week of December, that it would be an opportunity to invite non-Christian friends and family.
- Pray for the young people, meeting on 13 December for a Bible study and on 20 December for a Christmas party.

#### Stephen and Angelina Cowan – global mission workers in Kenya

There has been good rainfall in most of Kenya, so problems are masked for the short term. Animals in the north should be in a growth stage, but unless there is improvement in quality and a change in mind-set the cycle of death will continue.

- Pray for an integrated approach to change in line with the growing population in Kenya.
- Pray for the December youth camps as a Nairobi team shares the gospel and makes clear the implications of being a follower of Jesus Christ.
- Pray for students who have transitioned towards secondary education, that families will make an effort towards assisting them financially.

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### CHRISTMAS PROGRAMME 2019

**Fri 6th Dec** at 7 pm - Drumbo Community Association – “Switching on” village Christmas Tree Lights

**Sun 8th Dec** at 11 am “Christmas: its more than make believe!”

**Sun 15th Dec** at 11 am “A journey of self – discovery!”

**Sat 21st Dec** 4–7 pm “Community Nativity”

**Sun 22nd Dec** at 11 am “Who me? What’s your identity?”  
7 pm “Carols by candlelight”

**Wed 25th Dec** at 10.30 am Christmas Day – “What’s your response to Jesus?”

### PROPOSED CHANGES TO ABORTION LAW

#### FROM THE MODERATOR

“While previous actions like postcard campaigns, signing petitions and attending protests have been important to highlight opposition to the proposed reforms, there is hard and strategic work to do now in shaping the implementation of this legislation which will have an impact well into the future.

The Northern Ireland Office consultation on ‘A New Legal Framework for Abortion Services in Northern Ireland which closes on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 11.45pm is available online at the following link: <https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/a-new-legal-framework-for-abortion-services-in-northern-ireland>

While the Council for Public Affairs has tasked a small group to formulate a response on behalf of PCI, I would strongly urge your presbytery and congregation to also consider making a response - guidance to help complete the consultation, based on our denominational response, will be issued by Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.”

A further announcement will be made next Sunday to help individuals formulate an appropriate response

#### INSIDE OUT

Over the next few weeks on Sunday evenings we invite you to join with us for “Inside Out.” “Inside Out” explores what it means to be a welcoming church.

Themes covered include being an outward facing community; loving difference; welcome on Sundays; welcoming those from other cultures and countries, as well as those with other capabilities and views; making space for others in our church life.

