



# Church of the Holy Spirit

## Mossley Parish

(Charity Registration No. NIC103262)

### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2026

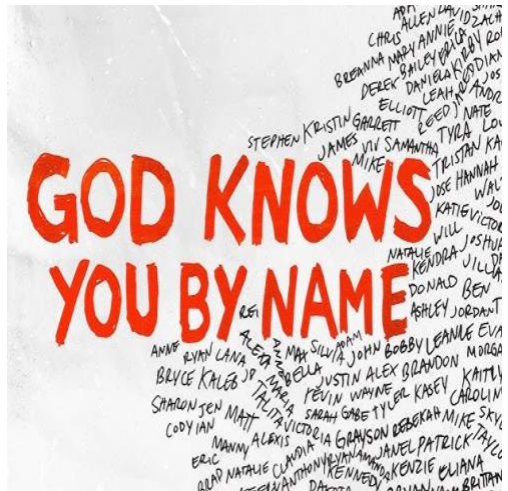
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**WELCOME** to the Church of the Holy Spirit!

Thank you for joining with us for our in-church and online services.  
This week we are focusing on the importance of listening to God.

### COLLECT OF THE DAY *(Fourth Sunday of Easter)*

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.



### TODAY’S BIBLE READINGS

Morning      John 10:1-10

Evening      Ezra 3:1-13.  
                  Luke 19:37-48

### GET IN TOUCH

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**Our Online Service will be available on YouTube from 11am and Facebook, our website, and the dial-in facility at 12.30pm.**

# Announcements

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April

- Women's Institute meets at 2pm in the Carntall Room.
- GB meets for an end of year session from 6.30pm until 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April

- All articles are due for the May / June edition of the magazine.
- Sure Start 'Story & Rhyme' in the Main Hall from 9.15am – 12.15pm.
- Our Bible Study Group will meet at 7.30pm in the Carntall Room. This week we are looking at Ephesians 6:10-20. An Online Study will be released at 7pm.

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April

- Midweek Holy Communion at 10am.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Parish Centre from 3.45pm until 6.25pm.
- Prayer Fellowship meets in the Pentecost Room at 7.30pm.

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April

- Pilates class in the Main Hall from 5pm until 7.15pm. For further details please contact Jill (07762523317).
- Badminton Club meets at 7.30pm in the Main Hall.

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May

- Dove Tots meets at 10am in the Main Hall. Parents / carers are welcome to bring along their babies and toddlers.

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

- Bric-A-Brac sale from 8.30am until 12noon in the Main Hall. Any person who wishes to donate items should contact Alec Orr (02890836286).
- Our Bakery Stall will be selling cakes, breads and all kinds of tasty treats. Please do come along.
- Kidz Klub meets from 5.30pm until 6.45pm in the Parish Centre. All children from nursery age to P3 are welcome.
- Youth Club meets in the Parish Centre (7pm – 9pm).

## For Your Information

### **Tea Brew Rota**

Thank you to all who have agreed to be part of the Tea Brew Rota.

April 26<sup>th</sup> Ann McCutcheon & Hilary McCoy

May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> Elsie Christie & Julie Parkinson

June 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> Joanne Graham & Elaine Maxwell

### **Safeguarding Trust**

Our Parish Panel members are Rev Peter Jones, Carolyn Caldwell, John Nesbitt and Joan Mackey. If you wish to make urgent contact, telephone the Rector on 02890832726.

### **Calling All Bakers**

We plan to have a range of tasty goodies at the Spring Fair on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May. If you can help out by baking some tray bakes or other items, please speak to Leanne Kelly.

### **Tombola Donations**

We also need more items for the tombola stall at the Spring Fair. These can be left in the church porch. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

### **Rathlin Trip**

We are organising a trip to Rathlin Island on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June, meeting in the carpark at 7.30am and getting the Rathlin ferry at 10am. A signup sheet is in the church porch. Please speak to Alan Bowes for more details.

### **Street Pastors AGM**

Antrim & Newtownabbey Street Pastors will be holding their AGM in the Carntall Room on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## Prayer List

If you want a name put on the prayer list, please fill in the prayer request slip in the church porch and then place it in the box provided. Alternatively, you can email them to [rectormossley@hotmail.com](mailto:rectormossley@hotmail.com)

Davy	Paul	Eddie	Ann	Duncan
Joyce	Mervyn	Carter	Marlou	Craig
Justine	David	Phoebe	Karen	Trevor
Linda	Jim	Ann	David	Niamh
Kellie	Jack	Colin	Louise	Angela
Breda	Jason	Lorraine	Lisa	Pauline

### Praying For Others

Heavenly Father, we pray for all who need your healing touch. Draw near to them and may they experience the wonder of your peace and presence. We ask this in Jesus's name. Amen.

### Prayer Focus

**Local:** Newtownabbey Free Presbyterian Church and Rev Brian McClung.

**District:** Glengormley / Ballyhenry.

**Parish Organisations:** Choir.

**Connor Diocese:** Bishop George Davison.

**Church of Ireland:** Bishop Andrew Forster and the Dioceses of Derry & Raphoe.

**Mission Partnerships:** lasting peace and stability in the Middle East; an end to the conflict between Ukraine and Russia; the injured and everyone affected by the collision of two trains in Denmark; an end to gang-related violence in Haiti, El Salvador, Mexico and Columbia; an easing of the global cost of living crisis; lasting peace and stability in Sudan; everyone impacted by wildfires in Georgia and Florida, USA; the bereaved and injured following a shooting at a shopping centre in Louisiana, USA; the people of Madagascar as a state of emergency has been declared because of fuel shortages.