



## St John the Evangelist Parish Church, Killyleagh

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### Church Notices 11<sup>th</sup> February 2024

- Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February Services:** Holy Communion at 9am, Morning Prayer at 11am.
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February Ash Wednesday Service:** A short service to mark the start of Lent, the 40 day period (not including Sundays) of reflection and discernment. Laying aside things that hold us back from growing in faith.
- Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February Services:** Holy Communion at 9am, Morning Prayer at 11am.
- Lent Course:** Rev Eben will lead a Lent course on John's Gospel 20<sup>th</sup> February to 26<sup>th</sup> March, every Tuesday 7:00-8:00 in the Parish Centre, Heaney Room. Rev Eben suggests everyone bring snacks for the beginning of each session.
- Register of Vestry Persons:** The Register of Vestry Persons is open throughout February and will be formally reviewed before the end of the month. If you wish to be formally recorded as a member of our Parish and be able to vote and stand for offices at the Easter General Vestry, please complete the relevant form available from the Church Wardens.
- Youth Club:** Mandy is looking for additional volunteers to help with our Youth Club. Youth Club is on a Thursday with Ages 3 to 7 attending from 6:15 – 7:15pm and age 8 to P7 from 7:30 – 8:30pm. You don't have to be available each week, and while preferable, you don't have to cover both sessions. If you can help with this important ministry, please talk to Mandy 079 7995 0564
- Spring Fireside Quiz:** The Fund-Raising Committee have produced a Spring Fireside Quiz, with all proceeds to church funds. Sheets are available in the church, in the charity shop or from Select Vestry members. Entry is £2 per sheet and the winning prize is £25. The closing date for entries is Sunday 10th March and the winner will be announced shortly after that date.
- Short talk films:** Bishop David has recorded a new series of short talks addressing some of the issues facing society today. The films have been made as a response to some of the many questions the bishop and other leaders are asked in the course of their ministries. The series introduction will be aired on Monday 22 January and conclude on Wednesday 7 February. The films will be available daily on the Diocesan website, YouTube channel and Facebook page. For more information visit: <https://www.downanddromore.org/news/2024/01/new-series>