**ARKLOW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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| **JANUARY 2019** |
| Sunday 6th | 10.00am | Rev. Trevor Morrow. Service of Holy Communion |
| Wednesday 9th | 10.00am | Ladies Bible Study in the church |
| Sunday 13th | 10.00am | Rev. Terry Price |
| Tuesday 15th | 9.30am7.30pm | Coffee Dock restartsCommunity Bible study. New series. Heaven. ‘Are you looking forward to heaven?’ |
| Friday 18th | 7.00pm | Friday club restarts |
| Sunday 20th | 10.00am | Aleida van der Flier |
| Tuesday 22nd | 7.30pm | Community Bible Study. ‘The only way to heaven’ |
| Wednesday 23 | 3.15pm | Wednesday Bible club restarts |
| Sunday 27th | 10.00am | Rev. Terry Price |
| Tuesday 29th | 7.30pm | Bible study. ‘Where are they now? (What happens when you die). |

**PASTORAL NEEDS.**

Rev. Gary McDowell is our Convenor. Should you require pastoral care please contact him on 085 871 4786 or 01 201 7354.

 **Vacancy Information.**

The session has handed in the required documentation for the vacancy. We await a reply before we can proceed with the next step in the process.

**Community Bible Study.**

We are starting a new series on heaven. It is a fascinating topic and everyone is welcome to join us on Tuesday evenings in the church. If anyone has topics that they would like to be discussed at the Bible Study in the future please let Philip know**.**

**Church Cleaning.**

If anyone would like to help out with keeping the church and hall cleaned please see Aleida. Currently it is being done by just a few people. It would be great if more could help and spread the load. Thank you.

**PRAYER FOCUS FOR JANUARY**

* For the sick, lonely, those who mourn, those who find life difficult
* For all the work involved in the vacancy, for Gary our convener and for the person God has planned to be our next minister.
* That people will not forget Jesus but will come to know Him in a personal way this year
* For children and the club leaders as the clubs restart again this month.
* For wisdom for all involved in the Brexit negotiations, as they seek the best possible solution to the situation.
* For wisdom for the government as they try to resolve the homeless crisis.
* For real and lasting peace in the world now and into the future.
* For the people of Indonesia after the recent tsunami.
* For blessing and strength for our fellow Christians in countries where they are persecuted.

**REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS IN THE CHURCH**

Tuesday 7.00 – 8.00am Prayer time in the church

Tuesday 9.30 – 11.30am Coffee Dock

Tuesday 7.30pm Community Bible study in the church.

Wednesday 3.15pm Children’s Bible club. (Contact Philip 086 8885442)

Friday 7 – 9pm Youth Group (4th class upwards)

 9 – 10.30pm Teen’s club

***DO NOT FORGET.***

**Flowers** & **Coffee**: 6th – Denise, 13th – Pauline and Paul, 20th – Tara, 27th – Elaine &Trevor