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Praise and Prayer

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Team Members on Outreach in Counties Donegal, Mayo and Roscommon



Postal Distribution 2019 - half a million *Hope in a Troubled World* booklets distributed in 14 counties



Real Life

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1-26 August-Gospel Message Evenings held in 14 towns in counties where booklets were distributed.

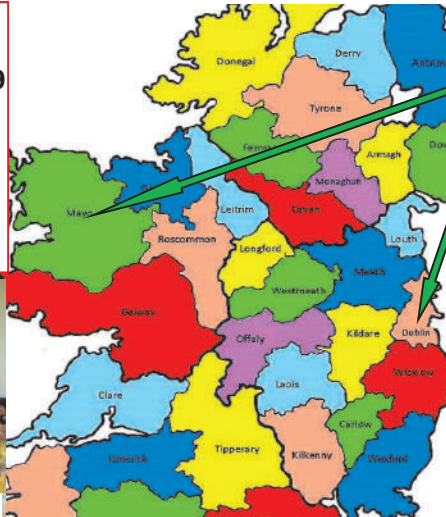
PRAISE

2012-2016 No longer Hoping booklets distributed by IEB to 1.79 million homes in every county in the Republic of Ireland.
2017-2019 *Hope in a Troubled World* booklets distributed by IEB to 1.2 million homes in the Republic of Ireland.

OUR VISION

To continue distribution of *Hope in a Troubled World* so that all the remaining 600 thousand homes in Dublin and part of Mayo will receive a copy of this booklet.

£120 or €135 will pay for the cost of printing and postage of booklets to 1000 homes in the Republic of Ireland.



Team Members enjoying hospitality



and accommodation at Thurles Baptist Church

A Postal and Personal Outreach

I was pleased to be part of the Gospel outreach in August. As IEB planned to distribute half a million copies of *Hope in a Troubled World*, written by Dick Keogh, to fourteen counties (22-26 July 2019), we also organised Gospel Message Evenings in major towns in each of the fourteen counties. The Gospel Evenings would be seen as opportunities for people in these counties to hear a Gospel presentation in a neutral venue. A new website www.irishbibleministries.com was ably designed by Randal at niactive.com where people could find out more about the aims and objectives of the mission and what to expect at a Gospel Evening. The initial correspondence on the website increased and we directed enquiries to Dick and Mary.

The Gospel Message Evenings

Arriving early to prepare the venue, set up a bookstall and welcome people were Ian Kennedy, Philip Hawe and Joan McAlister who came faithfully to all fourteen nights. They were supported on some evenings by Gilbert Beck, Ed Smyth, Henry Jordan, Jonny Thompson, Anson George and volunteers from the Cavan Bookshop. Two banners with the text, 'To preach the unsearchable riches of Christ' (Ephesians 3:7) were purchased and set up in each venue to help make it clear to those attending who we were and what we were about.

We thank God for the ministry of Dick and Mary Keogh who have written the booklets and post out the literature requested on the reply slips.

'Do the work of an evangelist' (2 Timothy 4:5). Postal Distribution

We have been very busy as a result of the response to the Postal Distribution of the *Hope in a Troubled World* booklet, which was distributed by An Post to homes in every city, town, village, parish and rural area in fourteen counties. Just one week after the Postal Distribution began, we had received fifty reply slips from people who had read the booklet. Some requested Bibles or New Testaments, while others requested literature explaining the Way of Salvation or some of our booklets or tracts. It was our privilege to prepare and post these to the contacts. Many may prefer the traditional methods of evangelism,

like open-air preaching, tract distribution and door-to door work but when the God-given burden is to reach the population of the Republic of Ireland with the Gospel in the shortest possible time, we believe the Postal Distribution is the obvious method to use. Many of the people who received the booklet live in remote, isolated areas of the country. The following excerpt from a letter we received recently has confirmed to us once again the vision and burden God gave to the IEB Committee to reach precious needy souls with the Gospel through the Postal Distribution.

The Message

The evenings were introduced by Philip Hawe with a welcome and prayer. We showed a short film from 'Christianity Explored', entitled 'Good News' which clearly set out why the Gospel is good news – great news! To further explore why Jesus came, a PowerPoint was used to explain how our sin is the problem and that Jesus was born to die. This was further developed through a Gospel song, 'It's about the Cross' by the Ball Brothers. A second film, also from 'Christianity Explored', was an explanation of the parable of the sower, asking each of us to consider what type of soil we are and if we have heard and understood the Gospel. There then followed a summary talk based on the seven letters of the word IRELAND to develop the theme of the Gospel:

- I** – I (It's a personal message to you)
- R** – Responsible (Each personally responsible for sin in our lives)
- E** – Eternity (Eternity – Heaven or Hell)
- L** – Love (Thank God for the Love of God, that can rescue you/me)
- A** – All (God wants in response ALL of me, putting Him first)
- N** – Now (Now is the time to respond)
- D** – Decision (Decide to follow Jesus now)

Invitation

There then followed a Gospel song 'People need the Lord'. We closed in prayer and invited those present to consider their position before God and to talk with someone over tea. The bookstall was a great resource for those who came as many were seeking good Christian literature. Providing tea and coffee was an excellent opportunity to mix with visitors and discuss further what they had heard. **Boyd George**



"I was delighted to get your booklet. I am 91 years old, blind and deaf. I am in a very sad state. I have a little home-help and I try to cope the best way I can. I live in a remote place, up a lane and spend a lot of time alone. I have lost my peace of mind, so please help me to get it back and I will be forever grateful. Please pray for me." (On the reply slip this lady requested a New Testament).

Prayer Points

That God will speak to the hearts of people who have read the booklets. For the contacts who returned reply slips requesting Bibles and Gospel literature. **Dick and Mary Keogh**

POSTAL DISTRIBUTION 2019 - FOLLOW-UP WORK

Below are reports from Team Members who attended The Gospel Message Evenings, brought bookstalls and had meaningful conversations with visitors.

It was a great opportunity to travel with Boyd to fourteen counties in the Republic of Ireland. It was only as a result of God's protection that we were kept safe on the roads as we travelled three thousand miles in three weeks. For me it was a wonderful privilege to be involved in the work of the Lord as I helped Boyd have everything ready for the Gospel Message Evenings. At each evening I welcomed everyone and opened in prayer. Boyd had an excellent presentation in which the Gospel was clearly explained. We thank God for the divine appointments which He gave us with both Christians and those who are seeking to have a personal relationship with God. There was a great sense of the Lord's presence in the meetings. We give to God all the praise and glory and thank you for your faithfulness in prayer.

Philip Hawe

It was a great privilege to be associated with the Postal Distribution. It was encouraging to meet different people at each venue and share the Gospel with them. We believe that the Gospel Message Evenings were a great blessing to the Christians who attended. We were delighted to welcome them and they were pleased that we were having a Gospel presentation in their area. They were encouraged that so many people had received the *Hope in a*

Troubled World booklets delivered to their homes by An Post workers. Quite a number of Christian people accepted literature to be used in evangelism in their areas and to distribute to their friends.

Ian Kennedy

We found that most of the meetings were attended by some people who are genuinely interested in finding out more about the Gospel. We were very encouraged that those who are searching listened attentively to the Gospel presentation. As we enjoyed refreshments team members talked with them and shared more of the way of salvation from the Bible. A man commented that he had never heard the way of salvation explained in the way that Boyd had done. A lady was very receptive to the Gospel and accepted a Bible and children's DVDs. Three members of a family showed very good interest in Boyd's presentation, listened as team members shared more about the Gospel with them and accepted Bibles. We were also encouraged that a contact from IEB outreaches came to a meeting. He is open to the Gospel and appreciated Boyd's presentation. A man told us that he felt very different after listening to the presentation and that every morning he prayed, 'A Prayer in the Storm',



included in the *Hope in a Troubled World* booklet which he received by post at his home. Each evening we were very conscious of God's presence. We had meaningful conversations with people and they were not in a hurry to leave.

Gilbert Beck

The bookstall was a very important part of each evening. A lady who is searching was really delighted to see such a great display of books. She chose a selection of Christian books and was pleased to accept them. A young lady, who knew she needed to return to God, accepted a Bible and other literature. She chose a book from the bookstall as she knew it would be helpful for a grieving family. Christians, who have a fellowship, were very happy to receive literature and cards for distribution in their area. They requested that Boyd would go to their area sometime in the future to do a Gospel presentation. The bookstall was provided by Cavan Christian Bookshop and we express our thanks to manager, Henry Jordan, and his team of volunteers for all of their help.

Joan McAlister

A PERSONAL THANK YOU

We thank God for the many blessings He gave to us during Summer 2019 Outreach. We thank Boyd and Philip for the great contribution they made to the Gospel Message Evenings and this new venture in IEB outreach. We believe that God will use this in future evangelism and outreach in Ireland. We thank God for all of those who

joined our summer teams and for the unity we enjoyed as we worked together to fulfil our vision of reaching Irish people with the life-changing message of the Gospel. Family and many friends have supported me and I thank God for them. We praise and thank God for His faithfulness to us and thank you for your partnership with us in the place of prayer. **Joan McAlister**

We express our sincere thanks to Rodney McCullough (3rd from right) and his staff at Antrim Printers for the hard work they put into the designing, printing, packing and transport of the booklets to Dublin Mail Centre. This was a big job which they carried out very efficiently.



Rodney has been a great help to IEB as he has organised the printing and delivery of booklets to Dublin from 2012 to 2019, a total of three million booklets. Rodney's picture is also on the front cover (second row from bottom).

ROSCOMMON OUTREACH 18-22 AUGUST 2019

Four team members were warmly welcomed at nine care centres in Mohill, Boyle, Ballaghaderreen, Castlerea and Roscommon. 300 residents, staff and visitors listened to the Gospel message through the hymns and from the Word of God. Some participated as we sang well-known hymns. At the services we were very conscious of God's presence. At a prison Bibles, New Testaments, Gospels of John and other literature in foreign languages were requested. We had the privilege of leaving two boxes of this literature and a box with packs of Christmas cards for the prison chaplains to distribute. **Gilbert Beck**

Residents listened to our speaker, Gilbert Beck, who explained simply the way of salvation. After each service, as we shook hands with those who listened, many expressed how they had been helped through the Gospel singing and Bible messages. Some asked us to come back soon as they always enjoy Gospel singing. **Ian Kennedy** It was a genuine encouragement to partner with IEB in Roscommon, especially at the care homes in Boyle, Castlerea and Roscommon. The older generation seemed open to Christ. We shared the Gospel with friends from my community. Two other friends attended Boyd's excellent presentation at Roscommon Gospel Evening. **Ed Smyth**

Real Life Praise and Thanksgiving

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'One generation shall praise Thy works to another, and shall declare Thy mighty acts' (Psalm 145:4).



Fay, Liz, Wilma, Roy, Linda, Violet and Joy



Rebecca, Deane and Helen

Shop Encounters

Those who share the Gospel with others often ask us to supply resources, like books for a Bible study or teaching materials for Sunday Schools. In June it was lovely to have the SU from Devenish College visit us. Usually teachers in Enniskillen Presbyterian Sunday School choose prizes for the children, but this year we stayed open later for the children and their parents to choose their prizes and this worked really well. During the summer when a group were in from a CEF camp, it was really encouraging to hear one of the young people say something like 'I could just keep looking in here for ages, as there is so much interesting stuff', when leaving the shop.

Stall Opportunities

We are very grateful to those willing to take out stalls or who invite us to bring a stall to their event. This year we brought a stall to the Cavanaleck and Aughtentaine Missionary Weekend.

Joan assisted in bringing a stall to the Castleberg Fellowship Evening and to another Mary and Martha Event. We had a stall at the Enniskillen Fellowship Evening and the next morning took it to a Ladies' Breakfast in Fintona. With some additions this stall was then priced in Euro and taken by Joe and Mabel Kennedy to Holy Week church events in Sligo. Stalls reach people who may never come into the shop and we may never know how purchases can result in lives being impacted for Christ.

Special Event

On 6 June we were delighted to have Maud Kells join us for an evening in Enniskillen Cathedral Hall. The Ballybay Country Gospel Group led the praise and there was a lovely sense of God's presence. Nearly 200 people sat captivated as Maud spoke for around an hour, sharing how God led her to serve Him in the Congo and then sharing stories from her experiences of working there. Maud signed copies of her book *An Open Door* before and after she spoke. Her book has continued to sell well in Real Life.

Praise God

For our regular customers and for visitors to the area who come in. For Sunday Schools, school groups and camp ministries who support us. That our evening with Maud Kells was well attended.

Please Pray

For more local Christians and churches to support us. For wisdom in dealing with customers and choosing stock. For new voluntary staff.

Joy Loane

Welcome to Real Life	Bibles	Devotional Books	Bible Study Material	Biography	Christian Living
Fiction with Christian Values		Youth and Children's Resources	Music	Cards	Gifts



From 14 August 2019, I am working three days each week with IEB. I wish to thank you all for your prayers. I am working in counties

Dear Friends, Thank you for your prayer support. God is faithful. Our work in Scotland keeps us busy, following up new contacts and outreach to the lost. Wesley is involved in a new Bible study with believers who are keen to study God's Word and grow in the Lord. Please pray for outreach into the west of the city where Wesley is working with a couple of families to develop a witness in an area of great spiritual darkness.

Pray for the bookshop with its many challenges as Wesley becomes more involved there. The prison visitation is opening new doors with families and requires much prayer. Thalia is busy with family duties.

which border County Fermanagh using Dick Keogh's new leaflet, *Hope in the Storms of Life*. For follow-up contacts, I am using *Our Daily Bread* booklets supplied by Real Life in Enniskillen.

Prayer Points

Pray for God's protection as I travel by car and bus and also for the people I meet on my travels.

John Johnston



Please pray for the fortnightly ladies' prayer and Bible study she hosts in our home. God is at work in these ladies' lives. Thank you for your continued prayer support which is deeply appreciated in the Lord's Name.

Wesley and Thalia Mitchell
c/o 28 George IV Bridge, Edinburgh, EH1 1E

TEAM OUTREACH AND MISSION INFORMATION SPRING/SUMMER 2019

Month	Patrick's Day	March	May/June	June/July	July	July	July Westport	August	August Gospel	February to May	TOTALS
Location		Achill	Fanad	Inishowen	Achill	Belmullet	Croagh Patrick	Roscommon	Message Evenings	Other Areas	
Gospel Evenings		2	4	10	1	2			14		33
Children's Bible Clubs					2						2
Care Centre Meetings		7	5	6	3	4		9			34
Team Members	17	7	30	28	10	7	39	4		22	164
Booklets distributed	7480	440	4690	7690	1235	1530	5235			2690	30 990
Tea/juice distributed							3600				3600

IEB Committee Members Eric Hammond (chairman), Denzil McIlfratrick (vice-chairman), Wesley Armstrong, Tom Condell, Leslie Hadnett, Henry Jordan, Joan McAlister, Victor Niblock, Olive Orr, Walter Pringle, Vera Smith and Robert Sturgeon.

Cavan Christian Bookshop - Witness, Evangelism and Outreach

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'Your labour is not in vain in the Lord' (1 Corinthians 15:58).

Faithful Workers

We are blessed to have workers whose commitment enables the shop to operate on a daily basis. Alice Irwin draws up an excellent two-monthly workers' rota. We appreciate the help of Joy Loane and the staff in Real Life for their invaluable assistance in providing stock and orders for customers. I spend a lot of time overseeing the volunteers and co-ordinating the work. Prayer is vital and we express our thanks to those who pray faithfully for the witness of the bookshop.

Shop Sales and Witness

We are delighted that many teachers visit the shop to purchase Sunday School teaching materials. Our prayer is that children and young people will benefit from the teaching they receive. We praise God for good sales of Bibles, books and Christian resources. The white board outside the shop exhibits a daily Bible message to promote thought on eternal matters. People look at the window displays and read the message on the posters. Some people come to share burdens, seek advice or get spiritual help.

Evangelism and Outreach

On Saint Patrick's Day Harry and Hazel Dunwoody and I handed out Saint Patrick's booklets in Arva, Killeshandra and Ballinagh. We had a very encouraging time. Victor Niblock, Andrew McCausland and a team had a stand at the National Ploughing Championships in Ballintranee, County Carlow in September. This was an opportunity to witness to thousands of people. A report on this event will be in the next *Praise and Prayer* (DV).

Bookstalls and Shop Outreach

We brought a bookstall to Kilmore Hotel in April for a Ladies' Conference. It was a good time to distribute literature. We provided a bookstall for IEB Fellowship Evenings in Ballinagh, Castleblayney and Clones. At Sligo Convention in May sales were good.



Gospel literature was also given to local people for distribution in their home areas. With the help of some of the volunteers from the bookshop we brought a bookstall to the Gospel Message Evenings in Cavan and Monaghan in August. There was a bookstall at all of the fourteen Gospel Message Evenings. People received books and literature to distribute in many counties in Ireland. As part of our ministry we are available to bring a stall of Christian supplies to church functions, ladies' events and youth meetings. We provide a variety of Christian resources for all ages, for local churches, the community and places further afield. If we could assist you please contact us and we will be privileged to respond.

Book Launch with Maud Kells

In Cloverhill Hall on Thursday 30 May we had a very enjoyable evening to launch Maud Kells' book, *An Open Door*. Rev Dr Jean Mackarel and her choir provided an inspiring programme of music and singing. Maud has a very interesting and challenging story to tell. We were really encouraged that a very good crowd attended and it was great to see the interest shown. Several of Maud's books were sold. Everyone was blessed through Maud's visit.

Evening of Music and Singing

Our Gospel Evening in Kilmore Hall in September was attended by a good crowd. Ballybay Country Gospel Group, Kilmore Cathedral Choir, Angela Flanagan and Merlin Morton used their talents to God's glory and we express our appreciation to them.

The compere was Walter Pringle and a lovely supper was served. It was a very uplifting and enjoyable evening.

Faithful Service

We were very saddened to learn of the Homecall of our esteemed voluntary worker, Miss Muriel Elliott. She faithfully served her Lord in the bookshop and her valuable service will be greatly missed. We know that Muriel is at Home with the Lord.

Praise and Thanks

Faithful voluntary staff.

The support of local churches.

An open door of opportunity.

Resources available for customers.

Prayer Points

Comfort for the family of Muriel Elliott. That God will bless and encourage all the faithful, voluntary workers. Good health and protection for staff. Sensitivity, divine appointments and wisdom with customers. More opportunities to bring bookstalls and literature for outreach to events. That staff and families who are unwell will know God's healing and blessing. Guidance in planning outreach events. That the shop will remain as a faithful witness in the Cavan area.

Henry Jordan

Shop Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday

10am to 12.30pm and 1pm to 5.30pm
Bibles books children's books
biographies gifts cards CDs DVDs
Something for all ages

'The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved' (Jeremiah 8:20).



Our Ministry

Cherith Gospel Outreach Trust was established for the purpose of making Gospel literature available to precious souls living in spiritual darkness. Over the summer our booklets, *Hope in a Troubled World*, *Hope in the Storms of Life*, *Saint Patrick from Prisoner to Preacher* and *Hope When You are Hurting* were distributed by IEB through their Postal Ministry and outreaches. *No Longer Hoping* booklets are still available in English, Irish, French, Spanish, Polish and Portuguese.

India The population of India numbers approximately 1.35 billion and 40-50% of the people speak Hindi. Cherith Trustees have been working in partnership with India Bible Literature, based in Chennai. They translated our book, *New Life in Luke*, into the Hindi language. They printed it and are using it in evangelism among the Banswari people

in Rajasthan. The book contains Bible Lessons based on the Gospel of Luke, plus the complete Gospel of Luke. *New Life in Luke* has recently been amended and the new format will be printed by Revival Movement, who will ship it to India where it will be distributed to needy souls. India Bible Literature have expressed a desire to use the book in the English language and also indicated their interest in having it translated into the Tamil and Telugu languages.

Website Over thirty of our publications are currently available for free download on our website cherithgospel.org. Hindi, Spanish, Portuguese, French, Polish, Irish and English speakers have access to the Gospel message through our website.

Prayer Points That God will enable Cherith Gospel Outreach Ministries to continue to produce literature that can be used to point precious needy souls to the Saviour. For the translation of our literature into various languages. For India Bible Literature and Revival Movement.

Dick and Mary Keogh

Saint Patrick's Day 2019 3985 Dick Keogh's booklets, Saint Patrick from Prisoner to Preacher, bookmarks and other literature were distributed by 17 IEB team members in 16 towns, mainly in Counties Cavan, Monaghan and Mayo. IEB Friends distributed 3495 booklets in other places



"When Jesus saw the multitudes He was moved with compassion on them" (Matthew 9:36).

In Monaghan there was a good crowd of people attending the Fun Run and the parade. Many nationalities were present with most understanding English quite well. The 'Jesus Saves' bus was there and most of the large crowd of people received Gospel booklets or leaflets. Approximately 400 booklets and bookmarks were distributed. Parents were with their children and most were happy for them to accept bookmarks.

Alison Farquhar

I visited Carrickmacross and Ballybay to distribute Gospel literature to many who had gathered for the parades. The booklets were graciously received and we pray that God's Holy Spirit has worked in the hearts and minds of all who read them.

Leslie Forster

Henry Jordan, Harry and Hazel Dunwoody, Ian Kennedy, Ruth Mercer, Joan McAlister and I were involved in outreach at the parades in eleven towns - Shercock, Kingscourt, Bailieborough, Ballyjamesduff, Kilnaleck, Mullagh, Oram, Clones, Killeshandra, Arva and Ballinagh. The literature was very well received and our prayer is that the Holy Spirit will convict people of their need to come to Christ. Looking at the crowds we were moved with compassion as we thought of how few would know Jesus in a personal way. We thank our faithful God for the privilege of serving Him.

Daphne Morrow

Team Outreach and Mission Fanad, County Donegal 16 May-4 June 2019
30 team members 4 Gospel Evenings 5 Care Centre Meetings 4690 homes visited

"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest" (John 4:35).

Maureen and I appreciated very much all of the work put into organising the IEB Mission in the Fanad area. The choice of the Community Hall in Kilmacrenan for the Friday evening was excellent and it was lovely to meet up again with soloist, Neil Shaw. I was very delighted to see so many there - at least sixty-five. Sharing the Gospel in Word and song in three care centres on Saturday was a great privilege. We are grateful to Ian for his guitar playing and singing which were a great help to the meetings. We are remembering the work in our prayers and look forward to being with you again. Every blessing. Keep building the Kingdom.

Rev Canon Neville Hughes

We had five services in three care centres. We were encouraged to hear residents singing well-known hymns.

Ian Kennedy

We welcomed the IEB team. Gospel Evenings were held in Milford, Rathmullan, Rosnakill and Kilmacrenan. Both sections of the community attended and the Lord's presence was in our midst. Mae Crooks, Graham Murphy and Neil Shaw blessed us with lovely Gospel singing and music. Gerard Clinton, Stanley Crooks, John Mulhern and Rev Neville Hughes shared anointed messages from God's Word. As a result of the messages in Word and song God ministered to people who were challenged, encouraged and blessed. It was a privilege, with Dorothy Malseed, to distribute invitations and the Gospel leaflet, *Hope in the Storms of Life*, written by Dick Keogh, to many homes in the rural areas of Leiter, Ramelton and Milford. To God be the glory.

Bert and Marie Anderson



We have done outreach in Rathmullan many times and this year we were pleased to be there again. It was a wonderful privilege to spread the good seed of the Gospel as we distributed Dick Keogh's Gospel leaflet.

Jack and Alice Irwin

We give thanks to God for giving us the privilege of visiting the Fanad and Rathmullan areas. We give thanks for the warm welcomes we received and the good conversations we had. We ask for prayer for three men with whom we had in-depth spiritual conversations and for the lady who said she just loved reading the literature. We pray the Holy Spirit will visit people in every home. We thank the clergy in Fanad who are supportive of our work.

Eric and Olive Borland

Ian Kennedy and I covered an area from Milford to Carrigart; beautiful countryside along the western side of Mulroy Bay and among the hills. Having visited the same areas over a number of years, we are becoming known and people were friendly and courteous. Most people gladly accepted literature and invitations. In one home we were invited in to listen to Gospel music, Country and Western style. In another home we were able to share Scripture and encouraged an isolated believer. We continue to pray that the message shared will be used to bring spiritual awakening.

Joe Kerr

It was a privilege to bring messages in Rathmullan and Rosnakill. I renewed friendship with those I had not seen for a while. I noticed how intently they listened and plan to make contact with some of them again. They expressed how glad they were to have us back and how much they enjoyed the evenings. We are all labourers together in this great work of God.

John Mulhern

Our work was to visit homes with invitations to the Gospel Evenings and distribute Gospel leaflets. God blessed this work around Milford, Ramelton and Rathmullan. Our prayer and heart's desire is for the local people to hear the Gospel and for the Holy Spirit to awaken hearts to make life's greatest decision to follow Jesus.

"You must be born again" (John 3:7).

Bertie McCord

In Kilmacrenan James Smyth and I had wonderful opportunities to reach many people with the Gospel message. We were encouraged that people gratefully received invitations and booklets at their homes. It was a worthwhile day with God's Word being placed in many homes. We appreciate your prayers.

William Alexander

Prayer Points

That God will work in the lives of people who read the literature.
That opportunities to witness, literature distributed and Gospel messages will be used to lead people to Christ.

Team Outreach and Mission Inishowen 12 June-3 July 2019
 28 team members 10 Gospel Evenings 6 Care Centre Meetings 7690 homes visited



I spent a satisfying few days going door to door in three different areas of beautiful Inishowen during mixed weather conditions. The scale of the task to cover all of Inishowen was daunting and the labourers were few, so when volunteers are limited we work inside speed limits of towns and villages. Each home received an invitation to nine Gospel Evenings taking place in six non-threatening venues spread across this stunning part of North Donegal. Also included with each invitation I distributed was a copy of the leaflet, *Hope in the Storms of Life*, written by Dick Keogh. As I went door to door in Clonmany, Ballyliffin and North Buncrana it was my prayer (and still is my ongoing prayer) that the literature would be well received and the invitations looked on favourably. The compact leaflet contained the life-changing Gospel message in an attractive, comprehensive and succinct format. I found people I spoke to were friendly with a small number asking relevant questions and very few being negative. I would like you to pray for three individuals that I met and each appeared to be genuinely looking for 'Hope in the Storms of Life'. Pray that a lady who has an addiction problem will find the Truth and the Truth will set her free. A foreign national is desperately looking for a purpose in his life so pray that the leaflet, *Hope in the Storms of Life*, will lead him to the God of Hope. Please pray that a man, who attended two Gospel Evenings and came with genuine questions, will find 'the peace of God which passeth all understanding'.

James Lamberton

The Gospel Evenings in Burnfoot and Buncrana were well attended with members of the community hearing the Gospel message. Please pray that God's Word will bear fruit in these lives and that the Holy Spirit will continue to speak. We had many worthwhile conversations with folks as invitations were given to people in their own homes. Pray, too, for team members as they follow up contacts that were made.

David and Linda Lamberton



'He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him' (Psalm 126:6).

We were thankful for the privilege of participating in four Gospel Evenings in Burnfoot, Carndonagh, Rathmullan and Buncrana. Good numbers attended and our aim is still to keep reaching out. As we enjoyed refreshments we had good conversations as we continue to build relationships with people. We are praying for a breakthrough and that God will speak into the lives of many people.

John Mulhern

In Muff, Carndonagh and Greencastle I distributed invitations, Gospel leaflets and some copies of the Gospel of John. The Lord blessed with team unity, safety and favourable weather. We long to see the Lord using each faithful opportunity to reach precious souls so that Ireland will be saved for His glory.

'Continue in prayer' (Colossians 4:2).

Bertie McCord

It was encouraging to see the good attendance at the Gospel Evenings in Buncrana and Culdaff as a result of the leaflets being distributed. The final meeting in Buncrana was exceptionally well attended and all those present seemed to really benefit from the talks. A good number of people asked questions afterwards and received help to understand the wonderful message of the Gospel. The speakers at all these meetings presented the message of salvation clearly and we pray that souls will be saved through this outreach.

William and Jean Roulston

It was a privilege and a blessing to be part of the outreach. Most of my time was spent in Buncrana where I met young people who were very open to the simple Gospel story. We visited six care homes where visitors, residents and staff listened to the Word and enjoyed the singing of the hymns. It was also a joy to talk with some of the residents. Toni Margaret Jones, Graham Murphy and Neil Shaw blessed us with lovely Gospel singing and music. Gerard Clinton,

Ricky Henry, John Mulhern, Pastor Michael Quinn and Rev Neville Hughes shared anointed messages from God's Word. We thank the clergy in Inishowen who are supportive of our work. *'For with Thee is the fountain of life: in Thy light shall we see light' (Psalm 36:9).*

Angela Wauchope

Charlie Forsythe, Eric Kells, William Stewart and I visited Ramelton and Moville, distributing invitations and Gospel leaflets to 900 homes. One man returned the literature and said he would make his own way to heaven. I assured him that this would not be possible without Christ. We visited another man who had suffered a severe illness. He praised God for his recovery and we prayed with him. Having visited these areas for a number of years we were encouraged to know that some people we visited have attended the Gospel Evenings.

Jim Davison

I attended four meetings in Inishowen and sang solos such as 'Cornerstone' and 'Thank You for the Cross'. May the Lord bless, encourage and challenge those who attended that they may be saved or built up in the faith. May the words of these and all the other hymns settle in the hearts of people. We thank the Lord for the work of His Spirit.

Neil Shaw

Prayer Points

That those who read the Gospel leaflets and attended the Gospel Evenings will hear the Word, receive it and be saved.

For the Holy Spirit to speak to hearts. That God will bless all of the contacts who received follow-up visits.

Achill Outreach 13-20 July 2019 10 team members 1 Gospel Evening
3 Care Centre Meetings 2 Young People's Bible Clubs 1235 homes visited

'He that winneth souls is wise' (Proverbs 11:30).

It was very special for me to travel over from Westport to Keel to conduct an afternoon club for the boys and girls on Wednesday 17 July. It was lovely to have familiar faces gathered in and also to meet some children for the first time. It was really encouraging to hear very clearly from various conversations with parents and children that the Lord has hidden His Word from previous summers in many of their hearts and has been working in wonderful ways. Some children spoke of enjoying looking over their memory verse tokens, others spoke of remembering songs that had been taught and one boy shared of how he was very keen to have his very own Bible. It was also a wonderful privilege to meet with children and friends for a Parents' Night on Thursday 18 July. We know that the Lord was in our midst and that He blessed our meeting that evening. All those gathered in listened very attentively to the story of Mephibosheth being graciously welcomed into King David's family. Our heartfelt prayer is that many people, young and older, who live in

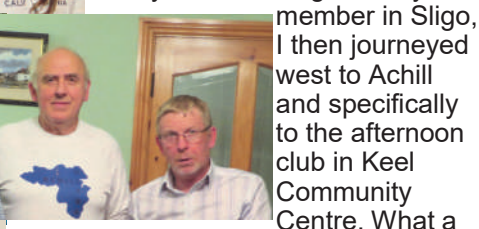


this beautiful part of Ireland will come to know the joy of being in God's family through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as their own and personal Saviour. It was very encouraging to have a nice chat with a person about the possibility of meeting with the children again in the autumn time. Please pray that these thoughts would be able to be realised and that the Lord will raise up a generation in Achill whose hope is in Him (Psalm 78:7).

Lynda McAuley

Keel Clubs

We were unable to facilitate the Keel Clubs on Achill this summer due to circumstances beyond our control. As I thought about this, I longed to see the young people again. So one day in July when visiting a family member in Sligo, I then journeyed west to Achill and specifically to the afternoon club in Keel Community Centre. What a joy it was to see everyone again and to rejoice in God's goodness as Lynda shared His Word with all present. It was an added blessing for me to meet up with Lynda, and later that evening to share fellowship with Joan and her team, as they extended great kindness and provided lovely food for all. That evening as I thought over the many years of Gospel witness on Achill Island, I was reminded of the truth of Acts 4, verse 12, that salvation is of the Lord. Many people of all ages on Achill have heard the good news of the Gospel at least once and have had the wonderful truth of salvation through faith alone, in Christ alone explained to them. God alone knows who has trusted Jesus as their personal Saviour. Please continue to pray for the people of Achill and especially that we will be able to return next year in the will of God. To God be all the glory.



Hazel McFadden
on behalf of the Keel Clubs Team

We looked forward as usual to our time in Achill. We met a couple for the first time who were very welcoming and they shared their life experiences with us of how he grew up in Achill. We hope we will have the opportunity to meet them again. At the care centres they always seem delighted to see us and we have times of singing and sharing with them. It was a delight to see the children and young people taking part in their evening club, playing their musical instruments, singing and having lots of fun too! Please continue to pray for these special people in Achill.

Maurice and Gretta Patterson

In July I travelled to Achill where, originally in 2002, I began door-to-door outreach. As I visited homes on Achill with team members I had the impression that this work is now an accepted event among the local people.

Ed Smyth

Gilbert Beck, Ian Kennedy, Ed Smyth and I distributed Gospel leaflets and invitations to the Bible Clubs and Gospel Evening at homes in Achill and the Corraun Peninsula. At three care centres we presented the Gospel through singing hymns which residents appreciated. Our speaker, Gilbert Beck, explained very clearly and simply the way of salvation. We enjoyed a very rewarding week in Achill.

Philip Hawe

Prayer Points

That God will continue to speak to the young people and family members who attended the Bible Clubs.

That God will bless those who heard the Gospel shared with them in their homes, at the Bible Clubs, the Gospel Evening and in care centres.

For the salvation of people in Achill.

ACHILL AND BELMULLET 19-26 MARCH 2019
7 team members, 7 Care Centre Meetings, 2 Cottage Meetings, 440 homes visited and booklets distributed

We were welcomed by staff and residents at three care centres in Achill and three in Belmullet. The ministry in song and Bible talks by new team member, Jim Graham, touched the hearts of those who listened. In both Achill and Belmullet we were privileged to read the Bible and pray with people in their homes. God blessed us and we believe it was a special week for all of us. **Philip Hawe**

What a great privilege it was, just after Saint Patrick's Day, to distribute a range of booklets on home-to-home outreach in Achill and encourage people to consider Saint Patrick's Saviour. It was encouraging to see the change and interest in some of the contacts and care home residents when passages from the Bible were read and explained to them. I witnessed the interest and respect that local people have for the work of IEB in this remote area which does not appear to have any form of permanent evangelical witness.

Jim Graham

Westport and Croagh Patrick Outreaches 27-28 July 2019

39 team members 5235 booklets distributed 3600 cups of tea and juice distributed



'Holding forth the Word of life' (Philippians 2:16).

It was a privilege to partner in the Gospel with IEB and Men For Missions at Croagh Patrick. This year eight of us were involved in doing outreach in Westport on the Saturday morning and early afternoon. We then joined other members of the team at Lough Lannagh for our evening meal followed by the orientation and prayer meeting. Again we sensed God's presence and unity among the team. It was a joy to distribute juice and Gospel literature to pilgrims coming off the mountain on the Sunday, and, where there was opportunity, share the Gospel in person. We look to God for a harvest.

Donald Coulter OMS Ireland

David Elwood, Mervyn Camlin and I were on the road early on Saturday morning. Thank God for the driveway being available to park the van. We were set up in good time and just had the tarpaulin on when rain started. We distributed some leaflets during the night and thankfully it dried up on Sunday morning. A good team of willing helpers distributed 5235 pieces of literature. Two young boys asked for Bibles and it was great to see them leave the stand with the Living Word of God. It is always encouraging to see new team members and hopefully this will be the start of something they will not forget. Praise the Lord for a good day of outreach and may the Holy Spirit work in the hearts of Irish people long after we are gone.

Bob and Christina Bell

Prayer Points

God's blessing upon Paudge Mulvihill, the Westport Bookshop and The Calvary Mission in County Mayo. People will come to Christ through reading Scripture and literature distributed.

That the Holy Spirit will speak to these people and that they will trust in Jesus. Permission to use driveway to park the van and put up stand next year (DV).

As we ascended the 2510 feet high 'Holy Mountain', the weather became dry with some sunny spells. We headed up along with many people completing the pilgrimage, some on bare feet. It is reported that twenty people were treated for injuries while climbing what is described as 'Ireland's most dangerous climb'. Following our descent we handed out many cups of juice to those coming down the mountain. These were received gratefully, together with Dick Keogh's booklets, *Saint Patrick from Prisoner to Preacher*. Pray that those who read them may be saved.

Keith and Esther Warwick

It was great to join the team on the mountain once again. Our girls love giving the literature to other children and Stephen climbed the mountain for the first time. Our focus was on prayer through the day, that the Holy Spirit would work in people's hearts as we gave them Gospel booklets explaining God's full and free salvation.

Stephen and Ali McClure

This was our first time to do outreach on Croagh Patrick and it was quite an experience. The pilgrims were very appreciative of the juice and the literature was very well received. Saint Patrick booklets were distributed along with calendars for 2020, children's books and CDs. We met people from France, Romania and Denmark, as well as many Irish people of all ages and even some who were climbing barefoot. It is our prayer that the booklets will be read and that people will understand the Gospel message.

David and Linda Lambertson

The Woods family, Wilfie Loane and I joined with other team members. Pilgrims were very grateful for the juice and few refused the booklets. We give God all the glory in answering prayer for the lovely day. We had a number of good conversations including two pilgrims in particular. Both accepted booklets and a CD entitled 'The Uniqueness of Christianity'.

Our prayer is that God will continue to speak to all the pilgrims who accepted booklets and bring them to saving trust in the Saviour.

Joseph Crozier

It was a worthwhile day as many pilgrims returned to their homes with God's Word in booklets they received.

Harry and Hazel Dunwoody

We had a good number of folks helping us and this meant that the workload was not left to a few of us. We had good conversations with pilgrims, but our main task was to distribute as many Saint Patrick booklets as possible. These were well received and some people asked for more. We were encouraged that many children's books, calendars and other booklets were well accepted.

Reuben and Carol Kirkland

Westport Team – Donald Coulter, Rachel Bingham, Adam Riley, Norman Quinn, Stephen Ballantine, Mervyn Smith, Harry and Valerie Douglas.

Oh how graciously God answers prayer! We were blessed with the sun shining brightly, a great team of workers gathering together and with divine appointments occurring. The sun shone, drawing people to our table of literature outside Calvary Church's 'Good News 4 U' bookshop near the Octagon where meaningful conversations were held. Many people received Saint Patrick booklets, 2020 Scripture calendars and attractive bookmarks with Gospel verses and hymns on them. Pray especially for those taken by a group of children from Paris. All of the children's literature and colouring books, with their messages of God's love for His creation, were distributed. The team of eight IEB and OMS folk, unified in the Name of Jesus, meant that many *Hope in the Storms of Life* and Saint Patrick booklets were distributed in Westport town, with many new households being reached with the Gospel. Praise God for seed sown.

Harry and Valerie Douglas

Belmullet Outreach 20-27 July 2019 7 team members 2 Gospel Evenings
4 Care Centre Meetings 1530 homes visited and booklets distributed

We thank God that He really blessed us in our days of outreach. We are grateful to Philip Hawe for giving posters and flyers for our two Gospel Evenings into shops a week earlier. With seven of us involved we had the visitation around the town and peninsula done in good time, so we also visited a



'The Lord has done great things for us; whereof we are glad' (Psalm 126:3).

This was our first outreach experience with IEB. Leaflets were distributed all around the area through to Bangor Eris. We visited

three care centres where we sang hymns and God's Word was given by Robert Swanton. We were touched by the respect and in many cases the gratitude we received from those we met. Many said, "Oh yes we know who you are. You've been here before."

There were seven on the team and we give thanks to God for the unity of the Spirit and the times of prayer and study of God's Word each day before we left the house and at night giving thanks for favour with the people. We met some people who told us about illness and bereavement in their families and asked us to pray for them. Our visits to the three care centres were very encouraging and worthwhile as we had opportunity to share the Gospel with the residents and some of the staff. They listened well and a good number joined in singing the Gospel hymns. Thanks to Neil Shaw and Ian Kennedy for their music and leading the singing and Neil for doing lots of lovely solo pieces. We praise God for His presence and protection on us in all the activities of the week. It was also a great privilege to share fellowship together as a team.

Robert and Sharon Swanton

Belmullet 2019 saw a team of seven cover the area from and including Belmullet town down as far as the Blacksod Lighthouse. We were visiting every house distributing a leaflet, *Hope in the Storms of Life*, written by Dick Keogh and an invitation to Gospel Evenings in a Heritage Centre on the Wednesday evening and a hotel in Belmullet on Thursday. We thank God for those who were spoken to and local people who came to the meetings.

Ernest Allen

I sang solos at two Gospel Evenings and there was positive feedback. The care centre meetings went very well with people joining in the singing of 'The Old Rugged Cross' and others. Pray that these words will settle in people's hearts and they will be saved.

Neil Shaw

always had a thankful heart for the daily blessings which God bestowed. She was interested in IEB outreach. We offer our heartfelt sympathy to her sons Jeffrey and Alan, daughters Aimie and Dorothy, sisters Betty, Bertha, Evelyn, Dorothy and Amy and the whole family circle.

Jim and Yvonne Graham

Prayer Points

People who struggle with health issues and bereavement.

All who received the Gospel literature, that many will read it and that God will speak to people through it.

Mr Jim Lappin from Portadown loved the Lord and went to be with Him in March 2018. He was interested in IEB, supported the work and prayed faithfully for the extension of God's kingdom. We express our sincere sympathy to his wife Bessie, son Mark, daughters Gillian and Allison, sisters Betty, Doris and Mary, brother John and the family circle.

Mrs Pansy Morrow from Bessbrook was a gracious Christian lady who was called Home in June. With her late husband Romey, they were interested in the ministry of IEB and prayed faithfully for the work of God. To her children Daphne, Carolyn, Clarence, Graeme, Loraine, Joy and Ruth and the whole family circle we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs Ann Johnston from Desertmartin was a gracious Christian lady who went to be with the Lord in November. She was interested in the ministry of IEB and prayed faithfully for the work of God. We extend our deepest sympathy to her husband George, sons Robert, David and Graham, daughters Heather, Elizabeth and Ruth, brother Bob McMullan and the wider family circle.

Mr Joe Johnston from Stonebridge, Clones was a highly-respected gentleman who was faithful in his support of IEB and was called Home in December. He attended IEB Fellowship Evenings in Monaghan and Clones and was faithful in prayer. To his wife Corrina, daughters Alison, Heather and Amanda and his son-in-law Dale Irwin, brother David, sisters Jean Maxwell, Mabel Scott and Laura Reaney and the extended family circle we express our sincere sympathy.

Mrs Maud Ritchie from Coagh trusted the Lord as a young girl and served Him for eighty-one years until she passed into His presence in December in her ninety-fifth year. She was a lady of prayer and

Mrs Kathleen Kinkead from Lurgan was a quiet lady who went to be with the Lord in December. Her husband, **Mr Billy Kinkead**, was called Home two months later. Both loved their family and were interested in IEB. To their sons George and Bobby, Kathleen's sister, Elizabeth Nesbitt and the wider family circle we extend our deepest sympathy.

Mrs Pat Hewitt from Richhill was a highly-respected lady who loved her family and was called Home in January 2019. She had an interest in IEB and helped prepare literature for outreaches. We express our sincere sympathy to her daughter Honor Graham, son-in-law Brian, brother Rodney Sinton, sister Valerie Acton and the family circle.

Mr Sam McMullan from Bush, Dungannon, loved and served his Lord and went to be with Him in January in his ninety-sixth year. He was responsible for running Sunday Gospel Meetings and The Faith Mission Prayer Union in the Bush Hall. He prayed much for the work of many missionary societies. To his wife Daisy, children Shirley, David, Pauline, Andrew and Nigel, brothers Robbie, Horace and Drew and the family circle we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr Jack Cargill from Glaslough was a highly-esteemed gentleman who was called Home in January. He lived a godly life and had a great interest in missionary work. He attended IEB Fellowship Evenings and was faithful in prayer. We extend our deepest sympathy to his wife Pearl, family Lois, John, Eunice and Sam and the family circle.

Tributes to Very Special People in the IEB Family

Mrs Jean McBride from Kilkeel was a gracious Christian lady who went to be with the Lord in January. She prayed faithfully for the extension of God's Kingdom worldwide. She was interested in and supported the work of IEB both prayerfully and practically for many years. To her son Godfrey, sister-in-law Roberta and the extended family circle we express our sincere sympathy.

Mr Jack Gray from Hamiltonsbawn loved his family and was called Home in February. He was a hardworking farmer who loved the simple things of life and was well known. He had his faith in God and was interested in IEB. We offer our heartfelt sympathy to his wife Ruth, children Helen, Paul, Janet, Sandra and Carol and the whole family circle.

Mrs Jean Hewitt from Richhill was a highly-respected lady who loved her family and went to be with the Lord in February. She was actively involved in helping her son Graham in the 'Showers of Blessing' radio ministry. She was interested in IEB and prayed faithfully for the extension of God's kingdom. To her sons Malcolm, Raymond, Graham and Hampton, brother George, sister Doris and the wider family circle we extend our deepest sympathy.

Mr William Alcorn from Fanad, County Donegal was a hardworking farmer, called Home in February. IEB team members often visited his home where they were welcomed by William and his late wife, Fannie. William listened attentively as Bible truths were discussed and he always promised to read the Gospel booklets. We express our sincere sympathy to his sister-in-law Jean Poole, nephews, nieces and the family circle.

Mr Thomas Kirkland from Mallusk was a highly-respected Christian gentleman who loved his family and went to be with the Lord in March in his ninety-fifth year. His godly life and quiet witness were an example to everyone. He was interested in the work of OMS and IEB and prayed faithfully for the work of God. To his children Amy, Harold, Sadie, Reuben, Raymond and Trevor and the whole family circle we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs Audrey Percival from Brookeborough loved her Lord and faithfully served Him until she went Home to Glory in March. She had a deep Christian faith and prayed much for those involved in the work of God. She was interested in IEB outreach in Ireland and supported the work. We extend our deepest sympathy to her nephews, nieces and the wider family circle.

Mr Colin Cromie from Lisburn was a highly-esteemed gentleman who went to be with the Lord in March. Colin was a dedicated evangelist, serving his Lord



with IEB and other missionary organisations. Colin worked on most of the IEB outreach teams. He was very involved with the Belmullet outreach and was responsible for the catering, serving meals which everyone enjoyed.

In Belmullet Colin made contact with local people with whom he had spiritual conversations and they remember him as a godly man who made a lasting impression on their lives. Colin was also the leader of teams which distributed literature at Saint Patrick's Day events in Westport and Downpatrick. In the last few years Colin had a more local ministry in evangelism in Lisburn or as he took the train to Dublin and used it as an opportunity to witness to people whom he met. Only eternity will reveal all that was accomplished through his faithful ministry. Colin was a man of prayer and walked closely with the Lord right up until his Homecall. To his wife Doris, children Jonathan, Geoffrey and Louise, brother Ernie and the extended family circle we express our sincere sympathy.

Mrs Evelyn Murphy from Portadown was a most gracious lady who was called Home in March. She lived a godly life to God's glory, was faithful in the place of prayer and supported the ministry of IEB. We offer our heartfelt sympathy to her husband Alan, daughters Heather McQueen and Ruth Douglas, sister Helen Boyce and the whole family circle.

Miss Muriel Elliott from Ballintra, County Donegal was a highly-respected Christian lady who went to be with her Lord in April. Her godly, consistent Christian life influenced many lives for God and was an example to everyone. She was a Methodist local preacher. She faithfully served God in Cavan Christian Bookshop where she endeared herself to many people. She was interested in IEB and prayed faithfully for her family and the work of God. To her sister Maisie Corrigan, brother-in-law Roy,

Tributes to Very Special People in the IEB Family

nephews Ian and Everett, niece Sonia and the wider family circle we extend our deepest sympathy.

Mr George Baskin from Castledearg was a highly-esteemed gentleman who was called Home in April. He had a wonderful sense of humour which caused many people to smile. He was saved at a mission conducted by Faith Mission pilgrims Mr Sam Workman and Mr Bobby Dukelow, in Portlaoise. Afterwards he was dedicated to serving his Lord. When he moved north to live he gave his testimony at many of Sam Workman's missions and showed Billy Graham videos in many places. He was Castledearg Faith Mission Prayer Union representative from 1966. He had a great interest in missionary societies, faithfully supported the work of IEB and was active in the place of prayer. His godly life was an example to everyone and influenced many lives for God. Only eternity will reveal all that was accomplished through his faithful ministry. The Homecall of their daughter, Joan, caused them sadness but they have the great comfort that Joan is 'with the Lord which is far better'. We express our sincere sympathy to George's wife Sadie, son Noel, daughter-in-law Doreen, son-in-law Tony, grandchildren and the extended family circle.

Mrs Gladys Oliver from Castleblayney was a most gracious lady who dearly loved her family and went to be with the Lord in April. She was interested in the work of IEB and helped organise Castleblayney Fellowship Evening in the Presbyterian Church. To her husband Lexie, family Wendy, Wynn, Gillian and Niall, brothers William, Cedric and Derek, sister Hazel and the whole family circle we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs Olive Gillanders from Monaghan was a highly-esteemed lady who went to be with her Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ in April. She was devoted to her family including her sixteen grandchildren. Her godly life was an example to everyone and influenced many lives for God. She prayed much for the extension of God's Kingdom. She faithfully supported the ministry of IEB and was involved in evangelism and outreach. We extend our deepest sympathy to her son Jimmy, daughters Bertha Taylor, Ruth Hughes and Wendy Steenson, daughter-in-law Jennifer, sons-in-law Ken, Philip and Ian, sisters Kathleen Quinn, Annie McConkey, Elsie Brown, Eileen Robbins, Dorothy Kidd, grandchildren, great grandchild and the wider family circle.

Mr William McClelland from Clare, Tandragee was a humble, gracious gentleman who was called Home in May in his eighty-ninth year. His kindness touched many lives and he lived his life for God's glory. He had a great understanding of Bible truths and before his Homecall he shared these insights with those who visited him. He was always interested in the work of God in Ireland and faithfully supported the ministry of IEB. To his wife Edna, brother Robert, nephews, nieces and the extended family circle we express our sincere sympathy.

Mr Addison Clingen from Lisnaskea loved and served his Lord until he went to be with Him in May in his ninety-third year. He had a deep Christian faith and prayed much for those involved in the work of God. He had a great interest in the work of God in Cavan and this included spending time working in Cavan Christian Bookshop. We offer our heartfelt sympathy to his sons Richard and Barrie, daughters Jill and Joanne and the whole family circle.

Mr George Wilson from Lurgan loved his family and was called Home in June. He had a quiet faith in God and he loved to have Psalm 23 read to him. His desire was that his children would follow the Christian pathway. With his wife Gladys they faithfully supported the work of IEB. The Homecall of their son, George, in 2012, caused them sadness but they have the great comfort that George is 'with the Lord which is far better'. To his wife Gladys, children Paul, Colyn, Sharon, Glenda and Jill, sister Elizabeth and the wider family circle we extend our deepest sympathy.

Mrs Lily Coulter from Tempo was a highly-respected lady who loved her family and went to be with the Lord in June. She had a long association with IEB and attended meetings conducted by workers of IEB. She loved God's Word and prayed faithfully for the extension of God's kingdom. We express our sincere sympathy to her sons David and Donald, daughter Betty Galloway and the extended family circle.

Mr Billy Abernethy from Dungannon was an example to everyone of a true servant of Christ and was called Home in July. He lived his life to God's glory and his kindness touched many lives. He was faithful in the place of prayer, was interested in the work of many Missions and faithfully supported the ministry of IEB. To his wife Eva, sons Trevor, Philip and Ralph, brother Eddie, sister Kathleen Booth and the whole family circle we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr George Knox from Braddox in County Monaghan went to be with the Lord in July. He was saved as a young man at a mission in the little hall just next door to the family home where he lived for nearly all his life. George often spoke about the IEB with great fondness. He was a very popular gentleman who over the years really enjoyed IEB Fellowship Evenings at Castleblayney, Monaghan and Clogher. George took a great interest in IEB and very much appreciated the great work that the folk involved with IEB did and continue to do. A favourite Gospel song of George's includes the following words, 'Days are filled with sorrow and care. Hearts are lonely and drear. Burdens are lifted at Calvary. Jesus is very near. Cast your care on Jesus today. Leave your worry and fear. Burdens are lifted at Calvary. Jesus is very near'. The life of George Knox is a reminder to us all that God is One to whom we can bring our burdens, knowing that He will sustain us and that He will never leave us nor forsake us once we have come to Him. We extend our deepest sympathy to his sister-in-law Louise Knox, nephew David, nieces Dorothy Davidson and Hazel Patterson and the wider family circle. (Tribute written by Rev David Hagan).



CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR OUTREACH (DV)

Achill/Belmullet 2019

Saturday 9 to Saturday 23 November

Fanad County Donegal 2019

Wed 27 November to Sat 14 December

Roscommon/Mayo/Leitrim 2019/20

Fri 27 December to Sat 4 January

Achill/Belmullet 2020

Thursday 19 to Thursday 26 March

IEB/OMS OUTREACH REUNION EVENING

Epworth Methodist Church, Portadown

Saturday 8 February 2020 at 7pm

Speaker Rev Mervyn Carter

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY OUTREACH 2020

Various Venues Tuesday 17 March

WEST OF IRELAND CONVENTION 2020

Sligo Presbyterian Church

Saturday 9 May at 8pm

and Sunday 10 May at 3.30 and 7pm

Guest Speaker Archdeacon David Huss



Fellowship Evenings 2019/20 (DV)

Corick House Annual Fellowship Evening and Dinner

Friday 11 October at 7pm

Speaker Mr Trevor Matthews

Singing Ballybay Country Gospel Group

Strabane Thursday 10 October at 8pm

Speaker Rev Mark Shaw

Camagh Saturday 19 October at 8pm

Speaker Rev Canon Neville Hughes

Portadown Thursday 24 October at 8pm

Speakers Mr Norman Wilkinson

Rev Alan Wardlow

Kinnego Sabbath School Hall, Loughgall

Saturday 1 February at 7.30pm

Speaker Rev William Park

Derrycarne Sunday 9 February 8.15pm

Speaker Mr Gilbert Beck

Castleblayney February

to be confirmed

Ballinagh Friday 28 February at 8pm

Speaker Rev Samuel Aiken

Castleberg Friday 6 March at 8pm

Speaker Rev John Beacom

Banbridge Baptist Church

Wednesday 11 March at 8pm

Speaker Mr Gilbert Beck

Monaghan Tuesday 17 March at 8pm

Speaker Rev Malcolm Kingston

Enniskillen Friday 3 April at 8pm

Speaker Rev Lorna Dreening

Larne Congregational Church Thursday

9 April at 8pm Outreach Team Reports

Clones Easter Monday 13 April at 8pm

Speaker Rev Dr Jean Mackarel

Mavemacullen Saturday 18 April at 8pm

Speaker Mr Boyd George

Desertmartin Sunday 19 April at 8pm

Speaker Mr David Collins

Drumcree, Portadown

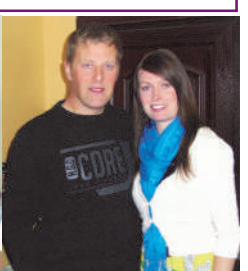
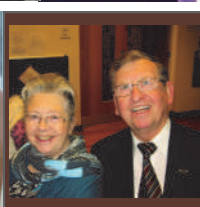
Monday 20 April at 8pm

Speaker Rev Canon Neville Hughes

Clogher Tuesday 5 May at 8pm

Speaker Rev Ken Robinson

All dates in the will of the Lord.



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