

- Give thanks for the commitment of those from Knock Presbyterian Church who have led this work for several years and the difference their support has made in the lives of individual children.
- Pray that finances will be found to continue to fund Eddie Spence, our Church Worker, whose involvement in the life and witness of Westbourne has been integral to our growth and outreach.

HOME & IRISH MISSION

Naas Presbyterian Church – Revd Colin Gamble

Naas Presbyterian Church was recently featured on Kildare FM, a local radio station. Colin was able to talk about what we believe and what the Presbyterian Church is like.

Pray for:

- Pray that those who were listening to the programme would come and join us.

Praise for:

- Several new families have been coming to the church recently. Please pray that they will attend regularly and become members.

Rathmullan Presbyterian Church – Revd Janice Browne

Pray for:

- I would appreciate prayer in these early stages of my ministry in Rathmullan. We have seen our average attendance in Rathmullan increase from around 25 per week to 35, so we give thanks and praise to God for that.

Carlow & Athy – William Workman

Praise for:

- Give thanks for the Praise Service in Carlow and Athy on 24 and 25 April, by Trinity Praise Group from Trinity Presbyterian Church in Ballymoney. A good number of people came to each of the services and a clear gospel message was presented.

Pray for:

- The Discipleship Explored course in Athy finished on 25 April. Eleven people took part, although some only came occasionally. Those who attended regularly have

requested that we continue to meet to study the Bible, so we will be meeting weekly from Sunday 9 May in Athy church hall. Please pray for this meeting.

- Pray for our Summer Outreach teams from America and Ballymoney. It is proving difficult to get people who are available to join the teams.

Deaconesses

Sharon Heron - Strand Presbyterian Church

Pray for:

- Pray for the continued work within the English Language classes being held every Saturday morning.

Doreen Draffin - Whitehouse Presbyterian Church

Praise for:

- Praise for follow up to the Alpha course.
- Praise for the Pastoral Care Course.