

FIRST PORTADOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Mission Plan 2010 to 2015
(Reviewed by Session 24.9.2013)
PASSION for CHRIST COMPASSION for PEOPLE

GOALS	ACTION	FACILITY	EVALUATION
PRAYER To increase the number of people praying for the conversion of the lost and the advancement of Christ's Kingdom	Encourage every active communicant to be involved in praying with others for the advance of Christ's Kingdom	Prayer meetings Sunday 8am and 6.15pm Wednesday (Men's) 7.30am Wednesday 7:30pm Friday 9pm Women's Prayer Groups	Prayer life of the congregation reviewed regularly by Session and Discipleship/Prayer subcommittee
	Encourage leaders of each activity to pray regularly for their specific group and seek prayer support from church fellowship	Activity based prayer times Information to Prayer diary	Discipleship/Prayer sub-committees
GLOBAL MISSION To encourage the congregation to play its part in the fulfilment of the Great Commission, sending and supporting missionaries	Create awareness of worldwide needs required to fulfil the Great Commission.	Regular Mission exposure for whole of congregation. Church Trips/Mission teams Quarterly Mission Feature. Window on the World (Evening service)	Session Missionary Sub-Committee
	Provide advice, practical care financial and prayer support to potential candidates and existing missionaries	Minister. Missionary Committee Prayer in services Information in Prayer Diary PCI Board of Mission	Session approves all candidates.

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EVANGELISM To present the Gospel clearly and appropriately to those who are not yet Christians	Presenting the Gospel to those who come into our premises:-	Church Services - Sunday Schools Bible Classes - Youth Fellowship Children's Church Boys Brigade - Guides Holiday Bible Club Chatterbox Edenderry CE English Classes and Basketball practices for non Nationals Lads Dads and Granddads Edenderry Fellowship Christianity Explored Choir and Music ministry	Sub-Committees of Session - Human Resources Evangelism & Youth/Family
	Presenting the Gospel to those who do not come into our premises:-	Visitation in homes and hospitals. Tape/CD ministry School assemblies Nightlight New Hope Kids Club Thrift Shop Christianity Explored	Pastoral team and elders Edenderry Ministries Evangelism Sub-Committee

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<p>DISCIPLESHIP To nurture those who have committed their lives to Jesus Christ</p>	<p>Provide teaching from God's word that grows the faith of all who have faith in Jesus Christ</p>	<p>Church Services - Sunday Schools Bible Classes - Youth Fellowship Children's Church Boys Brigade - Girl Guides Edenderry CE Senior CE Presbyterian Women Mid Week Fellowship Discipleship Groups Reading Group Choir and Music ministry</p>	<p>Session through Sub-Committees of : Christian Education Discipleship/Prayer Human Resources</p>

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TRAINING To prepare people for works of service	To involve more people in active personal evangelism	Offer appropriate training courses. Encourage each organisation to have an orientation to evangelism and mission.	Evangelism Sub-committee Human Resources Sub-committee
	To develop leadership and help people use their gifts in ministry	Start leadership development course.	Minister/Session/Elders
INFLUENCE To seek to influence society. Salt and Light	Promote the Gospel and our ministries in the community	Buzz church magazine	Editorial committee/Session
		Church Website	Pastoral team/Website manager(ess)/Session
		Forge stronger link with Edenderry Residents' Association	Session
		Edenderry Ministries	