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IN IRELAND

DAY 1

ANTRIM: Philip Vance, Richard Mayrs (CO)(p/t)
ARMAGH: Ian Grant, Graham Dougan (Asst)(p/t), Andrew Moorcroft (Asst)
ATHLONE: Dominic Montgomery
BALBRIGGAN (Fingal): James Wadsworth
ASSOCIATION: Dave Ramsey (Director)
ASSOCIATION: Edwin Ewart (President)
ASSOCIATION: Steven Curry (Vice-President)

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DAY 2

BALLYCROCHAN (Bangor):
Neil Watson, Benjamin McKay (Asst)
BALLYCULLEN (Dublin): Jeff Hay, Philomena Fitzpatrick (Y)
BALLYGOMARTIN: Seamus Bradley
BALLYKEEL: Andrew Campbell
ASSOCIATION: Executive Committee
COLLEGE: Jonathan McCloughlin (Principal)
RETIRED: Lindsay Allen

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DAY 3

BALLYMENA: Steven Curry, James Russell (A), Joshua Cairns (C/F)
BALLYMONEY: John McDermott, Amos Kennedy (PA) (MPS)
BALLYNAHINCH: Peter Lawther, Matthew Reid (Asst)
BANBRIDGE: Vacant
ASSOCIATION: Finance Committee
COLLEGE: David Ball (College Management Director)
RETIRED: Alan Baird
RETIRED: David Baird

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DAY 4

BELTURBET: Vacant
BETHANY (Bangor): Richard Blayney
BLACKROCK (Dublin): Richard McConnell (BM)
BRANNOCKSTOWN: Joshua Patterson
ASSOCIATION: Corporation Directors
COLLEGE: David Luke (Tutor)
RETIRED: Norman Barr
RETIRED: Derek Baxter

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DAY 5

CALVARY (Belfast): Jackie King
CARNDAISY: Vacant
CARR: David Cameron
CARRICKFERGUS: Gareth Bell
COLLEGE: Peter Firth (Tutor)
RETIRED: John and Lourdes Brew (BM)
RETIRED: Trevor Brock
RETIRED: Philip Brown

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DAY 6

CARRICKMACROSS: Colin Creighton, Tim McFarland
CARRIGALINE: Jonny Grant
CARRIGTWOHILL: Seth Lewis (S)
CARRYDUFF: Gordon Walker
CASTLEDERG: Jude Colhoun
COLLEGE: Davy Ellison (Tutor) (Director of Training)
RETIRED: Alistair Campbell

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DAY 7

CASTLEREAGH: Vacant
CAVAN: Ivan Watson
CLADY WATER (Templepatrick): Ed Bisset
COAGH: Vacant
COLLEGE: Management Committee
COLLEGE: Lynette Simpson (Registrar)
RETIRED: Gordon Cardwell

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DAY 8

COLERAINE: Ben Davis, Reuben Russell (MPS)
COMBER: Neal Gordon
COOKSTOWN: Vacant, Andrew Walker
CORK: Peter Kenny
COLLEGE: Visiting lecturers
COLLEGE: Students
RETIRED: Harold Chambers
RETIRED: William Colville

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DAY 9

CRAIGAVON: Paul Savage, Henry Capper (Y/CO)
CREGAGH: Vacant
CRUMLIN: Barrie Clingen
DONAGHADEE: Jonathan Burke
COLLEGE: Committees
COLLEGE: Claire McNabb (Librarian)(p/t)
COLLEGE: Deborah McLaughlin (Admin)(p/t)
RETIRED: Raymond Compton
RETIRED: Wesley Crawford

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DAY 10

DOUGLAS: Vacant
DROMORE: Vacant, Phil Kelly (A)
DUNAMANAGH: Vacant
DUNDALK: Michael Emadi
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Mervyn Scott (Director)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Joanne Dunstan (PA to Director)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Tracy Ellison (Project Admin)(p/t)
RETIRED: Dessie Creelman
RETIRED: John and Grace Cunningham (BM)
RETIRED: Sarah Dalrymple (BM) (IBC)

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DAY 11

DUNDONALD: Richard McCord
DUNGANNON: Richard Alhadeff
DUNSEVERICK: William Jones
EAST END: Stephen Walker
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Laetitia Anstett (Marseille, France)(Aff)
RETIRED: Eddie Dorney
RETIRED: Harry Dowds
RETIRED: Val English

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DAY 12

EMMANUEL (Lisburn): Vacant
ENNISKILLEN: Vacant
FINAGHY: Gary Ellison
FURBO (Galway): John Humphries
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Philip and Rachel Moore (Central Paris, France)(Aff)
BAPTIST WOMEN: Gail Curry (Director)
RETIRED: Walter Entwistle
RETIRED: Joe Flanagan

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DAY 13

GALWAY CITY: Jason Post (S)
GILNAHIRK: Drew Steele
GLENGORMLEY: Jonathan Rea
GORTMERRON: Lewis Stephenson
BAPTIST MISSIONS: David and Hannah Sandall (Bram, France)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Evan and Rachel Bachtold (Virginia, Ireland)(Aff)

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DAY 14

GRACE (Dublin): Pat Mullen
GRACE (Killarney): Mark Webb (S)
GRACE (Tullycarnet): Vacant
GRANGE: Peter Craig
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Shane and Luana Deane (Passage West, Ireland)
BAPTIST YOUTH: Andrew McAuley (Director)
RETIRED: Rea Grant

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DAY 15

GREAT VICTORIA STREET (Belfast): Steve Auld, Simon Farewell (Asst)
GREENISLAND: Michael Wylie, Phil Howe (D)
GROSVENOR ROAD (Dublin): Ed Neill, Martin Parker (A/T), Conor Deering (Y), Leanne Smyth (C/W)
GROVE: Joshua Truesdale
BAPTIST YOUTH: James Robinson – Amazing Journey
BAPTIST MISSIONS: David and Pamela Dickson (Bellaghy, Ireland)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Colin and Debbie Gervais (Fermanagh/Monaghan, Ireland)
RETIRED: Clem Hegarty

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DAY 16

HAMILTON ROAD (Bangor): Jonathan McClaughlin, Keith McIlwaine (A), Chris McGuire (A), Alan Cowan (Y), Tania Kelly-Baker (WPC)(p/t), Sara McCrea (WPC)(p/t)
HOLYWOOD: Alistair McNeice, Aaron Williamson (A)
JAMESTOWN ROAD (Dublin): Alan Neely
KEADY: Paul McAdam
BAPTIST YOUTH: Irene McCandless (Admin)(p/t)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Len and Joyce Keys (Clogher, Ireland) (Aff)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: William and Yvonne Kidd (Waterford, Ireland)
RETIRED: Silas Henry
RETIRED: Jackie Hughes

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DAY 17

KILKEEL: George McConnell
KILLICOMAINE: Paul Craig
KILLYLEAGH: William Creighton, Joseph Beggs (A)
KILREA: Vacant
BAPTIST YOUTH: Management Committee
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Joel and Katya Marcus (Belturbet, Ireland)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Richard and Mandy McConnell (Blackrock, Dublin, Ireland)
RETIRED: Leslie Hutchinson
RETIRED: Winston Jordan

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DAY 18

KINSALE: Craig Maiden
KIRCUBBIN: Stephen Garrett (p/t), Phil Derrick (p/t)
KNOCKCONNY: Vacant, John Birnie (PC)(R)
LARNE: Simon Curry, Andrew Gray (PA)(MPS)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: David and Afaf McConville (Nenagh, Ireland)(Aff)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Paul and Kate McFarland (Youghal, Ireland)
MINISTRY SUPPORT: Colin Cooper
RETIRED: Denis Lyle

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DAY 19

LETTERKENNY: Stephen Wilson
LIMAVADY: Vacant
LIMERICK: Paul Ritchie
LISBURN: Daniel Ashby, Peter Cooper (MPS)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Matt and Jules Tuttlebee (Bundoran, Ireland)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Sam and Lucy Urey (Limerick, Ireland)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Cormac and Áine Walsh (Ashtown, North Dublin, Ireland)
RETIRED: Victor Maxwell

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DAY 20

LISNAGLEER: David Burke (p/t)
LIVING HOPE (Trim): Ciaran Loughran
LURGAN: Jonathan Ormerod
MAGHERAFELT: Vacant
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Javier Alanoca (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Julio and Esmeralda Alanoca (Ite, Peru)
RETIRED: Jim McBratney
RETIRED: Freddie McClaughlin

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DAY 21

MIDDLETON: Kevin O'Connor
MILLISLE: Chris Banks, George Morrow (p/t)
MILLTOWN: William Warren
MOIRA: Mark Patterson, Jonny Dodds (Asst)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Elizabeth Almanza (Tacna, Peru)
RETIRED: David McFarland
RETIRED: Albert McDonald

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DAY 22

MONKSTOWN: Philip Cameron
MULLAGHMEEN: Andrew Compton
NAAS: Vacant
NEWAGH: David McConville (BM)(Aff)
NEWCASTLE: Nathan Lyons, David Whitmarsh (I)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Ymy and Lidia Calani (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Jerson and Esther Caro (Tacna, Peru)
RETIRED: Tom McClaughlin

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DAY 23

NEWRY: Dylan Marouf
NEWTOWNARDS: Richard Donnan, Deborah McLaughlin (CW)(p/t)
NEWTOWNBREDA: Pablo Murphy, Jonny Wright (A), Sam Haighton (E), Gillian Carlisle (PC), Liz Barclay (PC)(p/t), Scott Johnston (Y), Kat Madden (C), Falemaka Vave (CO)(p/t) Suzanne Halliday (C)
NORTH BELFAST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP: David Burke
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Javier and Janeth Chile (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Carlos and Isabel Copa (Ilo, Peru)
RETIRED: Rob Millar

DAY 24

NORTH CITY (DUBLIN): Vacant
OMAGH: Robert Singleton
PASSAGE (Cork): Vacant
PORTADOWN: Vacant
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Julio Mamani (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Angel and Sonia Mamani (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Jimmy Huamani (Seminary, Tacna)
RETIRED: Hamilton Moore
RETIRED: Clifford Morrison

DAY 25

PORTRUSH: Alan Hoey
PORTSTEWART: Jonny McGreevy, David Frazer (E), Daniel Peters (Y), Oliver Rea (WA), Luke Taylor (CO), Patricia Dixon (PC)(p/t)
POYNTZPASS: David Moore
RATHCOOLE: Michael Fleming
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Tito and Amanda Pari (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Richard and Fany Roque (Ite, Peru)
RETIRED: David Morrell
RETIRED: Jim Murdoch

DAY 26

RATHFRILAND: Ian Wilson
RICHILL PARK (Londonderry): Olly Roebuck
SAINTFIELD: Philip Boles
SHANKILL (Belfast): Andrew Daly
ASSOCIATION ADMIN: Barrie Colgan (Finance)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Elisario and Esther Vargas (Tacna, Peru)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Henry and Sonia Zegarra (Carumas, Peru)
RETIRED: Dennis Murphy
RETIRED: William Reid

DAY 27

SION MILLS: Vacant
SLIGO: Kirk Poth (S)
STONEPARK: Vacant
STRANDTOWN: Lee Campbell, Michael Shaw (A), Sam Crawford (Y), Joanne Scott (PC)(p/t), Nicola Emerson (C/F)
ASSOCIATION: Nigel McQuillan (Operations)
ASSOCIATION: Matthew Campbell (Media)(p/t)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Andrew and Rosalia Elliott (Dromore and Spain)
RETIRED: Gerald Rodgers

DAY 28

SWORDS: Jonathan Holland, Rafael Escossia (Y/F)
TANDRAGEE: David Patterson
THURLES: Stephen McAuley (I)
TOBERMORE: Alan Dundas
ASSOCIATION ADMIN STAFF: Agnes Borland (Magazine)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Andrew and Ruth Reid (Barcelona, Spain)
RETIRED: David Scott
RETIRED: Harvey Shaw

DAY 29

TRALEE: Vacant
TULLAMORE BIBLE CHURCH: Chris Stoll (S)
WARRENPOINT: Derek Freeburn (p/t)
WATERFORD: William Kidd (BM)
ASSOCIATION ADMIN STAFF: Lisa Esler (Reception)
BAPTIST MISSIONS: Management Committee
RETIRED: Norman Shields
RETIRED: John Taylor
RETIRED: Geoffrey Ward

DAY 30

WESTSIDE: Vacant
WHITEHEAD: Jonny Dowds
WINDSOR: David Dunlop, Gordon Darragh (A), Mark Houston (A), Kerry Fee (CO), Claire Breakwell (C/F)(p/t), Bethany Salami (C/F)(p/t)
YOUGHAL: Vacant
ASSOCIATION ADMIN STAFF: Alison Wasson (Accounts)(p/t)
RETIRED: Hadden Wilson
RETIRED: Nigel Younge (IBC)

DAY 31

BAPTIST MISSIONS: Mission partners – ABWE, AEEBLF, FIEIDE, WorldVenture
ASSOCIATION: Churches’ Council – (May and November)
ASSOCIATION: Editorial Committee – (INSIGHT)
ASSOCIATION: Irish Baptist Historical Society

ABBREVIATIONS

A: Associate Pastor/Worker
Aff: BM Affiliate
Asst: Assistant Pastor
BM: Baptist Missions
C: Children’s Work
CMD: College Management Director
CO: Community Outreach
CW: Church Worker
D: Pastor for Discipleship
E: Executive Pastor
F: Family Worker
I: Interim Pastor
MA: Ministry Apprentice
MPS: Ministry Partnership Scheme
O: Pastor for Outreach and Evangelism
p/t: Part-time post
PA: Pastoral Assistant
PA to Director: Personal Assistant
PC: Pastoral Care
R: Retired Pastor or Baptist Missions Worker
S: Seconded from another organisation
T: Pastor with responsibility for Training
V: Volunteer
W: Women’s work
WA: Worship Associate
WPC: Women’s Pastoral Care
Y: Youth Pastor

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