

Preparations for a new Voters' List

The following is an extract from The Code of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland:

- (1) Voting members in the Church are communicants on the roll of the congregation who are listed, whether by name or number, as having contributed to the stipend or weekly freewill offering of the congregation in the last financial year.
- (2) In addition to those so listed the following shall also be qualified, if themselves communicants on the roll –
 - (a) A wife shall be qualified on a husband's contribution, and vice versa, where both are communicants. This shall also apply should the contributor himself or herself not be a communicant. If neither husband nor wife in such circumstances is a communicant, then their contribution shall qualify the eldest child, residing in the family, who is on the communicants' roll.
 - (b) Should a contributor, who is not a communicant, be a member of a family residing together, then his contribution shall qualify the eldest member residing in the family who is on the communicants' roll.
 - (c) Those who have been added to the communicants' roll of the congregation since the close of the last financial year, upon confirmation by the treasurer that they have contributed during the current year, shall also be qualified voters.

If anyone wishes to ensure that they are on the voters list and are unsure if they meet the eligibility requirements, please speak to Alison in the Church Office or any of the elders.

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Clerk of Session