

Westview Baptist Church

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“people learning to live Jesus’ way”

Sunday, 7th April, 2013

Our purpose is to bring glory to God. We will do this as we:

1. are transformed by enjoying Christ;
 2. love by serving others; and
 3. proclaim Jesus by faithfully living in a fallen world
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Transformed by Enjoying Christ

Teaching Today

This week we have a graphic illustration of what Jesus means when he says he is the light of the world. When Jesus brings sight to a blind man, it leads to him becoming a follower of Jesus when he agrees with the truth of who Jesus is. The light of Jesus changes his life, but those who reject Jesus run the risk of becoming spiritually blind and lost forever.

Love and Service

Church Directory

Small correction in the church directory. Hazel Misra lives in Cygnus Close (not Cyprus) and a typo with Cornel Misra (not Corwel).

Up and Coming

Community Prayer Night 28th April.

Family News and Prayers

Margaret would appreciate continued prayer as her brother Warren continues his treatment with with cancer.

Much is happening in the Co family. Keep Freddie in your prayers as he undertakes hydrotherapy. Juliet is to have gallbladder surgery on the 15th April. Many will remember Julie Anne their daughter who is getting married on 27th April.

Sue writes... "Thank you all for your prayer support. You have indeed covered me with your prayers. Even though my heart was anxious and unsettled on Sunday... I woke up on Monday feeling at peace." There was a very positive outcome to a difficult family situation. We thank God for that.

Happy birthday to Bill who turns 65 today! We can thank God for Bill and the whole Harvey family. We pray it will be a happy day for him!

John would like to make know the FGB Dinner is on 15th April. Please see him for more information.

Living Faithfully in Our World

Westview on Mission

JJ will be on college mission in Greenacre area. It will be a great opportunity to learn but also communicate the message of the gospel. [A sheet is available](#) for people to pray.

Doonside High Need

Are you able to help out with a breakfast club at Doonside High? If you are interested in find out more, please talk to Tony.

Mission Project 2013

Fulfulde Ministry Training Centre (FMTC) - The

Wodaabe are a nomadic people who make their home in the sandy, windswept margins of the Sahara Desert in modern-day Niger. They are a subgroup of the Fulani.

The Wodaabe roam the semi-arid regions of south western Niger and northern Nigeria. They live in the bush where the landscape consists of sand-swept plains, dusted with green in the rainy season and dotted by a few small trees. Despite the apparent isolation, people, camels, donkeys, sheep and goats appear out of nowhere! Visiting Wodaabe in the bush is not easy. The groups move about and are hard to find since their tracks disappear in the shifting sand.

Most Wodaabe are cattle herders and traders. Unlike some Fulani who have settled in towns over time, the Wodaabe remain nomadic, roaming between villages and wells in a constant search for water and grazing land. They trade dairy products as well as a uniquely woven and dyed fabric that brings a high price in markets across West Africa and around the world.

SIM is looking for more workers to serve the Wodaabe people, to live among them and share the good news of Jesus' love. Pray that the Lord would raise up workers to accomplish the task of evangelism and to disciple new Wodaabe Christians.

COBIS Changes

Tash will be leaving BGHS to work full time with autistic children. We are very happy for her and are now looking for a replacement. Please pray for the selection process and a smooth transition.

Teaching Notes Jesus the true light.

The question why (John 9:1-5)

The true light (John 1:4-5, 9-12)

Jesus heals: more questions (John 9:6-12)

The prophecy (Isaiah 42:6-7)

The Pharisees are divided (John 9:13-17)

Jesus' defence of his Sabbath work (John 5:16-18)

Call the parents (John 9:18-23)

The 2nd examination (John 9:24-34)

Saved! (John 9:35-38)

Son of Man (Daniel 9:13-14)

None so blind..... (John 9:39-41)

Receiving life is simply answering Jesus' question: 'Do you believe in the Son of Man?'

Increasing understanding, development of faith

1. Jesus is a p_____
2. He o_____ my e_____
3. Jesus is from G_____
4. Jesus is L_____

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