

Another gem from Jeremiah:

He has made the earth by His power; He has established the world by His wisdom; And stretched out the heaven by His understanding.

Jeremiah 51:15 NKJV

No problem!



From the Pastor's Facebook page - see "From the Pastor's holiday", inside.

Is it in the Bible?

Does the Bible *really* teach:

That Enoch and Elijah went straight to Heaven without dying? True/False

That there is no other name than Jesus for salvation? T/F

That the sun only shines on the righteous? T/F

That God can do anything? T/F

That money is the root of all evil? T/F

That you are closer to God's heart in the garden? T/F

Answers in next month's issue!



Eleven years of news

Yes, that's right, our first issue was published in June 2008. Much has changed since, including the design of this newsletter. There are new faces in our services and at the *Aroma* coffee mornings, which had been going for just a couple of months when Issue Number 1 was printed in June 2008. Our first edition led with the news that we had a new Moderator to guide the Church - we didn't have a Pastor then. Some things are just the same - we still preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and aim to be "The friendly Church".

"Aroma" celebration

The eleventh anniversary of the coffee mornings at the end of April came after our May issue was printed. Back in 2008 it was called *Aroma Meeting Point*, that soon got shortened! There were fewer there this April due to other events but they will be back.

In this issue:

My favourite hymn - this month it is a traditional choice.

Two special dates - For your diary.

Jeremiah gets on Facebook (with the Pastor's help) - back page.

My favourite hymn

by Christine Beacham

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven, To His feet thy tribute bring; Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Who like thee His praise should sing? Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise the everlasting King.

Father-like, He tends and spares us, Well our feeble frame He knows; In His hands He gently bears us, Rescues us from all our foes: Praise Him! Praise Him! Glorious in His faithfulness.

Angels help us to adore Him; Ye behold Him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down before Him, Dwellers all in time and space. Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise with us the God of grace.



This hymn was written by Henry Francis Lyte, 1793-1847, who also wrote "Abide with me".

Christine says: "I have several favourite hymns, the reason I chose 'Praise, my soul' is because it expresses so beautifully what the Lord Jesus has done for me. Ransomed: He has paid the cost of my redemption. Forgiven: He has forgiven all my sins which had separated me from God our heavenly Father. This hymn helps me to praise the Lord."

Prayer requests

Pray for the family of **D. L.** who went to be with the Lord on 26th May. **W. M.** continues to improve in health and he is grateful for your prayers. Ask the Lord to heal **V. O.**, who has injured her knee, and is on crutches. Praise the Lord for the **six new members** who have joined us. Pray for **our nation** in the continuing uncertainty and unrest. Give thanks for the release and subsequent asylum in Canada of **Aasia Bibi** after her ordeal and remember other persecuted Christians. Pray for those serving the Lord **overseas**, some in very difficult places. Pray for those who hear the Lord's word to think seriously about **eternity**.

Tweet of the month

Langford Evangelical Church @Langford_Chapel: May 12 Some sports stars credit #Jesus with everything. @LucasMoura7 did it after the #thfc dramatic comeback in the champions league. @NickFoles & @cj_wentz of the Philadelphia Eagles and Russell Wilson of the Seahawks after their #SuperBowl wins because with God ANYTHING is possible.

From the Pastor's study holiday

Surrounded by so much beauty in "Bonnie Scotland" it has been good to dwell on the magnificent words of Psalm 19, "The heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament shows His handiwork", and my Facebook friends will have seen the photo taken near Bridge of Balgie looking down to Glen Lyon (back page). The sunshine helped highlight the scene and the Psalmist goes on to say something about that. Yet as we finally drove back to the airport a solemn thought arose. We had stopped at the delightful Pittencrieff Park in Dunfermline, known as "The Glen". Returning to the road a double-deck bus passed us with a side poster asking, "Where are you going?" I wasn't quick enough to see what the advert referred to but the metaphorical significance was obvious. Where indeed are you going, dear reader? It is the importance of this question spiritually that drives us at Langford Chapel to share the good news of Jesus, Who died and rose so that those who believe and trust Him should have everlasting life (John 3:16). It is unpopular in these days but we still believe that Jesus is the only way. Where are **uou** going?

For your diary

June might bring us some more sun to warm us - let's be sure our hearts are not cold!

For many years we have been interested in the charity "Caring For Life" in Leeds and their work for vulnerable people. On Tuesday **18th** June at **7.45** p.m. they will be at the Chapel to tell

us more about their organisation and those they help.

There's five Saturdays in June so don't forget *Aroma* coffee morning is on the fourth - 22nd. The evening service on Sunday 30th at 6.30 will feature a visit by the Bristol Evangel Male Voice Choir.