

In the Presence of God

I long, yes, I faint with longing to enter the courts of the Lord. With my whole being, my body and soul, I will shout joyfully to the living God (PS. 84:2).

Read Psalm 84: 1 – 13

The psalmist's greatest longing is to be near God. He wants to get away from the rush of life and meet God in solitude. The believer experiences special and enriching moments in God's presence. When we go to church we are given the opportunity of getting away from the humdrum activities of our everyday life and meditate and pray in silence. There we also find joy in prayer, song, teaching and the fellowship of believers; but mainly by being in God's presence and meeting him face-to-face. A group of eminent scientists sat rooted to the spot as they listened to Michael Faraday deliver a lecture in which he analyzed the nature and character of the magnet. At the conclusion of his lecture, the hall reverberated with ongoing applause. Then the Prince of Wales, who was present, thanked him and again applause raised the roof. But this was promptly followed by a strange silence – Faraday had disappeared without a trace. He had finished his lecture at the same time that his congregation's weekly prayer meeting started, a gathering he always attended. He quietly slipped out under the enthusiastic applause to spend some time and to pray in the presence of God together with a small group of fellow believers.

- A Season of Hope. Solly Ozrovech.

ARE YOU A VISITOR OR WITH US FOR THE FIRST TIME OR WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE THE MINISTER OR A LEADER? PERHAPS YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

(kindly complete this form, tear it off and place it in the collection plate)

Name & Surname.....

Residential address/ Prayer Requests
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Kindly mark where applicable:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am new and would like more info | <input type="checkbox"/> I would like to join |
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A Church for the whole community

20th February 2022



CONGREGATIONAL-METHODIST-PRESBYTERIAN

Our goal:
"To please Him (Jesus) in every way" Colossians 1:10.

Serving you this week

Duty	09h00
Preaching RRUC	Derek Weston
St Magnus	Gail Guthrie
Service Steward	Rob Warman
Door Stewards	Ralph & Ann Clay
Council Member	Anthony Fleetwood

27th February
Sunday School Play!

Duty	09h00
RRUC	<i>Christmas Play!</i>
St Magnus	Alet Maartens
Service Steward	Brian Rajchrt
Door Stewards	Barbara Jones, Anne & Dave Segor
Council Member	Bee Thomas

Care by Prayer

Arthur and Daphne Atkins – grateful for God’s blessings and loving care over them.

Monica and John Beggs – for safety for their grandchildren Michael and Caitlyn, Matthew and Mackenna.

Sharon, Mike and Camika Bellamy – gratitude to God for keeping them safe and healthy.

Arlene Yates – for wisdom and God’s guidance for the right decision for the way forward.

Carol Williams – for healing for friends in her retirement village and to thank God for bringing them safely through each day.

Pastoral Prayers

Harald Cohn – for restored health and well-being after knee replacement surgery.

Collette Hogg – severe problems with toes and feet. Pray for a good response to the medication.

Elise Wright – for God’s healing touch over her.



GENERAL

<p>Craft and Farmer’s Market Will be on March 5th from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Join us for some good food and great vendors!</p>
<p>Monday Morning Bible Study A new morning Bible Study led by Tom Main will be begin on Monday 21st February 2022 at 10 a.m. in the yellow classroom at the church. All are welcome! Tom Main – 082 565 8104</p>
<p>Sunday School Play! Our Sunday School is excited to put on the play they’ve been working on since last year, but had to postpone due to COVID. We’d love for you to join us for the Play in the service on February 27th!</p>
<p>Bible Donations We’re collecting <i>new bibles!</i> As we continue to reach out to our community we love to give bibles to those we minister to. If you’d like to donate a <i>new</i> bible to the church or contribute towards the purchase of one please drop one off at the office during the week, or make a donation to the church account marked “bible donation”. Thank you and God bless!</p>

Happy Birthday

May you receive a thousand blessings on your day.

Date	Name
21 February	Arlene Yates
22 February	Chris Gilbert
24 February	Nicole Kirsten
26 February	Oscar Scharf

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