

[Praise Tour of Scotland 2010](#)... this year featuring popular worship leader, Dave Bilbrough, soprano Sarah Vander Ploeg and Glasgow-based Christianity Explored Director, Craig Dyer. The tour aims to support the Scottish relief charity, Blythswood Care.

Tickets are now on sale at all venues as follows:

The Concert Hall, Perth – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> August 7.30pm

Glasgow Royal Concert Hall - Saturday 14 August at 7.30pm

Ayr Town Hall - Wednesday 18 August at 7.30pm

Inverness Eden Court Theatre - Thursday 19 August at 7.30pm

Aberdeen Music Hall - Friday 20 August at 7.30pm

For details of how to book check [www.allsoulsorchestra.org](http://www.allsoulsorchestra.org)

**“Rock the City Concert”** at the Destiny Centre, Gorgie on 7<sup>th</sup> August 2010 at 8.00 pm. Featured will be three bands, Trelese from Kansas City, USA, Anchor of Hope from Florida, USA and Yi'ood, a local Edinburgh band, each with a unique sound that will entertain but also usher you into God's presence. You will hear some familiar songs that you can sing along with, as well as original compilations that will rock your soul so that you can 'Rock the City' of Edinburgh with God's love, power, his presence and bring the message of the kingdom to those who have lost hope. It promises to be the best Christian concert in the Edinburgh Fringe. Be there!

A recording of today's sermon can be ordered on CD from Tim Seabrook or downloaded from the church website along with many others.

Please send any items for the bulletin to [gilliancockburn@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:gilliancockburn@hotmail.co.uk) or [barrycockburn@hotmail.com](mailto:barrycockburn@hotmail.com) and put 'Church Bulletin' into the subject heading. If possible, please have the bulletin items sent by Friday morning.

## ***GALASHIELS BAPTIST CHURCH***

Pastor - Rev. Arthur Hembling

[www.galashielsbaptistchurch.org.uk](http://www.galashielsbaptistchurch.org.uk)

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2010

*"I appeal to you, brothers, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree with one another so that there may be no divisions among you and that you may be perfectly united in mind and thought."*

1 Corinthians 1 v. 10

We give you a warm welcome to church today. If you are a visitor we pray you feel at home with us as we worship God together. Communion will be part of our worship and anyone who loves the Lord Jesus Christ is welcome to share the bread and wine as we remember His death and resurrection.

There will be tea and coffee served following the service. Please stay if you can as we enjoy a time of fellowship with one another.

|                   | <b>Serving today</b>             | <b>Serving 1<sup>st</sup> August</b> |
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| <b>P.A.</b>       | Christine                        | Barry                                |
| <b>A.V.</b>       | Christine                        | Andy Drane                           |
| <b>Door Duty</b>  | Jack and Ena Wilson              | Iain and Jennifer Clark              |
| <b>Communion</b>  | John Blyth and Alastair Sinclair | -                                    |
| <b>Tea/Coffee</b> | Ena and Joyce                    | Ena and Joyce                        |

## Fellowship news and prayer

Please note that over the summer holidays the regular crèche helpers are having a break. However, the crèche area and toys will be available every week and parents/carers should feel free to make use of these if required!

“Video” Club continues today at 11 am. All children welcome to join us in the church hall for a DVD, popcorn and some fun...!

### Events this week...

**LAPWinG** lunch club is being held on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 12.45 pm in the church lounge.

The Men's Fellowship group continues and will meet this week at the home of Barry Cockburn on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July around 7.30pm.

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> August - 10.30 am Morning Service. Next week the service will include the dedication of Aimee Cockburn. Barry and Gillian have invited family and friends to the church for this occasion, so if you are a good baker and are able to make a traybake or something else a wee bit special to go along with tea and coffee please see Gillian today!



**Time of morning service. Please note:** following on from the recent Church Meeting it has been decided that the time of our morning service will remain at 10.30am from September onwards.

As you are hopefully aware (!) our morning service on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August will be held at Balmoral School. Weather permitting this will take place outside and will begin at 10am with a bouncy castle and obstacle course to attract local families followed by the Worship Team leading a time of praise and “News from GBC” letting folks know what goes on at our church. Arthur will then lead a short service followed by refreshments, giving us the opportunity to meet and speak with those who have joined us. This event will end around 11.30am.



Help is needed to make this adventure a success. Firstly, pray. Enough said! Secondly, postcards are to be distributed throughout the Balmoral housing estates that will advertise the event. This will be done next weekend (August 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>). Also, on the day lots of hands are needed to set up, supervise the children's activities and clear away at the end.

Please speak to Ross Aitken, John Blyth or Kath Ketchen with your offers of help a.s.a.p.

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If you would like to be part of a church prayer chain please speak to Ana Macedo-Brown for more information as regards what is involved.