

GRAPEVINE

SUNDAY July 26 2009

Our destiny is in God, our hope is in Christ Jesus, our inspiration is through the Holy Spirit and our guidebook is the Bible.

YOUR CHURCH OFFICERS:- Rev. Jacqueline Hartsmith-Foy, Minister (Tel 00 34 952532825, email: jaqfoy@gmail.com) Sid Silber, Church Secretary, Malcolm Straw, Treasurer, Mair Martinez, Presbytery Representative, Isabel Brown, Church Liaison



VERSE OF THE WEEK: "...I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ...so that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God." **Ephesians 3:17-19. SERMON: "The Pace Setter" Rev. J.**

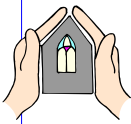
Hartsmith Foy COMMUNION SERVICES ARE HELD ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH. WE SHARE COMMUNION WITH ALL WHO LOVE JESUS CHRIST AND CONFESS HIM AS LORD. IT IS THE TABLE NOT OF THE CHURCH, BUT OF THE LORD, OPEN TO ALL WHO LOVE HIM. IF YOU ARE NOT SURE WHETHER YOU CAN JOIN US IN COMMUNION, PLEASE HAVE A CHAT WITH OUR MINISTER, Rev. JACKI

HARTSMITH FOY. Because of holidays in August, our Next Communion Service will be on **SUNDAY September 6th.**



A very warm welcome to you all. If you are visiting Torre del Mar Church for the first time, please make yourself known to Jacki, our minister, or a member of the congregation. You are very welcome to stay for coffee and a chat after the service. Each week please pray for our

Church Officers. Pray for our sponsored children Angel Adrian, Bernadette, Alemneshe, Keru, Ian, Aveli and Subash. Pray for our outreach and mission in 2009 and for our church witness.. Ask that God would open a door for our love and our message.



Ministers Day Off MONDAY Urgent calls only please

PRESBYTERIANS ON THE MOON

Last week marked the anniversary of the moon landing in Apollo 11. As an elder in the Presbyterian church, Buzz Aldrin had the authority to conduct the first ever Communion Service on the moon, what is called an "extended serving" (to members isolated from community worship) of the Lord's Supper. Aldrin wrote in Guideposts magazine in 1970, "I opened the little plastic packages which contained the bread and the wine. I poured the wine into the chalice our church had given me. In the one-sixth gravity of the moon, the wine slowly curled and gracefully came up the side of the cup. Then I read the Scripture, 'I am the vine, you are the branches. Whosoever abides in me will bring forth much fruit.' I ate the tiny Host and swallowed the wine. I gave thanks for the intelligence and spirit that had brought two young pilots to the Sea of Tranquility. It was interesting for me to think: the very first liquid ever poured on the moon, and the very first food eaten there, were the communion elements."

One small sip for man, one giant leap of faith for mankind.



Summer is here, and it is hot, and sometimes we get fed up with working in the heat—BUT God doesn't go on holiday and church doesn't happen without people to set it up each week. Our thanks to those angels who are committed and come along early on Sundays, we are grateful, but it would be wonderful if other people would help too. Please give thought to those who are always here and

ask if perhaps you can help one week and give them a break. **TORROX PARK COMMUNITY CHURCH MEETS EVERY THURSDAY AT 11.00 FOR 11.30 AT TAPRICO RESTAURANT IN TORROX PARK. WE WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU AT THIS MIDWEEK CHURCH DISCUSSION GROUP. FIND OUT WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS**

ABOUT CURRENT IMPORTANT ISSUES. FIND US OPPOSITE EL PINO CAMPING NEXT DOOR TO THE LAWYERS. THE SUMMER

CLUB FOR KIDS WILL BE HELD IN AUGUST AT TORROX PARK LED BY KEVIN AND JULIE, ON THURSDAY 20TH AUGUST, TUESDAY 25TH AUGUST AND THURSDAY 27TH AUGUST AT TAPRICO RESTAURANT TORROX PARK. THE MIDWEEK TP COMMUNITY CHURCH AND DISCUSSION GROUP WILL TAKE PLACE ON ALL OTHER THURSDAYS IN AUGUST.



Thought for the day: You cannot dwell in the darkness of yesterday if you are going to see the light of tomorrow.



PREACHING NEXT SUNDAY ANDREW HENDERSON

Torrox Park Community Church presents

Seaside Rock

Fun + games
songs + bible stories
craft activities
for children
aged 5 to 10 years

Dates: Thursday 20th August
Tuesday 25th August
Thursday 27th August

Place: Taprico (formerly Livingstones) opposite El Pino Camping, Torrox Park

Time: 10.30am - 12.30 pm

Cost: 2 euros per child/5 euros per family

Limited places!! To book contact:
Sylvia on 952529511 / 67612672

FOR A HOME VISIT PLEASE CONTACT: Rev. J. Hartsmith Foy, Minister Tel. 952532825 or email jaqfoy@gmail.com

FEEDING THE HUNGRY

We are called to be like Jesus – yes, you and me - we are called to feed those in need, to feed them with both the bread of heaven and the bread worked upon by human hands.

And we are not left alone in the doing of it. God's power is promised us in it. All we need to do is to do *bring what we have*, as did the boy on the hillside, to Jesus.

We are to bring it with thanksgiving: to bring it with joy - as the boy must surely have brought Jesus his meagre offering. To bring it - not with regard to what it might or might not be able to do, but with regard to the one to whom we present it; with regard to God and God's love.

The story of the loaves and the fish shows us that Jesus is used of God, that he has the power of God; and it shows us too that God cares.

It also shows us that what is small and insignificant in the face of this world's need can, when offered to God, be multiplied and provide for the world what is needed.

Miracles all have beginnings, and almost always those beginnings are to be found within us.

Praise be to God who multiplies that which is given to him,



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Hymns for Today's Service

- 01 ABBA FATHER
- 96 FATHER IN HEAVEN
- 470 PRAISE TO THE LORD THE ALMIGHTY
- OHP GOD IS OUR STRENGTH AND REFUGE
- 549 THE STEADFAST LOVE OF THE LORD
- 419 O LET THE SON OF GOD ENFOLD YOU
- 148 GUIDE ME O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH



Scriptures: PSALM 14
JOHN 6:1-21 EPHESIANS 3:14-21



Sermon Rev. J. Hartsmith Foy
"THE PACE SETTER"

Music: Mair Martínez /
Jane Silber

