

# GRAPEVINE

## SUNDAY FEBRUARY 21 2010

*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.

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.



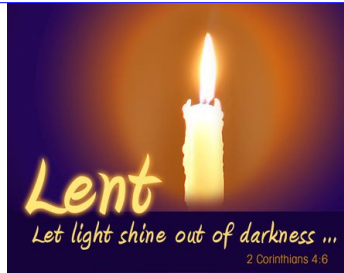
Each week please pray for our Church Officers. Pray for our sponsored children Angel Adrian, Bernadette, Alemneshe, Keru, Ian, Aveli and Subash. Pray for our outreach and mission in 2010 and for our church witness.. Ask that God would open a door for our love and our message.

### CAFFIENE FOR THE CONSCIENCE A JOURNEY THROUGH LENT LENT 1: THE TEMPTATIONS OF JESUS Read Luke 4:1-13

This is the first Sunday in Lent. It is a time of in-depth reflection upon the passion and death of Jesus, as well as a period of repentance for both the church and for each of us personally. We can spend time in meditation and prayer at home. The Gospel reading in Luke 4 tells us it is Jesus' first day on the job. Immediately he is confronted with three major temptations. And he is confronted with this basic question: Would he take the crown without the cross?

These are the most basic temptations in life and they form the foundation for all other temptations. I would propose that when temptation comes our way; if we will pause and classify the temptation, we would be able to identify it with one of the three temptations Jesus faced. We will also be better equipped to answer Satan with the words and obedience of Christ. Our Lenten journey begins by opening our bible and reading the temptation of Christ: At the beginning of his ministry, Jesus spent forty days and forty nights in the Wilderness, to be in communion with God and to reflect upon his upcoming ministry. While there, Satan confronts Jesus. It is reminder to us that goodness is not synonymous with innocence.

Something to think about: True goodness comes only after a struggle



**VERSE OF THE WEEK:** 1 SAM 16<sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The LORD does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart."

**Preaching today:** Rev. J. Hartsmith Foy "Outward Appearances"

**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. The next Communion Service will be next**



**SUNDAY MARCH 7th 2010**

**TORROX PARK COMMUNITY CHURCH** Every Thursday at 11.00 at El Tapricho. We will be soon be running a Liturgy Workshop at El Tapricho to familiarise everyone who wishes to take part in our services on a Sunday with the guidelines for prayer, praise, Scripture readings, and public speaking. Coming up: Lent series each Thursday up to Easter. DIGGING DEEPER—WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY MEETING EACH TUESDAY AT 11.00 IN THE CHURCH FLAT. WE ARE STUDYING LUKE CHAPTER 12. Leading this week, Elaine



**REMEMBER THE WOMENS' WORLD DAY OF PRAYER ON MARCH 5TH AT 5.30 PM IN LUX MUNDI. EVERYONE WELCOME. IF YOU ARE WILLING TO TAKE PART PLEASE SEE MAIR.**



**OUR CHURCH AGM IS COMING UP ON MARCH 12TH AT 11.00 IN THE CHURCH FLAT. PLEASE NOTE YOUR DIARY. IT'S YOUR CHURCH, COME ALONG AND**

**PARTICIPATE IN HOW IT IS RUN. ALL WELCOME, BUT ONLY MEMBERS MAY VOTE. CHURCH OFFICERS' REPORTS TO JACKI BY MARCH 1ST PLEASE. !!!SPECIAL NOTICE!!!—WE ARE HOLDING A TWO-DAY SEMINAR ON MAY 4TH AND 5TH SEE FLYERS AVAILABLE. PLEASE DO TRY TO ATTEND—IT WILL BE VERY EXCITING. IF WE GET ENOUGH PARTICIPANTS WE WILL BE ABLE TO INCLUDE A CELEBRATORY DINNER ON THE LAST DAY...PLEASE BOOK SOON TO HELP US WITH THE ARRANGEMENTS. FORM AND DEPOSIT TO MALCOLM.**



**Ministers Day Off MONDAY Urgent calls only please. FOR A HOME VISIT PLEASE CONTACT:** Rev. J. Hartsmith Foy, Minister Tel. 952532825 or email jaqfoy@gmail.com



*Please continue to pray urgently for Frank, Barbara and Jane.*

**TORRE DEL MAR CHURCH  
SPRING AND SUMMER PROGRAMME**

Event	Time	Date	Place
Womens' World Day of Prayer	5.30pm	March 5	Lux Mundi
AGM TdM Church	11.00	March 12	Church Flat
Healing Service Rev. Sue Watterson Pastor Ron Tempest	11.30 am	March 14	Picasso Room Hotel Torremar
Passover Supper	6pm	April 1	El Cruce tba
Good Friday Service of Nails	11.30 am	April 2	Picasso Room Hotel Torremar
Easter Sunday Celebration	11.30 am	April 4	Picasso Room Hotel Torremar
2-Day Seminar Listening in Stereo Rev. Desi Maxwell	10.30 am to 4pm	May 4 & 5	Hotel Perla Marina Nerja* See flyer
Welsh Male Voice Choir	11.30	May 9	Picasso Room Hotel Torremar
Church Trip to	tba	June	tba



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**Hymns for Today's Lent Service**

- 512 STAND UP AND BLESS THE LORD
- 519 TAKE MY LIFE AND LET IT BE
- 388 MAY THE FRAGRANCE OF JESUS
- 298 JESUS NAME ABOVE ALL NAMES
- 549 THE STEADFAST LOVE OF THE LORD
- 27 AS THE DEER PANTS FOR THE WATER
- 42 BE THOU MY VISION

**Scriptures: Joel 2:12-18  
Matthew 6:1-6; 16-18; 2Cor.5:20-6:2**



**Preaching: Rev. J. Hartsmith Foy  
"Outward Appearances"**

**Music: Mair Martínez  
AV Bernie Barker/ Malcolm Straw**



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