



**Te Awamutu Bible Chapel
welcomes you
to Church today**

It's our heart to serve you as effectively as possible. You can help us to do that, by filling out the following & dropping it in the box in the foyer

Whether you're new here or not, you matter to God & to us!

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

- Just visiting
- Looking for a home church
- I'd like to know about TABC
- Want to find out about any of the following:

Care Groups, Counseling, Newcomer's lunch, Ministries & activities, Youth & children, Baptism, Pastoral home visits, Budget issues, Help of ANY kind

- Please tick the box if you want someone to phone you

Or
if you would prefer, ring 8718667 or 8702286

Thanks for being with us today...

Tear along this line.....

TODAY 30th November 2008

One Service Only

10am Rally Break-up



Worship Leader : Shelley Cresswell

Creche Available

Wednesday 3rd December

1:30 pm Senior's Bible Study

Thursday 4th December

6:30 am Secret Garden Men's Social
Onward *(This week's topic - Ecclesiastes 3 : 14)*

9:45 am Weekly for Women
Julie Lealand, Janine & Fleur—Christmas Craft Demo

7:00 pm 1st Christmas Choir Rehearsal (Audi 2)

Friday 5th—Sunday 7th December

7:00 pm Youth—Sports Camp at Totara Springs
For more info, contact Anna 8718667 / 027-4446945

Saturday 6th December

7:30 am Men's Breakfast
Speaker: Ross Barnes
For more info, contact Ray 8714493 / 027-2431295

Care Groups continue this week. Groups' details are on the notice board in the foyer, you can contact them directly or ring Chapel office 871 8667 for more details.

NEXT SUNDAY, 7th December 2008

One Service Only

**10 am Vision Sunday &
Powerhouse Break-up**

Morning Tea Creche Available

Changes to Prayer List Details:

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| 1. Luke Wooding c/o J & C Logan, 17A Quona Ave, Mount Roskill, Auckland 1041 | 2. Edd & Jeannye Tadulan 1041 Kihikihi Rd, Te Awamutu 3800 |
| 3. Matt & Carly Holwill-Tims 1050/2 Bank St, Te Awamutu 3800 Phone 8706209 | |

30TH NOVEMBER 2008



TE AWAMUTU BIBLE CHAPEL

Chapel Drive, Te Awamutu

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From Jeff's desk....



Good morning and welcome to the Bible Chapel.

Do you ever watch the news - see the poverty, crime, disease, wars, disasters and think, "What can I do?"

Do you feel a sense of helplessness when faced with the ever increasing tragedies occurring in our world? The violence in Mumbai (Bombay), the airport takeover in Bangkok, trafficking of children in Cambodia, the violence perpetrated on innocent children in New Zealand,

Susi Childers shared some of her personal experiences with us on Sunday night - stories of women who experience hardship, deprivation and abuse as part of their daily lives. She too posed the question "What can I do?" Her encouragement was to "Do something!" In her '30 Days of Prayer for the Voiceless' book she gives a suggestion each day that you and I can do. Many of her ideas are things I would never have thought about without her help:

- write to your local politician
- approach someone directly involved and listen....
- reflect on the biblical concept of .. and apply it ...
- discuss with two friends.. find out how to support
- find a chat room explain the love of God
- volunteer at a local
- research the in your nation report to
- form a group and go and

and many more...

YOU AND I CAN DO SOMETHING!

I have just had an 'interruption' (God appointed meeting) where we were discussing how God's blessing is seen as God's approval of who we are and what we are doing. Does God approve of my life (your life), my actions (your actions)? What if we were all to live in a way that met with God's approval?

May God approve of your day,

Jeff

NOTICES

Powerhouse Break-up

Next Sunday

Magic Carpet Rides

Lots of fun/bring toys for waterslide & towel !!!



Barbecue Sausages



Lille Scramble

Is there a family out there who is willing to host a potluck lunch after church sometime in holidays. This is a low key period, when we have only one service and it's good to get together and enjoy a bit of fellowship and sunshine together. If you would like to host one of these days.. 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th Jan & 1st Feb, please ring Anne in the office 8718667 or email office@tabc.co.nz

BOOKSTALL NEWS

Thanks so much to all who have helped us set up & put away tables & boxes of books. Your help is so much appreciated. We have our Christmas stock out now including beautiful calendars, cards, diaries & planners. Also now is the time to renew your Bible Reading note subs for EDWJ, Topz & YPs. Potential subscribers welcome to come & have a look at back copies. Would you like to encourage your child or teen to read the Bible each day? The Topz (children), & YP (teen) notes are particularly good & fun to do. Happy Reading, *Joy, Laurie and Ailsa*

COUNSELLING We have a qualified counsellor available Monday—Friday. Please feel free to contact Helen Morris 0272958837 or Chapel office 8718667.

There is an EFTPOS machine in the office which you can use for any purpose.. Book purchasing, tithing, Daughters booking etc

If you prefer to do your giving electronically our ANZ number is 01 0439 0002731 00

Offering for week ending 23rd Nov...

Earmarked donations: \$ 145.00
General offering: \$ 1657.00
Electronic Payments: \$ 8665.00

first christmas choir rehearsal

If you'd like to be part of this year's Christmas Choir, rehearsals begin this week. There are only 3 practices held on a Thursday evening at 7pm at the Bible Chapel in Audi 2.

All are welcome

The choir will sing on Sunday 21st December and, if you're around, on Christmas Eve too. Ring Jane Wilson on 8719951 if interested or if you have any queries.

Home & Away



Our sympathy is extended to John & Ruth Jackson on the loss of John's sister.

Work Wanted...

Painting & Decorating
 Start date mid January
 Contact Chris Campbell
 8711866 / 027-5713240

Couple in Need...

Fridge & Lounge suite/Couch
 Please ring the office 8718667
 or email: office@tabc.co.nz

Capernwray is looking for someone to work as a domestic assistant from the beginning of next year. The position is paid and involves cleaning etc but also supervising students in daily duties, work afternoons etc. Anyone interested should contact Peter Thomas (07)823 1812 or peter@capernwray.org.nz

Farm work wanted.. Young man who has nearly finished his 'agriculture course' is wanting a farm job/any job over the Christmas period. Phone Erica: 871-9332 Or Dale: 871-9474

3 has new Christmas stock. A selection of Christmas cards, lots of new music, books, calendars, or come in and make your own jewellery. We look forward to seeing you all.

PRINCIPAL RELEASE TEACHER .5—Fixed Term Position in the senior class (years 4-8) for Year 2009. Must meet the requirements of our schools Special Character & be experienced in ICT. Term commencing on Monday 2nd February 2009. Applications close 9th December. Please apply by sending CV & letter of application stating your strengths and experience to: **The Chairperson, Bethel Christian School, 320 Swarbrick Drive, Te Awamutu 3800.**
 Phone 871 4520 Email: office@bethel.schoolzone.net.nz