



**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...

TODAY 26th July 2009 @ 10 am
Life Link Service
 followed by Café



New Series: Jonah - "In the Boat"
Speaker: Darren Sutton

Worship Leader : Shelley Cresswell

Creche Available Powerhouse

Wednesday 29th July

- 1:30 pm Senior's Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Boys' & Girls' Rally

Thursday 30th July

- 6:30 am Secret Garden Men's Social
(This week's topic - Psalm 118 : 19)
- 9:45 am Weekly for Women
Lisa Oldfield - Skin Care

Saturday 1st August

- 07:30 am Men's Breakfast
- 12:30 noon Youth - *Luging in Rotorua*
 14 yrs or under \$30 - 3 rides, \$40 - 5 rides
 15 yrs or older \$40 - 3 rides, \$50 - 5 rides
For more info, contact Anna 8718667/027-4446945

Care groups continue this week on various days.
 Contact the office 871 8667 for more details.

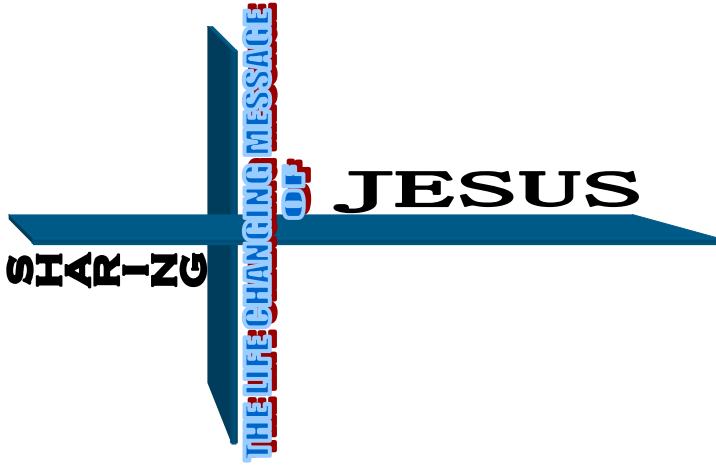
NEXT SUNDAY 2nd August 2009 @ 10am



Jonah Series: "In the Fish"
Speaker: Chris Lane

Creche Available Powerhouse

26TH JULY 2009



TE AWAMUTU BIBLE CHAPEL

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From Jeff's desk....
Good morning & Welcome to Te Awamutu Bible Chapel.



The story of Jonah is probably one of the better known stories in the Old Testament. Over the next 4 weeks we will be looking at a chapter each Sunday. Although the context of the large fish is a little outside our experience, there is something we can all learn from the story - the response of Jonah to God's direction and God's response to the prayers of the people.

To help you gain the most from the series can I suggest that you take time over the upcoming weeks to read the book through a few times or at least read the next chapter and ask God to speak into your life situation.

Wasn't it great to hear the many different 'heart languages' last week that are part of the Te Awamutu Bible Chapel family? It reminded me of the scene in heaven described in the book of Revelation (Ch 7:9-10) where "....a great multitude that no-one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throneand they cried out "Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb". It is such a blessing to talk with people from all parts of the world and to realize that God is the Father of all and shows no favouritism but freely invites us all to be part of His international, eternal family. We can join together now and speak about the goodness of God and look forward to a time, when with countless others of all nationalities, we will worship God together and "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." (Rev 21:4)

I've struggled with my body this week. It has caused me considerable pain and it has been helpful to meditate on that verse. I know that many of you have struggled with things as well - be it physical pain, relational pain, the pain of disappointment or of unfulfilled plans. God knows your situation. He invites you to talk to Him and to "Cast all your anxiety on Him because He cares for you." (1Peter 5:7)

God bless you

Jeff

N O T I C E S

2 weeks left for Prayer List Photos....

Your last opportunity!

Jeanmye will only be taking photographs for the next 2 weeks. SO please be sure to have it done TODAY or NEXT SUNDAY at the latest. If you would rather send in your own photograph, please phone Jeanmye.

We'll continue taking written details until the end of August.



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

Many thanks to those who sent flowers, food & came to visit me after the operation I had mid June. I'm recovering well but it will take a few more weeks before full recovery.



Kind regards, Isabella Westerbaan

You are invited to hear **Dr. Peter Law** who will be speaking at **Hillcrest Bible Chapel TONIGHT at 7pm**. He is President of Crossover Communications International. They take short-term missions into remote areas of the world in support of their national church planters.

House for Rent in Hamilton

3 bdrm, double garage, fully fenced, newly painted, new curtains throughout. \$300 a week. Avail ASAP.

Ring John/Roslyn Cunningham 07 825 2221

BIBLE SUNDAY QUIZ



This is scheduled for 23rd August. It is based on the life of Joseph, Genesis 37—47 except chapters 38 & 46. There is less to study than usual. Held at Baptist Church @ 2 pm. Come & enjoy the afternoon with teams from other Te Awamutu churches. Emphasis on enjoying fellowship together, not too serious. Please team up with two others and come along. Further info, contact Steve McClunie 8719474

THE MARRIAGE COURSE

for any marriage couple

Alpha Marriage Course will be held @ Andrew & Carey-Lee Cook's home.

This is a 7-week video presented course for couples. It is fun and there is no group sharing!!! It will start beginning of Term 3. Any couples interested in doing the course or any inquiries, please ring 07-8433741.

Reg & Margaret need to rent a house for 3 months from 25th August. Kindly phone 8718583 if you can help.

Looking for a Babysitter? Please phone Natasi Cook 0273013266 or 07-8433741

Are you a Registered Nurse?

Are you interested in finding out more about Faith Community Nursing? Wonderful outreach opportunity which covers all aspects of health – body, mind & spirit. More details: www.faithnursing.co.nz or ring Joan MacManus on 8702677

3 Christian Shop will be open on 25th July, 1st & 8th August for the last time. Come & get the closing specials. Opening hours 9.30-12.00pm