

# the : word

## Jonah 3

<sup>1</sup>Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: <sup>2</sup>“Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.” <sup>3</sup>Jonah obeyed the word of the LORD and went to Nineveh. Now Nineveh was a very important city—a visit required three days. <sup>4</sup>On the first day, Jonah started into the city. He proclaimed: “Forty more days and Nineveh will be overturned.” <sup>5</sup>The Ninevites believed God. They declared a fast, and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth. <sup>6</sup>When the news reached the king of Nineveh, he rose from his throne, took off his royal robes, covered himself with sackcloth and sat down in the dust. <sup>7</sup>Then he issued a proclamation in Nineveh: “By the decree of the king and his nobles: Do not let any man or beast, herd or flock, taste anything; do not let them eat or drink. <sup>8</sup>But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth. Let everyone call urgently on God. Let them give up their evil ways and their violence. <sup>9</sup>Who knows? God may yet relent and with compassion turn from his fierce anger so that we will not perish.” <sup>10</sup>When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he had compassion and did not bring upon them the destruction he had threatened.

## Sermon Recording/CD

Sermons are downloadable from the web site.  
If you would prefer to purchase a CD, see Graham at the AV desk.

# tabernacle : penarth

purpose : to reflect God's love in  
our church, community and world

sunday 24<sup>th</sup> january 2010

## today's services

10.30 am - Jonah Preaches - Jonah 3

6.00 pm - Divisions in the Church  
1 Corinthians 3:1 - 23

## mid –week

Monday

7.30 pm: Church members' meeting

Wednesday

9.30 am: Communion

## thought for the week

Don't you know that you yourselves are God's  
temple and that God's Spirit lives in you?

1 Corinthians 3:16

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# what's : on

## SUNDAY

- 10.30 am Pastor Roger and Simon Pedwell  
6.00 pm Pastor Roger and Gemma Humphreys  
Why not join us for tea/coffee after the services?  
6.00 pm United Service for Week for Christian  
Unity at Trinity Methodist  
8.00 pm The House Thing

## MONDAY

- 9.00 am Maintenance team meet  
9.15 am Playgroup (Mon - Fri)  
2.45 pm Women's Hour – Ann Niblett  
7.30 pm Church meeting for members

## TUESDAY

- 9.15 am Centre Prayers  
2.00 pm 'Dorcas' Group.  
6.00 pm JAFFA Club (school yrs reception – 2)  
7.30 pm Tuesday Small Groups meet

## WEDNESDAY

- 9.30 am Communion led by Gwyneth Jones  
followed by coffee

## THURSDAY

- 7.30 pm Thursday Small Groups meet  
7.30 pm Youth meet in the Loft Sunday School  
room to study Ephesians.

## FRIDAY

- 9.00 am Maintenance team meet  
9.30 am Toddlers  
6.00 pm Xtreme (school yrs 3-6)  
7.30 pm Beyond Xtreme (school yrs 7-9)

## SATURDAY

Penarth Cytûn will be holding a Workshop on "Christianity and Spirituality" on Saturday 30th January 9.30 am - 12.30 pm. The Speaker will be the Rev'd Gethin Abraham-Williams. The meeting will be held in the Live at Home Lounge in Trinity Methodist Church. There will be opportunity for a bring and share lunch, drinks provided at the conclusion.

## NEXT SUNDAY

- 10.30 am Pastor Roger and Helen Douglas  
3.00 pm Bethel House, Hebron Hall. Eunice Grove  
would value your support.  
6.00 pm Pastor Roger and Simon Pedwell

## ADVANCE NOTICES: - This Week:

### Pastoral Care & Counselling

A course designed to present a Christian foundation for those interested in understanding human life and relationships, with a view to providing pastoral care, and strengthening family and community. Why not join this course at City Church, Windsor Place on Wednesday at 7.30 pm. More details from John Weaver

### MAINSTREAM WALES: at Pontlliw - CANCELLED

**Cosmeston Church** is having their away day here at Tabs this Saturday (30<sup>th</sup>). Gemma is looking for help. Please speak to her if you are able to assist.

### Some Later Dates:

#### Islam, Britain and the Church's Future

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 am to 4.00 pm** at Bethany Baptist Church, Rhiwbina organised by the Barnabas Fund and with Bishop Michael Nazir-Ali and Dr Patrick Sookhdeo. Drinks provided, bring your own lunch. More details on the notice board.

# family : news

**Safety around the Church.** Please continue to be aware of the need for care when entering and leaving the church because of the scaffolding and the possibility of men working above. The door is now unobstructed, and access for everyone is via the main doors. During the week it may be necessary to revert to using the side doors when building work is taking place.

**Crèche** We require 4 more people to head up crèche teams during Sunday services. We also require more volunteers to assist the team leaders about once every 8 weeks. Can you help? Speak to Gemma or Roger.

It was good to see **Barry Makepeace** in church last week. Keep on praying for Barry as he continues to recover, and remember to not all crowd around him at once during this time whilst he is still suffering from symptoms caused by head injury

It was also good last week be able to greet **Helen Douglas's** mother, **Ruth**, who has had her surgery to treat skin cancer. Please keep her in your prayers as her treatment continues.

**Brenda Shepherd** is doing well; please pray for a speedy recovery on her broken wrist.

**Veronica Strain's** surgery to repair a rupture in her stomach was a success, and she is making good progress. Please pray for her and the family during this time.

Please pray for **Judith Williams' mother** and her family as she continues with the current round of chemotherapy.

Please also remember these people in your prayers and those in the fellowship who are largely confined to their homes or continue to be in need of prayer and those who lovingly care for them. We remember especially **Marion Jones, Cynthia Price, Ron Soper, Earl Angove, Margaret Firth, Sylvia Sadler, Sharon Geere, Joan Bradshaw and Earl Angove**

### Preaching Engagements:

Anne Morse is at Pentyrch Street am  
Julian Haines is at Ebenezer Talbot Green pm

### Cytûn Lent Groups

If you would like to be involved with the Cytûn Lent Groups please see your Small Group Leader or add your name to the form on the notice board before **Next** Sunday (31st January). Groups commence during week 22<sup>nd</sup> February. The studies are entitled "When I survey .....Christ's cross and ours."

### Climate Change

Is it really the end of the world! You're invited to *OnShore* where we will discuss a thought provoking film: 'The Age of Stupid' starring Pete Postlethwaite on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 7 pm at Hebron Church - Pill St – Cogan

### Easter Baptisms:

On Easter Sunday evening we will holding a service of baptism. If you feel called to baptism at this time, please speak to Pastor Roger or Pete Everitt as soon as possible so we can start preparation.