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Galatians 2:1-10 – (NIV UK) Paul Accepted by the Apostles

Then after fourteen years, I went up again to Jerusalem, this time with Barnabas. I took Titus along also. ² I went in response to a revelation and, meeting privately with those esteemed as leaders, I presented to them the gospel that I preach among the Gentiles. I wanted to be sure I was not running and had not been running my race in vain. ³ Yet not even Titus, who was with me, was compelled to be circumcised, even though he was a Greek. ⁴ This matter arose because some false believers had infiltrated our ranks to spy on the freedom we have in Christ Jesus and to make us slaves. ⁵ We did not give in to them for a moment, so that the truth of the gospel might be preserved for you.

⁶As for those who were held in high esteem whatever they were makes no difference to me; God does not show favouritism—they added nothing to my message. ⁷ On the contrary, they recognized that I had been entrusted with the task of preaching the gospel to the uncircumcised, just as Peter had been to the circumcised. ⁸ For God, who was at work in Peter as an apostle to the circumcised, was also at work in me as an apostle to the Gentiles. ⁹ James, Cephas and John, those esteemed as pillars, gave me and Barnabas the right hand of fellowship when they recognized the grace given to me. They agreed that we should go to the Gentiles, and they to the circumcised. ¹⁰ All they asked was that we should continue to remember the poor, the very thing I had been eager to do all along.

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

sunday 10th september 2017

today's services

10.30 am – Freedom in Christ Galatians 2:1-10

6.00 pm – But God sent me ahead of you Genesis 45:1-11

mid – week

Monday 7.30 pm: Stand Prayer meeting Wednesday 10.00 am: Communion

thought for the week

Paul wrote, "(Jesus' disciples) asked that we should continue to remember the poor, the very thing I had been eager to do all along." Galatians 2:10

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Items for the newssheet should be emailed to: newssheet@tabspenarth.org.uk by Thursday am

what's : on at tabernacle

10.30 am Pastor Roger and Will Roberts 6.00 pm Julian Haines and Peter Robertson Following the evening service, the '@23' will meet in the upstairs room.

MONDAY – Pastor Owen's Day off

- 9.30 am Maintenance team meet
- $2.30 \ pm \ Women's \ Hour Anne \ Morse$
- 7.30 pm Stand Prayer Meeting

TUESDAY

- 1.00 pm Small Group at 11 Albert Road
- 6.00 pm JAFFA (school yrs 1-2)
- 7.30 pm Small Groups meet

WEDNESDAY

- 9.30 am 11.30 Foodbank Breakfast club at Arcot House
- 10.00 am Communion led by Anne Morse followed by coffee
- 2.30 pm Ladies' Fellowship

THURSDAY

2.30 pm Small Groups meet at Tabs7.30 pm Music Group Practice7.30 pm Small Groups meet

FRIDAY – Pastor Roger's Day Off

- 9.30 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)

NEXT SUNDAY

10.30 am Pastor Roger and Will Roberts communion will be celebrated6.00 pm Pastor Roger and Matthew Baird

Church Meeting for members Monday 25th September

The following groups also meet at the church

Monday to Friday mornings Tuesday at 7.30 pm Tuesday at 7.45 pm Wednesday at 8.00 pm Thursday at 7.30 pm Playgroup Cavatina Choir Prison Fellowship Spectrum Singers Café International

what's : on elsewhere

TWAM Cymru team meet at Bute Lane unit at 9.00 am on Tuesdays & Thursdays

Penarth & District Men's Fellowship

Meet on alternate Thursday morning's at 10.30 am at Elfed Avenue Church. A new men's group is being set up in the area, and will meet during the day at Elfed Ave. Church from September onwards. The first **Relaunch Event** is being held on Thursday 21st September and all men are welcome to join them. Further details from Alan Higgins, 'Conigree' Cross Common Road Dinas Powys.

Induction of Lesley Lawrence on 23rd September at 11 am at Albany Road BC.

All are invited to attend both the induction and the lunch which follows the service. The Albany Road Baptist Church catering team need to know numbers and special dietary requirements in advance, so please add your name to the signup sheet **TODAY** on the noticeboard if you want to attend. At 10 am on Saturday 30th September there will be a **Dementia Friends Information Session** at Tabs This will be delivered by a volunteer dementia champion from the Alzheimer's Society and will be between 45 to 60 minutes. If you are interested in coming along to this, please contact Cath Bourne at cath.bourne@tabspenarth.org.uk

family : news

Elizabeth Curle has had a fall and is back in the Heath. She's had another operation on her hip .

Please also remember these people in your prayers Joan Bennett, Peter Chilton, Joyce Reynolds, Barbara & David Harding, John & Hazel Haggitt, Beryl Murray-Dickson, Dorothy Anderson, Lesley Strain, Mabel Thomas and Jean & Malcolm Greig

Preaching Engagements:

Julian Haines is at Bethel House, Hebron Hall for devotions on Friday

Ann Niblett is at Hope English B C, Gelli pm Anne Morse is at Ponthir BC am Claire Grafton is at the Westminster Theological Centre residential in Telford until Tuesday evening.

Please remember to let Graham know if you are out preaching so that the details can be included in the news sheet

434 Fund. The 434 fund was set up during the gift period in 2007, and began with significant reserves in the fund. From time to time some money has been added and over the last 10 years, we have helped dozens of people with a wide range of financial needs. However, the fund is now almost empty and we are unable to make any further gifts from the fund for the time being. If you would like to put money into the fund, please speak to Pastor Roger or Jon Morse.

Food Bank Volunteers. We require a volunteer to do 2 hours work on a Monday morning collecting food from Sainsbury's in Windsor Road, moving food donations from the church foyer to Arcot House and stacking/sorting food on the shelves in the food store. The volunteer needs to be relatively fit as the work requires some lifting and carrying. Please speak to Claire Grafton if you can help.

Arcot House Volunteer. We also need a volunteer receptionist for Monday mornings at Arcot House to work alongside Claire between 9.30 am and 12.00 noon.

Harvest celebrations

Our Harvest celebrations on Sunday 8th October will be followed by a soup lunch in aid of Tearfund. No ticket or booking required. Always a great time to get together in fellowship over a simple but tasty lunch.

Standing for Christ in the public square

A meeting organised by the Christian Institute at Tabs on Wednesday 20th September at 7.30 pm. They will be bringing the latest news on Christian freedoms, Ashers Baking Co and Transsexualism.

COMING SOON

On Thursday 23rd November at 7.30 pm the professional and well known theatre company Riding Lights will be at Tabs with their highly acclaimed production, Gospel Street. This is not only great entertainment but a mission opportunity. Please put it in your diary and think about who you can invite. Tickets £10 concessions £8.