

Real Church Real Life

Public lectures at FMBC

On Monday 29th September we begin a series of talks from the book of II Corinthians. The speaker, Robert Murdock, is the Principal of the FMBC. He has served as the minister of two Churches, one in the UK and the other in Canada. Robert is excited about having the opportunity to journey through II Corinthians in these evening lectures.

The Church at Corinth stood at the crossroads of the ancient world and faced the same kind of challenges that Churches in the 21st-century in Edinburgh face. This letter is bursting at the seams with lessons for us to discover, learn and apply to each of our lives and church fellowships.

2 Corinthians does not enjoy the popularity among Christians that it deserves. The letter contains Paul's most comprehensive statement in the New Testament concerning the death of Christ (5:14-21). It extols the superiority of the new covenant over the old that is paralleled only by the book of Hebrews. It brings to light the struggles in ministry in a way that no other book does. It is a letter which is full of passion and pathos as Paul defends himself and his ministry against his critics that were seeking to destabilize the Church.

In short, this is a study worth being part of. Come and join us each Monday evening from 7.30-9.00 pm.

On at least four of the ten evenings, men with experience in the area of study will bring a focused and practical treatment of the subject in the second lecture.

School of the Bible lectures starts at 7.30pm, with a break for tea/coffee.

There is no charge for these events.

CHURCH TREASURER VACANCY

Helen Palmer, our current treasurer, would like to end her term March/April 2015 and we are now advertising this very important and essential position. To help you find out if this may be for you, here are the basic skill requirements for the position:

Requirements

The person needs to be comfortable using computers and programs (there is one specifically designed for the book keeping that we use called Finance co-ordinator). There is a church PC and several files for reference that go with the position. An eye for detail and accuracy is needed and it is also important to meet regular deadlines. An overlap training period of at least 3 months is envisaged. You will never be without assistance in this position as help and advice will always be available from ex-treasurers.

If you are interested, Helen will be delighted to talk through what is involved.

Children's Holiday Club

Children's Holiday club for PL-P7s

When? October 13-17th from 10.00-12.15pm

Where? Liberton Northfield Church, 280 Gilmerton Road

Cost? FREE

This is being run with the help of Scripture Union.

Come and find out how to be fit for a king and who this king is. There's a party at the palace, who will be going? Action-packed, Fun, Games, Bible Stories, Craft, Challenges, Memory verses, Drama, Snack

Places limited to 50 children. To pre-register please contact one of the Holiday Club Team or Helen Palmer for forms.