

ELLES EXPRESS

Elles Road Bible Chapel

Cnr Earn St & Elles Road
Invercargill.

...To Grow God's Church

Welcome everyone to
Sunday @ 10 this morning.
It would be great
if you could join us for
Coffee or Tea at the break
and a chat afterwards.

CHILDREN'S AREA

For those parents and
caregivers who have
Pre School age young
children, there is an area at
the back of the Chapel that
you are most welcome to use
if you need to.

Website: www.erbc.nz
Phone 2173556

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Only Jesus
can turn...
a *mess* to a *message*,
a *test* into a *testimony*,
a *trial* into a *triumph*,
a *victim* into a *victory*.
He is worthy to be
PRAISED.:)

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SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

WHAT'S ON TODAY.

10.00am Sunday @ 10
Teaching
Speaker: David van't Wout
"Listening & Doing"
James 1 v 19 - 27
10.45am Morning Tea
11.00am Worship
6.00pm Community Meal

NEXT SUNDAY:

10.00am Sunday @ 10
Worship
10.40am Break
11.00am Family & Friends
Speaker: Stuart Davie
"The Power to Change"
Followed by a shared lunch

AWESOME BOYS CAMP - ABC 2016.

This is the ultimate boys camp; an action packed weekend of adventure and excitement, designed by boys, for boys.

The Farm provides the perfect playground for all the outdoor activities a young man dreams of, motor biking, archery, wilderness camping, bush craft, camp fire yarn, hunting, motorcycle maintenance, food indulging (BBQ) and firearm safety.

The camp has been designed to provide a balance of fun boys-stuff activities, along side a leadership program that encourages them to develop a "Have a Go Attitude". Meals, transport, resource equipment are all provided and kids will love our bunk accommodation

The 'Aims' of the Awesome Boys Camp are to build into boys life's that they are worthy and potentially be men for God, husbands and future Dad's by using three specific guiding areas:

1. SPIRITUAL - building strong Christian character
2. EDUCATIONAL - increased knowledge and understanding
3. PHYSICAL - developing physical fitness and team co-operation

When? Friday 14 - Sunday 16 October 2016.

Where? Christies Farm, Brassknocker Road. Alexandra.

Who? Boys only from age 8 - 13.

Why? For epic fun and to be challenged and explore the main message of the Bible.

Cost? Donation or whatever!

Contact: Neville Ph. 0275223833 or Dale Ph. 0272661986

FAMILY & FRIENDS LUNCH.

As we are having a shared lunch next Sunday, could you all please bring along a Salad or a Chicken dish and a sweet slice.



WANTED TO BUY.

Rachel is looking to buy an Overlocker.

If you have one you are looking at selling or know of one please see her or call her on Ph. 2131380.



PRAYER GROUPS.

NORTH GROUP - No Group.

SOUTH CITY GROUP - No Group.

Please check with your host as these are subject to change.

If you have any prayer requests please get in touch with our Prayer Coordinator Bridget Hillas on ph.

2176725 or email her on:

bridgethillas@gmail.com

PRAYER POINTS.

- ◆ Ashley serving in Thailand and as she considers her future and where she will be.
- ◆ Please pray specifically for families to come along to ERBC.
- ◆ Tonight's community Meal
- ◆ Please pray for Musicians for the music team.
- ◆ For rest and refreshment while the school holidays are on for those busy with activities.
- ◆ For Martin Chalmers after he had an accident during the week.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK.

The Entertainment book fundraising has now wound down.

The books have now gone back to Dunedin.

If you haven't got a book, but would like one, you can still order and pay for it online and it will be posted Free of charge to you.

Just grab a flyer from the sound desk with all the information on.

Thank you to those who have purchased a book this year.

PRAYER & PRAISE FROM MISSIONARY PARTNERS.

Matthew & Alison, Zambia (Day 11)

Matthew leaves October 25 for three weeks in Australia and NZ. He will be a guest speaker at the Rotary District 9710 Conference in Goulburn, NSW, after which he will be addressing various Rotary Clubs in the ACT, Brisbane, South Island & Auckland. Although the purpose of the visit will be general promotion of Limapela activities, one of the specific projects being undertaken by the Rotary Club of Canberra is for a new ablution block at Luyando Community School. Please pray for protection for Alison during Matthew's absence, and pray that she will cope with the added responsibilities.

Marcus & Beth, Thailand (Day 6)

Give thanks our girls are adjusting well to their new school. Please pray for energy and strength for them as their day is much longer with a 7.15 start and a 4pm finish. We are on the lookout for a new home. Please pray we will be directed to the right one.

Colleen, India (Day 9)

Thanks to those who have been praying for me during the time of my surgery and recuperation. I'm finding the recuperation time the hardest and I still need prayer for strength. I am walking with the help of nurses and it will still take time for me to walk alone. Pray I will be able to walk on my own soon. I am learning a lot of patience during these days and I'm very grateful to all those who have sent me a card and have assured me of their love and prayers.

Roger, Asia (Day 7)

Across the Philippines New Hope now has 86 churches and outreaches. It is my joy to work with our national board of fifteen who have served with us for many years. The Department of Social Welfare has given us accreditation with a national licence as a social welfare agency. This work goes hand in hand with our medical missions, evangelism and church planting. Your prayers are valued especially for our dynamic workers serving in the terrorist areas near Zamboanga.

Ashley (Day 14)

Over the border fighting has broken out. During that time children were at home. For a time three hadn't been heard from but now two have returned safely. There is huge concern for a 15yr old boy as he hasn't been heard from and nobody knows where he is. The army is using people as human shields so we are extremely concerned for his safety. Pray for this boy and his return. Pray he is ok and not in danger.



WARRIOR

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



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Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, — 1 PETER 5:8-9 NIV

ACTIVITIES.

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE TAKING A BREAK FOR THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.
HOWEVER THE STUDY BELOW IS STILL ON.

WEDNESDAY: 7.30pm Wednesday night Bible Study at Gerald & Anne's home.
Contact Gerald Pask (2173556)

SERVICE.

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| WELCOMING: | Graeme & Leanne Hillas |
| Next Week: | Colin Hutton & Nik Vivian |
| SOUND SYSTEM: | Jono van't Wout |
| Next Week: | Graeme Hillas |
| COMPUTER: | Ruth Wright |
| Next Week: | Josh van't Wout |
| MORNING TEA: | Dorothy Chalmers |
| Next Week: | Sandy Wilson & Leanne Hillas <u>Lunch</u> |
| CHAIRING: | Jordan Wilson |
| Next Week: | Matt Rutherford |
| FOCUS: | Kevin Wilson |
| Next Week: | |

If you are unable to complete your duty, please arrange Your own swap.

Any notices for the Elles Express should be sent to:
gralea.hillas@xtra.co.nz
Or phone 2178787 by Wednesday evening.

If you have any issues with the ERBC website, please also get in touch.