

## God's Extending Christian Family



Please join us for a cup of tea and some fellowship in the Minor Hall after our 08:00, 09:30 and 18:30 services.

### Small Group Watch

If you would like to get involved in the **Mahube Ministry**, a ministry to the ill with HIV/Aids, please contact Dee Pullen on 012 460 5034 / 083 400 2904

Please look in the foyer for our complete list of Bible Study / Fellowship Groups, as well as a list of all Ministries at Brooklyn

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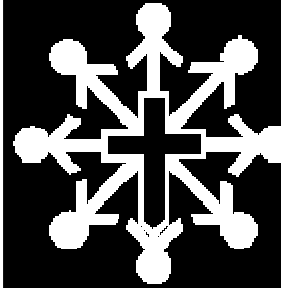
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### Sunday Services

#### 11 September 2011

08:00

Gary Molver

09:30

Gary Molver

18:30

Taiki Dimas

#### 18 September 2011

08:00

Gary Molver

[Communion]

09:30

Gary Molver/  
Taiki Dimas

[Confirmation]

18:30

Taiki Dimas

#### 25 September 2011

08:00

Dennis Hurrell

09:30

Gary Molver

[Family Service]

18:30

Gary Molver

## Brooklyn Methodist Church

Weekly Bulletin 11 September 2011

Greetings to you our Brooklyn family,

What a beautiful season we are in!! I had forgotten just how beautiful spring is here in Pretoria!!! It is probably more so for people like ourselves who have physically, spiritually and emotionally had a long winter! With spring comes the promise of new growth, new life and a motivation purely from brighter warmer days.

I have been given a spot on the front page and hope it is not the last as it allows me a special opportunity to communicate with you as my spiritual family, Brooklyn Methodist people.

Andrew is on the way to a strong recovery having completed his chemotherapy and with the new baby close to arrival, we are experiencing Spring in our home in every way possible. Thank you once again for the stalwarts that you have been to us, enabling us to get to this point relatively unscathed.

We had our first **Tuesdays with Molly/Gail** (that is me!!) this last week (every Tuesday at 15:00 at our home, 75 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Menlo Park) and what a blessing to get to know some of you wonderful ladies!!! I look forward to many many more! I see this as an opportunity to grow our community in a deep and lasting fellowship, one that will bring a spring feeling and a strong growth particularly to the women in our congregation. I would like to leave you with these words, in order that we might reflect on how God looks after those who call Him Lord!

"You are fearfully and wonderfully made, hemmed in from before and behind"! He is a constant gardener, tending to our needs even when we are unaware or unable to appreciate it! Enjoy the colours of His love as we serve Him in community!

Much love and blessings  
Gail (Molly)

### Children & Youth Ministries

09:30-10:45

Pre-School to Teens

The theme for our Sunday School today is  
"Paul and the shipwreck!"  
Acts 27:1 - 28:1



# NUTS & BOLTS

## WORLD CUP RUGBY

On the weekend of 17<sup>th</sup> September, the Youth will be hosting a fundraiser at the church. The funds raised will go towards our *mission trip in October*. We are hoping to have the World Cup Rugby matches showing on the big screen on the Saturday morning - One of the fixtures being South Africa vs Fiji. We are looking for a portable DSTV decoder for the Saturday morning. If you are able to help, please contact David on 082 857 5808 or Catherine on 082 627 5766.

**A SPARK OF GRACE – by Dr Donald Cragg**  
The Wesleyan Methodist Mission in South Africa 1816-1883

There has been no systematic history of Methodism in South Africa since 1906. *Dr Cragg's new book*, the first volume of what will eventually be a three part series is entitled **A SPARK OF GRACE**. It tells the story of Methodism in South Africa from the time the British Conference first sent missionaries until the establishment of the first South African Conference. Here is the story of the early sparks that later blazed into the Methodist advance into Southern Africa. The cost of the book is R100. *Should you wish to purchase a copy, please put your name and contact number on the list in the foyer.*

## HEALING PRAYER NEEDS

Please uphold these people in your prayers. Forward names of people you would like us to include on the list, to Linda at the church office.

<b>Rob Megaw</b>	<b>Des Stroebel</b>	<b>Kay Barclay</b>
<b>Diedre de Muelenaere</b>	<b>Joy Holtzhausen</b>	<b>Roy Tustin</b>
<b>Peter Cooke</b>	<b>Vivienne Martin</b>	<b>Barry &amp; Dee Hughes-Gibbs</b>

**Prayer Chain – If you are in need of prayer, or know of someone who needs prayer, please phone Elaine Seeman on 012 348 1703 or Olga Mole on 012 346 0792**

## DAILY PRAYER BEAMS

<b>11 September</b> Margaret Rodseth	<b>12 September</b> Donald & Eleanor Roe	<b>13 September</b> Barry Rood
<b>14 September</b> Frank & Michelle Roos	<b>15 September</b> Nellie Roos	<b>16 September</b> Jacques & Sharon Rootman
<b>17 September</b> Tonnie & Annemarie Rosch		

*The people on the "Daily Prayer Beams" are contacted by the Care Group to see how they are and whether they have any prayer requests.*

## BULLETIN BOARD



Flowers are placed in the church today by Esmay Pretorius thanking God for many blessings received. ALSO by Faith Marufu in memory of Mike Marufu who passed on on 12 September 2008. Thank you, Church, for standing by me during this time. God heals through the touch of the love of His people. I miss you all.

CSC North is urgently looking for fosterparents for the following children:

- White Boy of 5 years old (longterm placement)
- Black girl of 8 months old (longterm placement)

Please contact Minka Landman (Social Worker) for more information at (012) 344 1291 or email to kinders2@cmrn.co.za

## Kairos Prison Ministry

A plea for the **loan** of caravans to sleep the 'outside' Kairos team on the camping grounds at Baviaanspoort Prison. If you can help in any way, kindly contact John Iles on 073 674 5600.

## Men's Fellowship

**Date:** Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September  
**Time:** 07:00 (Please note earlier time)  
**Venue:** Dunstan Hall  
**Speaker:** Ansie Harding  
**Topic:** bigger, Bigger, BIGGER  
**Cost:** R20 per person  
Booking essential. Ladies always welcome  
Contact: Ralph Webber on 012 348 0356 or 082 463 3171

**Senior Friendship will not meet during September. They will meet again on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October.**

The MCSA Conference will be held from 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> September in Lesotho (for the first time)

Executive Meeting – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 18:45

## Weekly Church Diary

**Monday**  
16:00 – 18:00 "Pastoral Hour" (Gary's office)  
18:30 Alpha 9 "Why & how should we tell others?"

**Tuesday**  
10:00 Bible study (Dunstan Hall)  
15:00 Tea with Molly (Gail)  
75 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Menlo Park  
071 600 8600 / 012 346 8277  
Youth Bible Study (Coffee Bar)

19:00-20:30  
**Wednesday**  
19:00-20:30 Student Bible study (Pastoral Care Centre)  
19:00-20:30 Young Adults Bible study (F/Glen)  
Marc Greenland 072 491 2164  
WEBS Bible Study in Minor Hall

19:15  
**Thursday**  
19:00 Confirmation (Dunstan Hall)

**Friday**  
18:30-21:30 Youth activity

**Saturday**  
08:00-09:00 Evening worship team practice  
09:00-10:00 Youth worship team practice  
14:00-16:00 Manyano Ladies (Prefab)  
(next meeting 17<sup>th</sup> September)

The **Women's World Day of Prayer Breakfast**, Pretoria East Region, takes place on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2011, 08:00 for 09:00 at Lynnwood Catholic Church, c/o Roderick St and The Border East. Cost: R30  
*Contact person: Elna Pieterse 084 506 7870*

**Please make every effort to attend our Annual Society Meeting for all members which takes place on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 09:30 in the Dunstan Hall.**

We will be having a tea after our Confirmation Service at 09:30 on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September. All are invited. Please bring a plate of eats if you are able.

To add news to the bulletin, please contact linda@brooklynmethodist.org.za