10th - 17th January 2021

Vision Sunday: Behold, I am doing a new thing: Guy
Focus: Isaiah 43: 1-3a & 18-21.
DCF Virtual Church Service. Available from 10:30am online here on Sunday morning:
www.dawlishchristianfellowship.net/news/virtual-church
9:00-10am: Virtual Prayer: arranged by Graham
9:00-10am: Virtual SLT led Prayer via Zoom: arranged by Mark
No Thursday prayer meeting
10:30 am: The Force Awakens: Communion Service
Focus: Acts 2 v1-14 and v36-41

For any notices, please contact Cecilia on: <u>officedcf@gmail.com</u> by Thursday morning. For urgent Senior Leadership, or ROC Dawlish, email Mark Jones at: <u>markjones198@gmail.com</u> Any other church-related enquires, email the Church Office at: <u>officedcf@gmail.com</u> Safeguarding, phone Jane Coombes on: 07399 572192 Church Website: www.dawlishchristianfellowship.net Church Office : 01626 888469 2 Black Swan Business Park, Black Swan Road, Dawlish EX7 0FQ

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Notices

There will be a lot of important information being communicated over the next few months through our services, in the notice sheet and on the website. Please join us every Sunday morning online, via our website, so you don't miss anything. This week is Vision Sunday. Guy will be bringing us a message based on Isaiah 43: 1-3a & 18-21. We'll be looking towards the coming year, and what we believe God has in store for us at DCF.

The SLT have been working on a discipleship and teaching planner. They want their preaching to encourage the membership and 'attendees' to look forward positively into 2021, preparing them for change as we transition (at some point) into Hope Church and also a new building. The planner has set out a programme only up to Easter so that the SLT has time to finalise what the sequence and timing of engagement with the church family will be on the leadership changes, release of more people into ministry, what the activity focus areas will be and replanting into Hope Church.

"Lights, Camera, Action - Hope is Rising!":

If a movie or story was to be written about DCF's transitional journey into Hope Church and the evolving ministry and kingdom impact in Dawlish, what type of movie or story would it be? What would the events, scenes or 'acts' be like? The Book of Acts recalls how Jesus started to build His church



- it is narrative, not prescriptive, telling of the key characters, events and outcomes. The highs, the lows. Learning through good times and bad. This series is not a preaching series on Acts. Rather as we embark on our transitional and missional journey, what can we learn from the Book of Acts as we fix our eyes on Jesus and be obedient in His Great Commission? We will 'hover' and sometimes 'parachute in' on various events and characters in Acts to equip us for this journey. We are not following someone else's teaching

series, rather we are saying 'Lord what do you have for us in this context of Dawlish'? The series will be branded around the 'movie' theme, with a famous movie title or strapline (using the title only, not major on content!), imagery, language and delivery that is action and impact orientated. Each week there will be a 1 page summary note as a quick reference guide, with a 'going deeper' section to encourage further study. There will be a parallel reading plan through the Book of Acts taking us up to Palm Sunday.



Prayer this week: (Zoom links and points for personal prayer)
For the SLT led prayer meeting on Tuesday morning @ 9am use:
Link: https://us04web.zoom.us/i/74032874524?pwd=THA3YWZGK3ZFVUdseCtsODNwTIJxUT09
Please contact the office for the meeting ID and password

This week:

 Please pray for wisdom & discernment for the SLT as they meet on Saturday morning, and continue to pray as they refine the vision for 2021, which looks to be a challenging but exciting year!

The Zoom chat this Sunday will be at 12 noon. The session runs from 12.00 to 12.30 and we are able to share how our week has been, anything that specifically spoke to you from the service and bring any points for prayer.

Here's the link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87683897530?pwd=NnhBSIZLWUFodIRQdWJpR0E1QmVCUT09

Meeting ID: 876 8389 7530 Passcode: coffee

Don't forget that if you have a story or some news to share, please get in touch with Cecilia in the DCF office.



Police would like to make you aware of the following scam which has occurred over a wide area.

Users have been sent a text purporting to be from a NHS body or similar informing the user that they are entitled to a COVID-19 vaccination. They are then invited to click on a link within the text message that takes them to a web page.

This web page will ask for personal details including "card payment details".

By supplying this information, personal bank accounts are being raided by the scammers.

This is a very convincing text purporting to be from the NHS. Any genuine invitation from your GP or other NHS body for the COVID-19 vaccination will NOT ask for any payment details.

Stay Safe, Stay Home, Stay Well and beware of this Scam.

Should anyone receive similar contact, please report this to Action Fraud on <u>0300 123 2040</u>, or online at <u>www.actionfraud.police.uk</u>

Follow this link to the Dorset Police website for crime prevention advice -

https://www.dorset.police.uk/help-advice-crime-prevention/