

21 September 2025

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SERVICE TIMES

Bible Study & Sunday School

Bible Study 9:00- 9:45 AM.
Sunday School 9:00-9:45 AM
Young Adults 9:00- 9:45 AM.
Youth 9:00- 9:45 AM.

Sunday Worship

AM: 10:00 - 11:15

PM: 18:00 –19:00

Living a new life in Christ

From the desk of Dereck...

God Is Worthy of All Praise

Every first day of the week, members of the Lord's church assemble to worship their heavenly Father according to the Scriptures (**cf. Acts 20:6-7; 1 Cor. 11:18-32; 1 Cor. 16:1-2**). Many people, however, feel that going to church is not for them. They say they don't need a building to worship God. They can worship God anywhere in their daily living. This feeling is not supported by the Scriptures. In Psalm 150, the Lord says there is a proper place to worship, a proper reason to worship, and everyone is required to worship.

In the first verse, the psalm tells us that worship is done in the sanctuary of God. "Praise the Lord! Praise God in His sanctuary; Praise Him in His mighty firmament!" When the psalm was written, the sanctuary of the Lord was the temple. Today, however, the temple of the Lord is the church (**Eph. 2:19-22**). ***"Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God...in whom the whole building, being fitted together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord..."*** If you are not assembled with the church, you are not in the right place for worship.

In **verse 2**, we see why God should be worshipped. ***"Praise Him for His mighty acts; Praise Him according to His excellent greatness!"*** Who is the God that we worship? He is the God who spoke the universe into existence, who parted the Red Sea, and who gave His only begotten Son to die for the sins of the world. Who can compare to the power, wonder, and love of the Lord? The Lord must be praised because He is worthy. If your worship is not aimed at praising the Lord, your heart is not in the right place for worship.

Finally, the psalmist explains that everyone is required to worship God. ***"Let everything that has breath praise the Lord."*** Every created being owes its existence to the Lord. Not only that, but He also provides daily blessings, caring for us like a devoted Father. **Psalm 103:13** tells us, ***"As a father pities his children, So the Lord pities those who fear Him. For He knows our frame; He remembers that we are dust."*** If our Father is so caring, why would we not take the small amount of time He requires of our week to give thanks to Him for all He has done for us?

God is worthy of all praise. He has demonstrated His love for us in all aspects of our lives. Are we so self-important that we think we don't need to demonstrate our love in return? We all must humbly gather in the proper place He designated for worship and with the appropriate reason He designated for prayer. Don't miss all the blessings of worship by forsaking the assembly.

Let's keep God at the centre of our calling and give Him all thanks and praise.

Love in Christ

Dereck

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LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Tuesdays at 10am

Contact: Sue 063 779 9914 or Ali 084 5584 508

MID WEEK BIBLE STUDY CLASS

Wednesday 7.00 - 8.00 pm

SMALL GROUPS

Thursday evening group, Bible Study

Thursday 7.00—8.00pm

Contact: Johan G 083 233 4726 or Darryn 072 385 9062

YOUTH FRIDAYS 18H30—20H00 (alternates)

Kids for Christ Grade 2 to Grade 7

Contact: Tish 084 398 8556 or Gaynor 072 111 5220

YOUTH Grade 8 to Grade 12

Contact: Johan & Gaynor Pienaar 083 456 0791

PRAYER REQUESTS



Those who are ill/surgeries: Jackie October, Christina Lallam, Dennis Stubbs, Reg Townsend, Jenni Woolicot, Annette Day, Neil Taylor, Elijah April.

The bereaved: Our love & condolences to Hannah Brocklebank and family & to all those who have lost loved ones. May the God of comfort be with you.

The elderly & those in need of prayer: SA Bible College, our country & leaders & world leaders, and those affected by all the wars around the world.

UPCOMING EVENTS

LADIES DAY—REVIVIE & THRIVE

Date: 27 Sept

Venue: Central Church of Christ

Time: 10am—2pm

Booking is now closed

MONTH END TEA

Date: Sunday 28 Sept

Venue: Bellville church

Time: After service

Please bring a tasty plate of eats to share and enjoy some fellowship with one another.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Rotondwa Likhetha	21 Sep
Michelle Whitmill	21 Sep
Melea Basson (nee Parker)	23 Sep
Ridodzula Netshavha	25 Sep
Allison Diedericks	25 Sep
Kyle Grunewald	27 Sep

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY



Elroy & Melody Snell—27 Sept

TUESDAY LADIES' CLASS

Teaching: Shirley

Supporting Sisters

Ch 6 Demonstrating Empathy

Announcements & prayer: Sue



THURSDAY GROUP

Durbanville group will meet at the home of Rikki & Caley Jäck.

Johan will be teaching.

Please contact Christa Gerber on 084 897 4974 with any queries.

Malmesbury/Paarl group also meet on a Thursday, on zoom.

Please contact Darryn McLachlan 072 385 9062 for the details.



SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE

Love where you live

Date: Sun 21 Sept

at: 6pm

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9am—9:45am

DATE	21 September	28 September
Cradle roll	TBC	TBC
Age 4—6	Marietjie & Lauren	Marietjie & Lauren
Grade 1—2	Anemari	Anemari
Grade 3 - 4	Anemari	Anemari
Grade 5 - 7	Willie Bester	Willie Bester

THIS WEEK 21 September 2025

DUTY ROSTER

NEXT WEEK 28 September 2025

AM	PM		AM	PM
Johan Gerber		ANNOUNCEMENTS	Darryn McLachlan	
Johan Gerber		SONG LEADER	Stephen Leibbrandt	
Zane Elgar		LORD'S SUPPER	Rikki Jäck	
Zane, Juan, Criston, Allen		AM SERVERS	Rikki, Tendani, Duan Kyle	
Juan Thomas		SCRIPTURE & PRAYER	Tendani Mabuda	
Dereck Beukes	Love where you live	PREACHING	Zane Elgar	Lads & Leaderettes to Leaders
Criston Sloan		CLOSING PRAYER	Duan Stander	
		COMMUNION		
		TEA		
Charles		Sound	Eleanor	

FINANCES

God bless you

as you excel

In your giving -

2 Cor. 8 : 7



BANKING DETAILS

NEDBANK

ACC Name: Bellville Church of Christ

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