

Gold there is, and rubies in abundance, but lips that speak knowledge are a rare jewel. Proverbs: 20:15 (NIV)

From The Ten of Pastor Judi

Arise and Build God's Kingdom.

Do you see difficulties in every opportunity – or do you see opportunities in every difficulty?

Following on from Pastor Judi's sermon – we need to come together to work for the Lord.

There is a wall which we, as disciples of Christ, are to build – one of Christian truth, righteousness and good will. A wall, not to keep people out, but to help others to 'come in.'

Each one of us, in some way or other are to take our trowel in our hand – a willing hand.

If we think that coming together of a number of us, as separate individuals, can do nothing and decide that nothing can be done – where are we building up the Kingdom of God?

We need to change this way of thinking. We should resolve to get something done, both individually and collectively. We should exercise sanctified initiative, trying to match our methods to new situations.

There is a song titled: "Call the Power Down." We can bring down power from on high, for that is the divine equipment which makes us — more than conquerors through Him that loved us.

Our faith must remain firm in the Bible as the inerrantly inspired Word of God and not give in to the undermining of our Christian ethics.

Thought Provoking Words.

Here at the cross in this sacred hour, Here at the source of reviving power, Helpless indeed, I come with my need; Lord, for thy service, fit me I plead.

(Bramwell Coles (1887-1960)

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The Pastor Is In:

Pastor Judi provides pastoral care to all who attend the church and overall site throughout the week. She is able to meet on or off site, depending on your preferences. Best contact 0423 375 714.

<u>Please note:</u> Pastor Judi is in the office all day Mondays, and half a day on Wednesdays and Fridays only. Pastor Judi does not work Tuesdays, Thursdays or Saturdays. However she will return your call if it is an emergency.

Please have your mobile phone on silent





Sunday Services:

October 27th Subject: Accepting the gift Preacher: Colin

Readings: Mark 7:24-30 Ryan Mark 2:31-37 Marg

Helpers: Ryan & Marg Communion Noel

November 3rd Subject: The purpose of Jesus **Preacher**: Judi

Readings: Mark 9:2-13 Jeanne Mark 9:14-29 Bob

Helpers: Jeanne & Bob Communion Noel







Church Happenings

AGM: Today after the morning service, followed by our community lunch.

Church Surveys: All attendees were provided with a church survey. The results will assist the Church and its members to determine where we wish to be in the future, given the changes happening in the surrounding community.

Church BYO BBQ: November 5th at Victory Park, Camp Street Chelsea, Weather Permitting. BBqs near car park 10:30 am. BYO food & refreshments (no alcohol). For enquires please speak to Len.