

The Bible – A Traveller

“The Bible is the greatest traveler in the world. It penetrates to every country, civilized and uncivilized. It is seen in the royal palace and in the humble cottage. It is the friend of Emperors and beggars. It is read by the light of the dim candle amid Arctic snows. It is read under the glare of the equatorial sun. It is read in city and country, amid the crowds and in solitude. Wherever its message is received, it frees the mind from bondage and fills the heart with gladness.”

Dr Arthur Tappen Pierson
[1837 – 1911]
American Reformed Presbyterian

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“Amid the crowds of the court, or the forum, or the street, or the market-place where every soul seems to be set upon the excitements of ambition, or of business, or of pleasure, there too, even there, the still small voice of the Holy Bible will be heard, and the soul, aided by some blessed words, may find wings like a dove, may fly away and be at rest.”

William Ewart Gladstone
[1809 -98]
Four Times Prime Minister of Gt. Britain

Items for next week to Mike L by Thursday, please.

Falmouth

9th October 2011
Killigrew Street
Falmouth
Pastor: Rev Mike C Coles BSc



“So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. But I say, have they not heard? Yes indeed: Their sound has gone out to all the earth, and their words to the end of the world.”
[Romans 10:17-18]

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The Week Ahead

<p style="text-align: center;">Today 9th October</p> <p><u>Morning</u>: 'The Sparrow finds a home' Psalm 84:3</p> <p><u>Evening</u>: Nick Stead (CWI) & Afterchurch</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Services: 10.30am & 6.30 pm Led by our Pastor</p> <p style="text-align: center;">3pm Junior 'Xplorers'</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4pm 'Xplorers'</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5pm Tea</p> <p style="text-align: center;">6pm Prayer meeting</p>
<p>Wednesday</p> <p>Sunday 9th October</p>	<p>7.30pm Prayer Meeting</p> <p>Usual Sunday Services</p>

The Scriptures in English – A Short History [22] William Tyndale [1495 to 1536]

William Tyndale was an Oxford university trained linguist who early conceived it to be his mission to translate the Bible into English from the original Greek and Hebrew, and to give it to the common people as the surest way of overthrowing error. A contemporary of Tyndale recorded the famous incident that stiffened Tyndale's commitment to his mission: *"Master Tyndale happened to be in the company of a learned man, and in communing and disputing with him drove him to that issue that the learned man said, we were better without God's law than the pope's: Master Tyndale, hearing that, answered him, 'I defy the pope and all his laws,' and said, 'If God spare my life ere many years, I will cause a boy that driveth the plough shall know more of the scripture than thou dost.'"* Tyndale began his life's work in London in 1523.

Notices

- The best service for newcomers to attend is probably the Sunday morning one.
- We look forward to meetings with John Blanchard at Truro College on 20th October and the following evening at Penzance Baptist (both meetings at 7.30 pm). Invitations and posters are available
- This evening Nick Stead (CWI) will take our evening service and an afterchurch. We hope to invite newly arrived students to our service on 23rd October (am). Do pray for students going to University or College for the first time, or indeed, returning to start the new academic year. On 30th October we will have a LCM speaker for our evening service and an afterchurch
- There will be a Barnabas Fund Prayer Meeting on Thursday October 13th at Tuckingmill.
- In addition to his usual assemblies at St Francis Mike {C} will be taking assemblies at Chacewater and Nansloe and will be meeting with a SACRE subcommittee concerning resources for the new Agreed Syllabus

To all who meet here today

- Our hope is that you will know God's presence as we join together in the worship of our Almighty God.
- Visitors may wish to know that we do not take up an offering but gifts may be placed in the bookcase by the door.
- A 'loop' system operates for the hard of hearing.
- A 'step-climbing' chair is available to aid access to the meeting room.
- Children of Primary School age and under are welcome to attend our morning Sunday School, starting after the penultimate Hymn.
- Tea and coffee is served immediately after each service.
- In event of emergency, exit from the meeting room is via the main door.