

The Signpost

pring has sprung! There's new life in the gardens, parks and fields around Perthshire, and new hope across the country that things are starting to improve in relation to the coronavirus situation.

We hope you enjoy this Spring edition of The Signpost which, has been produced by the Christians who meet at Perth Gospel Hall (www.perthgospelhall.com).

As always, please get in touch if you have any questions or comments, or if we can be of any help to you!



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This month's cover photo was taken from the picturesque village of Kenmore, on the banks of the beautiful Loch Tay.



LIFE-CHANGING GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!

he message of the Bible (the Gospel) really is life-changing good news!

The Bible tells us that "the gift of God is eternal life" and that it can be received through personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ (Romans 6:23). This gift was paid for by Jesus Himself when He suffered and died on the cross for our sins.

Eternal life is not simply life that lasts forever in Heaven, but life that links us with God here and now. It is a new kind of life altogether. This is why Jesus described receiving it as being "born again" (John 3:1-21).

The Bible says that "anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun" (2 Corinthians 5:17).

Here are 4 'new things' connected with the 'new life' we can have through Christ.

1) NEW PEACE

The Bible states that our sins have upset God and **separated** us from Him. There is conflict between us and our Creator. However, Jesus has made **peace** with God possible by paying sin's penalty in His death on the **cross**. When we trust in Jesus



our sins are forgiven, we're **reconciled** to God and we enter into a relationship with our Creator.

2) NEW PURPOSE

The Bible explains that mankind was created to enjoy God's company and live for God's pleasure. While separated from God by our sins we are unable to do this. As a result, many people feel there's an **emptiness** to life. Only when we enter into a relationship with God, through faith in Jesus, are we able to fulfil our intended purpose as human beings and experience the life God created us for.

3) NEW PEOPLE

Becoming a Christian doesn't simply bring us into a new circle of friends - it actually brings us into a whole new **family!** When we trust in Jesus Christ we are 'born again'



as children of God into the family of God. We can call God our Father and every Christian in the world our brother or sister.

4) NEW PROSPECTS

Having been born again into God's family we are assured of spending eternity in God's family home - **Heaven**. Heaven is a perfect place, free from all the pain and problems of this world. It has been prepared for those who trust in Jesus. The wonderful prospect of being in Heaven one day helps us to cope with the difficulties we often experience on the journey of life in the meantime.

Jesus Christ is a **life-changer**! Trust in Him today!

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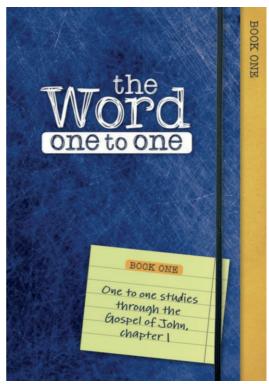
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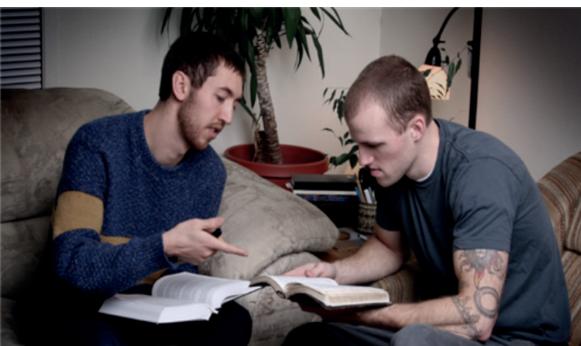
INTERESTED IN A BIBLE STUDY?

We run a number of one to one, and small group, Bible studies. These studies are a great way to learn more about God, and are suitable for all levels, whether you know lots, little, or nothing about the Bible!

The studies are very informal and can be arranged at a time that suits you, either via Zoom / FaceTime or in person (Covid restrictions permitting!)

If you're interested in finding out more, or possibly starting a Bible study, please get in touch! (Contact details on back page)







LOOKING TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE CHRISTIAN FAITH? LET US INTRODUCE YOU TO A GREAT WEBSITE TO EXPLORE!

Inderstanding the Gospel was launched in 2019 to provide video, written and audio resources to help people understand the good news of Jesus Christ.

Many frequently asked questions about the Christian faith are addressed in articles and videos, covering subjects such as God, Jesus, The Bible, salvation and living for God.

Whether you are already a Christian, or are just interested in exploring the faith, there are numerous easy-to-read articles on this website which we are sure you'll find helpful.

New content is added regularly and some of the contributors are associated with Perth Gospel Hall, so log in and have a look around!



When The Penny Drops -**Elaine's Story**

You'll find this touching video in the 'PERSONAL STORIES' section of the website. We highly recommend you take 5 minutes to watch it!

Elaine is originally from Comrie. In this video she tells her story of how her faith in God helped her through a serious battle with cancer a few years ago.

WWW.UNDERSTANDINGTHEGOSPEL.ORG





RECIPE: FLUFFY BUNNY TAILS ...

INGREDIENTS:

- White Marshmallows
- White Chocolate
- Coconut Flakes

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Melt the white chocolate
- 2. Dip the marshmallows in the melted chocolate
- 3. Sprinkle the coconut flakes over the marshmallows
- 4. Leave to set



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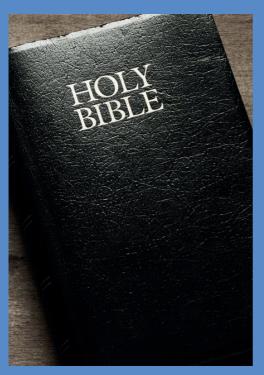






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