

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## TODAY

- ◆ Prayer Time at 6.00pm in Hilltown.
- ◆ Evening Service at 6.30pm in Hilltown. Speaker: Rev. Damien Boyle
- ◆ Prayer Time for the Summer Bible Club after the evening service.

## MONDAY

- ◆ Prayer Meeting at 7.00pm in Clonduff.

## TUESDAY

- ◆ Delivery of Summer Fun Club invitations to the homes in Hilltown at 7.00pm – all volunteers welcome.

## WEDNESDAY

- ◆ Midweek Prayer Time in Hilltown at 8.00pm.

## THURSDAY

- ◆ Decoration of Hilltown Hall for the Summer Fun Club from 7.00pm onwards – all volunteers welcome.

## SATURDAY

- ◆ Prayer Meeting at 8.00am in Clonduff.

## SUNDAY

- ◆ Morning Worship at 10.45am in Clonduff. Speaker: Rev. Damien Boyle.
- ◆ Morning Worship at 12.15pm in Hilltown. Speaker: Rev. Damien Boyle.
- ◆ Open air service at 6.30pm at the picnic area beneath the Hen Mountain (weather permitting).

## MONDAY 28<sup>TH</sup>

- ◆ “Hilltown United” Summer Fun Club commences at 7.00pm in Hilltown Church Hall and continues each week night unto Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July. All boys and girls (aged 4 to 12 years) welcome.

## *Hilltown and Clonduff Presbyterian Churches*

### *Morning Worship*

*20<sup>th</sup> June 2010*

*Speaker: Rev. Damien Boyle*



*'I press on towards the goal to win the  
prize for which God has called me  
heavenwards in Christ Jesus'*

*Philippians 3 v 14*

## WELCOME

If you are a visitor to our congregation today, we extend to you a warm welcome. We are always delighted to have visitors join with us as we worship the Lord. We hope you will be blessed, encouraged and challenged through the service. Let us encourage you to really enter into the worship with all your heart.

Matt Emmons, Olympic gold medallist in rifle shooting in 2004, was set to win another event at Athens. He had a commanding lead and hoped to make a direct bull's-eye on his last shot. But something went wrong—he hit the target, but he was aiming at the wrong one! That wrong focus dropped him to eighth place and cost him a medal.

In Paul's letter to the Philippians, he expressed the importance of focusing on the right target in our Christian life. *"I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus,"* he said (3 v 14).

Paul used the term "goal" in an illustration of an athlete running a race. Interestingly, the same word was also used of a target for shooting arrows. In both cases, the prospect of winning depends on being focused. For the believer that focus should be a lifetime pursuit of becoming more like our Saviour Jesus Christ.

What is your focus today? Are you preoccupied with getting ahead and making life more comfortable? If you're a believer, the right target to shoot for is to become more like the Son of God (2 Corinthians 3 v 18). Today make sure you are aiming at the right target!

## SUMMER FUN CLUB

- ◆ We have arranged a prayer time for all those wishing to be involved in the Holiday Bible Club. This will take place each Sunday evening immediately after the evening service from 7.30pm to 8.00pm from now till this important outreach is finished in early July.
- ◆ Volunteers are needed for *this Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup>* June at 7.00pm to deliver invitations to the homes in HILLTOWN.
- ◆ Volunteers are also required for *this Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup>* June to help decorate the hall from 7.00pm onwards. Please take and use the prayer diary that is included in your announcements this morning, and ask God to give you a burden for a barren place that He longs to drench with His blessing.

## OPEN AIR SERVICE

Our open-air service has been arranged for next Sunday, 27th June at 6.30pm at the picnic area beneath the Hen Mountain (weather permitting). Everyone is welcome. Please plan to come along and bring your own picnic from 6.00pm onwards.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School has now finished for the summer and will recommence (dv) on Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> September 2010.

## EVENING SERVICES

We will be having **NO** evening services during the summer months of July and August.

## CONGREGATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

### Hilltown:

- ◆ A meeting of Hilltown Committee has been arranged for Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in Hilltown.

### Clonduff:

- ◆ A meeting of Clonduff Committee has been arranged for Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in Clonduff.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome / Announcements

Call to Worship

Cong. Praise...

Prayer

Scripture Reading:

Children's Talk

Cong. Praise...

Offering / Prayer of Thanksgiving / Intercession

Cong. Praise...

(Children will leave for Children's Church during this hymn)

Scripture Reading:

Ministry of the Word

Cong. Praise...

Benediction

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