"Heaven is not for cowards, it is home for the brave," supporters told Vee Chisanga before she climbed to the top of Middlesbrough's world famous Transporter Bridge for the dive of her life! Originally from Bulawayo, Zimbabwe, she was grateful for the gloriously hot sunshine on Sunday, 17 April but still nervous as she aimed for the heights to raise funds for ADRA-UK (the Adventist Development and Relief Agency). "Watch out for crocodiles," another friend warned, although they are more likely to be seen in the Limpopo River of her homeland rather than in the somewhat colder waters of the River Tees.

Vee bravely leapt off the 200-foot-high bridge to a loud shout of encouragement from her daughters Abigail 6, Hannah 4, husband Ben along with many members of the Middlesbrough Seventh-day Adventist church. After a few bounces on the bungee rope, she found herself awaiting rescue, excited and exhilarated – both from the thrill of the jump, and from the knowledge that she had just raised over £500.00 in sponsorship. Ben was impressed and joked, "What better gift could a wife give her husband on his birthday than to throw herself off a bridge!" In reality, Ben is so proud of his wife that he has posted a video of her jump on his Facebook page.

Vee, a probation officer and an active member of the Middlesbrough church has never attempted anything like this before, but she wanted to do something that would 'make more than a splash' for her favourite charity. She told her local newspaper, "I'm very passionate about the charity... I realise there are some people who are less fortunate than us." The paper also highlighted her just giving fundraising page.
This may only be the beginning for Vee – she is already making daring plans for something else in the future. But her £500.00 will certainly bring a new beginning for those benefiting from this year's ADRA Annual Appeal and is added to a total of £194,206 already banked from this year's appeal, up £40,000 from the same time last year.

DEATH, LIFE & EASTER  [Victor Hulbert]

With the spring flowers out, leaves already on the trees, the woods full of bluebells, and the sun outrageously warm for the time of year, it is not a good time to talk about death – yet, sadly – death is what is on my mind.

A good friend, a vibrant young adult, lost her battle with cancer this last week. She was positive until the end, writing on her Facebook page just the day before she died that, "I'm not well enough for radiotherapy or more chemo so they want to send me home. But I'm not giving up. We are fearfully and wonderfully made and only God knows the future and I will fight in His arms." Sadly that struggle came to an end the next day and that same Facebook page is now filled with hundreds of tributes to a life well lived – but ended much too soon.

It is a tragedy – one that has brought sadness to her family and many friends – yet one of just many stories that can be multiplied many times. One could even argue that in terms of world events, a death or two in my own family or circle of friends is not too significant. Nevertheless, for each individual, death is a personal tragedy. So why am I sharing this burden with you – today – Easter weekend? Well really, precisely because it is Easter.

Amidst all the bunnies and chocolate eggs is the very specific thought that the Christian world is remembering an event, and a person, that really puts personal tragedy into perspective – and that turns a time of mourning into a time of hope.

To understand that story we have to go back earlier in the Gospels, to a strange scenario where a very good friend of Jesus is on his deathbed – yet Jesus ignores the request to come and heal him. When, two days later, He does start the journey from across the Jordan up the steep road to Bethany, Lazarus is dead. Dead and buried.

His sisters had lost hope – yet even in their despair Martha has hope, if not for now, at least for the resurrection day. It is at this point that Jesus makes an astounding assertion:

"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me will live, even though he dies, and whoever lives and believes in me will never die." [John 11:25-26 NIV]

Not only does He make the assertion – He then gives a foretaste of what resurrection is all about – bringing Lazarus out of the tomb – raising him back to life.

That day there was a party in Bethany. A big celebration. But in Jerusalem, just three miles away, there was plotting. The religious leaders who had blocked every move of Jesus ministry, instead of recognising the miracle working Messiah, the One who gave life – choose to do the opposite – and planned death – the death of Jesus.

A death that would change history. For when Jesus was arrested on the Mount of Olives, put through the mockery of a trial, beaten and tortured as only the Romans knew how, and hung on a cross to die in excruciating
agony – what the religious leaders were in effect doing was fulfilling promises right though the Old Testament from Adam on. Promises that a Messiah would come, an Anointed One. That He would pay for all our mistakes by His own blood and that His death would break the curse of evil on this planet.

The Bible promises two kinds of death. The first kind – my friend experienced this last week. And many of us mourn her passing. The second kind is actually a lot more serious. It is the death foretold in Genesis 2 where God warns Adam not to eat of the fruit of the tree "or you will surely die". This is a death from which there is no resurrection. Only oblivion. That is why the Bible calls it the second death. It is final. There is no comeback. It is the death that Jesus died on the cross. Jesus, as the Messiah, as the Son of God, was the only One who could die that second death and still come back to life. And He did, on the Sunday morning, in resurrection splendour!

And He could only do it because He was God become man, because as a man He fulfilled every expectation God had of Him and overrode every challenge that Satan threw at Him.

That submission to death on the Friday – that resurrection on the Sunday – is why I have the confidence to be positive in a time of sorrow. Jesus' conquering of death means that it is not the end for my friend. As Lazarus was raised – so will she be – along with millions of others. Personal tragedies turned into glorious victories.

Let me just share the hope that swells in my heart as I read from the Apostle Paul. 1 Thessalonians 4:14, 16-18 [NIV]: "We believe that Jesus died and rose again and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him. . . . For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage each other with these words."

Adventist congregations around the country will be sharing that hope this weekend. The BUC Youth Congress in Telford will be giving a public witness of that hope in an outdoor theatre. They will also be giving away a short CD recounting the Passion through the eyes of Jesus' family. The recording is also available for download from the Youth Congress website.

**SPARED LIFE INSPIRES MINISTRY** [Shade Lapite]

It was the summer of 2000 when Dewaine Frazer decided to take a short cut on his way home from church. He soon regretted his impatience. The 18-year-old was attacked by three men who held a cutlass to his throat and demanded money. Terrified, Frazer made a pact with God: if his life was spared he would dedicate his life to the ministry.

The young man God saved that night kept his promise. Since then Pastor Frazer reports that he has baptised over 100 individuals. Eight more were added to that number by the end of a dynamic and uplifting Youth Week of Prayer at Lewisham Adventist church, 21 - 26 March.

"The reason so many young people leave church is not because they're bored but because they have yet to experience an encounter with God," Pastor Frazer told the Monday night congregation. It was a gathering made up of over 300 people who had left schools, colleges, offices, lecture halls and
children, put aside that end-of-day fatigue and gathered in Lewisham to hear him speak. That they returned in those same numbers, night after night for the entire week is a testament to the pastor's oratory power.

His point regarding young people was reinforced by the throngs of youth who packed the rows. He reminded them that they are special, and it was a message they took to heart. One teenager said "I have never been so engaged by a pastor. It was mesmerising."

Pastor Frazer talked of storms, trying times whether physical, emotional, financial or spiritual. Then he pulled out the scriptures that carry us through. In a time of recession, when so many are experiencing hard times, the Canadian pastor's visit felt like a restorative wind. "Sometimes God places stones in our lives," he said on Thursday, "God places stones in our lives only God can remove."

"There ain't no party like a Holy Ghost party," he said on day five. "Jesus can give us 50:50 vision." There is no greater testament to God's foresight than a young man who was accosted one dark night, so that he would one day stand in a church in Lewisham and save souls.

From Perth church in Toronto, Pastor Frazer graduated from Northern Caribbean University. He has been a pastor for three-and-a-half years. On Sabbath, 26 March he baptised husband and wife Gauntlet and Norma Ray, sisters Rhyan and Renee Drummond, Duaine Butcher, Katrina Chambers-Jones, Adrian Peart and Dwayne Clark.

50 READINGS: 400 YEARS [Ian Lorek]

Bournemouth church celebrated the 400th Anniversary of the King James Version of the Bible by devoting most of the Sabbath daylight hours to a themed reading of the King James Version. Although the programme took many hours those who attended throughout Sabbath, 16 April enjoyed the day and felt blessed by hearing and sharing the word of God together.

Members had the opportunity to sign up, prepare and then read to the congregation sections of Scripture, all read from the King James or New King James Bible. In total there were over fifty reading slots available throughout the day, with visitors as well as members participating. It was clear that those who gained the greatest blessing were those who had taken the time to prepare the readings in advance.

The day was enhanced by having on display an original 1611 printing of the King James Bible, as well as a facsimile of the Tyndale Bible. Both loaned to us by a friend of Pastor Martin Anthony.

The celebration began on Friday evening with a showing of the DVD "KJB – The Book that Changed the World". This 90-minute drama documentary enthralled the congregation as it shared the amazing story of how the King James translation came about. From a background of political intrigue where King James VI of Scotland becomes James I of England, not only does this well educated king unite the two kingdoms but through this translation project he also brings together opposing Christian factions – the bishops of the Church of England and the Puritans. From such unlikely beginnings, and surviving many problems this "greatest translation of Holy Scripture emerges into a world and culture that would never be quite the same again".

The film also emphasises how the King James Version excels when read publicly, and so was a superb introduction to our celebration Sabbath of Bible
readings. Certain parts of the Bible were read together as a congregation, and it was tremendous to share together such passages as those promising the Messiah, and then the signs and promise of the Second Coming of Jesus.

**THE BOOK THAT CHANGED THE WORLD** [Victor Hulbert]

Four hundred years on and the book is still making a difference. The Adventist Book Centre will tell you that the King James Version, or its modern update, the New KJV are among its most popular Bibles. Yet it could be seen as strange to find a most loved Bible version named after a king. That is what intrigued the actor, John Rhys-Davies and led him to be heavily involved in a DVD that tells 'the extraordinary story behind the most extraordinary of books'.

I sat down to review a copy of the DVD last weekend and found that my wife and I were both engaged by a tale that engagingly takes the viewer through the historical background of time showing how the young King James VI of Scotland was brought up as a staunch Presbyterian despite his mother, Mary Queen of Scots having been a Catholic. His was a hard childhood, and one not without its dangers, but as a serving monarch he was the one best suited to take over the English throne on the death of Queen Elizabeth I. Yet that throne had its dangers as well – and particularly religious dissent that could destabilise the throne. The establishment of a task force to translate a new version of the Bible works miraculously to draw the Anglican Bishops and the Puritans together, and eventually to produce an unrivalled work of literature that was designed to sound well when read publicly from the pulpit.

The mixture of narrative, drama, historical insight and expert witness provides the viewer with a real insight of the times surrounding the translation – and an idea of the quality work that went into the translation itself. The film does not argue the pros and cons of the KJB – nor does it discuss in any depth alternative versions – let alone the history of translation beyond 1611. That is not its purpose. What it does do is show how the milieu of circumstances at the time gave opportunity for a standard version of the Bible to be produced that has since made a real difference in many millions of people's lives across the globe.

Is it worth buying? I would say yes – and as with the example of the Bournemouth church, it could be part of a very moving programme that draws church and community together to celebrate the value of Scripture – and enhance the name of Seventh-day Adventists as 'people of the book'. As Pastor Ian Lorek of the Bournemouth church says, "It was enjoyed by all, and was an excellent introduction to our Bible reading Sabbath."

'KJB – The Book that Changed the World' can be bought from <http://kjbthefilm.com> and has a special licensing offer for showing in churches. A trailer for the film is available from the same site.

**ADVENTISTS IN THE NEWS**

It was great this week to read of an ADRA collector who wrote to her local paper, commending youth in Palmers Green who were both respectful and generous with their donations to charity. Jean McKenzie wrote: "I would just like to say a big thank you to all those young people that contributed towards this good cause, for these are the generation of the future, and how very proud I am of the youths of Palmers Green, who gave wholeheartedly." The *Dorset Echo* told the story of Weymouth church member, Zdenka Bollom, who spent 20 years working for ADRA in her homeland, the Czech
Republic. It states, "After seeing local support grow, Zdenka is hoping to raise £1,200 for the charity during this year's appeal." £500 has already been raised by Vee Chisanga for her bungee jump as reported in the Teesside Evening Gazette. In a different area of service, the Watford Observer noted that the Watford Town church is now offering free English classes for the local community.

The largest coverage for Adventists this week results from a Daily Express article that reports on a study of Seventh-day Adventists indicating that a vegetarian diet can cut the risk of heart disease by one third. The story, which ran at the end of last week in the Daily Mirror and Daily Express newspapers highlights that vegetarians have a lower risk of heart disease and are less likely to suffer from metabolic syndrome, diabetes or strokes. The research highlights the benefits of the dietary habits of the recommended Seventh-day Adventist lifestyle and emphasizes the resulting health advantages. Over 65 local newspapers followed up on the story across the country. Here is one example of the local news coverage. Local coverage like this has given the church an opportunity for follow-up, contacting their local media with details of Adventist sponsored health events in their area. That is already happening is several areas including the Nottingham Central church who are running a health weekend at the end of this month.

MEGAPIXELS OF CREATION

If sunshine and the beauty of spring is making you pull out your camera and get outdoors then there may be a new outlet for your photographic prowess. MESSENGER, the Journal of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the UK and Ireland is planning to run a four-part series over the next twelve months entitled Megapixels of Creation. This will offer photographers the opportunity to have their nature photography published in the magazine.

David Bell, himself a keen photographer, is the MESSENGER designer and wants pictures both from the 'casual snapper' and the 'budding pro'. He writes, "All you need to do is send us your finest-quality nature photos – landscapes, wildlife, cloud formations, close-ups – anything in the UK or Ireland that you think shows God's creation at its best. Please tell us where your picture was taken, and what equipment you have used. If your submission is really good, it might even appear in our devotional calendar."

For full details see page 2 of the 15 April MESSENGER. He is looking for high-resolution, jpg files submitted digitally. Each photo must be accompanied by a separate caption indicating the location and time at which it was taken. Submit your spring photos to <dbell@stanboroughpress.co.uk> by Tuesday, 21 June to be part of the first double-page spread in MESSENGER and be part of a Megapixels of Creation photo gallery.

DEATH OF MRS LEILA C HANDYSIDES

It is with sadness that we have received news of the death of Mrs Leila C Handysides (née Elias). Mrs Handysides died 18 April 2011, days after her 90th birthday which she celebrated with the family. Leila Elias, a graduate of Newbold College in 1941 worked as a Bible Instructor in the North England Conference before marrying Pastor John Handysides in 1945 and spending her life alongside her husband in pastoral and evangelistic ministry in the Irish Mission, South England Conference, Welsh Mission and the North England Conference until their retirement in 1982.
Mrs Handysides is survived by her three children, Dr Cynthia Benz, Dr Roger Handysides and Dr Stuart Handysides as well as her sister Audrey Nolan. Details of the funeral service will be forwarded as soon as these are available.

Thank you for upholding the family in your prayers.

**BUC NEWS DEADLINE FOR NEXT WEEK**

With weekend commitments during the Bank Holiday weekend the deadline for submission to BUC News will again be 6 pm Tuesday this next week. The ideal is to write and submit your story while it is fresh in your mind. We look forward to your contributions!

**THE KING JAMES BIBLE MEETS THE HOPE CHANNEL**

Celebrating the 400th anniversary of the King James Bible, an experienced team of Bible connoisseurs explore the strengths, history and politics of the King James Bible and ask – what relevance does the book have today? This is the second in the new Hope Channel Viewpoint series. [Watch the programme here.](#)

Your reactions to the programme would be warmly welcomed. In addition, a wide variety of programmes are available on the satellite including the following episodes of 'In Conversation':

Friday 22 April: 8:00 pm: [Petula Peters](#) – Christianity and social justice.
Sabbath 23 April: 12:30 am: [John Arthur](#) – Enthusiasm, joy and commitment, 9:00 am: Petula Peters, 8:00 pm: John Arthur
Monday 25 April: 12:30 and 9:30 pm: [John Ferguson](#) – Growing up in 'the troubles'.
Wednesday 27 April: 8:00 am: [Garry Gordon](#) – Challenging God. 8:30 pm: [Vivienne Vine](#) – A strong believer in prayer.
12 midnight: John Ferguson
Friday 29 April: 8:00 pm: Garry Gordon
Sabbath 30 April: 12:30 am: Vivienne Vine, 9:00 am: Garry Gordon, 8:00 pm: Vivienne Vine

Also, at the end of the ADRA Annual Appeal [three programmes](#) look at the work of ADRA, share an ADRA song and look at how you might be a much needed volunteer in times of crisis. For more on Hope Channel, to re-tune, or to watch online visit [www.hopetv.org.uk](#).

**COMING EVENTS**

For a full listing of coming events visit [www.adventistevents.org.uk](#). New events are added on a daily basis.

**CORDS OF LOVE: SEC MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND**. Friday, 22 April to Sunday, 24 April. Join Les & Irma Ackie for a weekend of interactive seminars exploring the principles of successful marriage; with plenty of opportunities for reflection and relaxation. Visit the website for more details. Contact: Anna McLarty <fm@secadventist.org.uk>. Phone: 01923 23 27 28.

**GREENWICH WOMEN'S MINISTRY & HEATHER-DAWN SMALL**. Sabbath, 23 April to Sabbath, 30 April. The Women's Ministries department at Greenwich Adventist church invites you to

PRAISE & THANKSGIVING DAY. Sabbath, 23 April. Stonebridge Community Adventist church annual Praise & Thanksgiving Day in aid of our Church Building Fund. An all day programme with a special musical concert in the afternoon. Speaker: Pastor Ray Patrick. Venue: St Margaret & St George's United Reformed church, 67 Nicholl Road, Harlesden, London, NW10 8SH. Contact: Emmanuel Ampofo <ampofom@yahoo.co.uk>. Phone: 07984 934296.


"HOW TO BE A PLAYER" RESIDENTIAL WEEKEND. Friday, 29 April to Sunday, 1 May. Transforming lives, the "How to be a player" residential weekend for 13- to 17-year-olds, at Wyboston Lakes, Bedford is a fantastic 4* opportunity to challenge and empower teens. Full details and costs at <www.secyouth.co.uk/events/h2bap-residential/>. Only 40 places available so apply fast! Contact: Pastor Eddie Hypolite <ehypolite@secadventist.org.uk>. Phone: 0798 44 33 075.

LIVE: ST AUSTELL AND AREA 1 CAMP 2011. Friday, 29 April to Monday, 2 May. LIVE: St Austell & Area 1 youth (Devon and Cornwall) are happy to announce a camp on the North Coast of Cornwall: 29 April - 2 May in a beautiful spot called Chapel Porth. Prepare for a weekend of fun, games, worship, and special guests in one of the most beautiful locations in the South-West of England. Price: Only £20 per person for the whole weekend ages 13+. For application forms or more info contact: Steven Hulbert (SteveO) on happytobebeans@yahoo.co.uk. Mobile: 07772582133 or 01726 724124. Facebook: www.facebook.com/sdhulbert. Contact: Steven Hulbert <happytobebeans@yahoo.co.uk>.

UK ZAMBIAN ADVENTIST FELLOWSHIP DAY. Sabbath, 30 April. Venue: International Gospel Church, 102a Watling Avenue, Burnt Oak, North London, HA8 0LN. Time: 08:30hrs to 18:30hrs. The UK Zambian Adventist Fellowship is inviting you to take part in an online 'Doodle poll'. Please click the line below to participate and cast your vote, comments, suggestions etc. http://doodle.com/25bmd9ty9xmquaq. We would like to use this polling system to determine the numbers of people attending, and thereby enabling us to plan effectively. Contact: Elias Chola Kalumba <ukzafcommunications@gmail.com>. Phone: 07967515750.

AREA 7 WOMEN'S DAY OF FELLOWSHIP. Sabbath, 30 April. Area 7 Women's Day of Fellowship at High Town Methodist Church, Luton, LU2 0BW starting at 9:30 am. All are invited to attend (men as well). Guest speaker Gail Masondo from USA/South Africa [internationally renowned speaker, publisher, chaplain and advocate for women and children]. For further information contact Sandra Golding on 07956 429522 or goldingsn@aol.com.

GOVERNOR GENERAL OF JAMAICA AT HAMPSTEAD CHURCH. Sabbath, 30 April. The Governor General of Jamaica, Sir Patrick Allen, as well as Lady Allen, will be present at Hampstead church, Sabbath 30 April. This will be a grand occasion of music, praise, fellowship and rejoicing. Join us if you can. 66 Haverstock Hill, London, NW3 2BE. (Please be very careful where you park!) Contact: Humphrey Walters <hg Walters7@aol.com>. Phone: 07956 922121.

LET'S SING. Saturday, 30 April. Battersea Praise and Worship Gospel Concert featuring Battersea's finest and friends... Artists include: 3D, Michelle Braithwaite, Testimony, Devon Boyd and Total
Praise, Battersea Youth Choir, Michelle Boyd, Keisha Johnson & Co. Time: doors open at 6:30 pm –
starts at 7:00 pm. Admission: free entry – please bring a free-will offering. Transportation: Buses: 44,
137, 156, 344, 452. Trains: Battersea Park Station or Queenstown Rd Station. Address: Priory Hall,
Prince of Wales Drive, Battersea, London, SW8 4BL. Contact: Devon Boyd <music@battersea-
sda.org.uk>. Phone: 07956383222.

SEC WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT CONFERENCE. Sunday, 1 May. SEC Women’s Empowerment
Conference: ‘Women of Spirit – Not Easily Broken’. Sunday, 1 May at the Advent Centre, 12
Crawford Place, London, W1H 5HD. Registration: 9:30 am for a 10:00 am start. Speakers: Gail
Masondo – USA/South Africa [Internationally renowned speaker, publisher, chaplain and advocate for
women and children]; Eric Salisbury – USA [Elder & Bible Counsellor, motivational speaker &
founder of O1B, and Sharon Platt-McDonald – UK [Health Ministries director, British Union
Conference]. Cost is £20 per person and includes lunch and materials. See your Women’s Ministries
leader for an application form. For further information contact Sandra Golding on 07956 429522 or
goldingsn@aol.com.

EVANGELISM TRAINING. Sunday, 1 May. Do you want to learn how to share your faith more
confidently? Then this workshop is for you! This event is open to all South London (Area 6b)
Personal Ministries leaders and personnel but all are welcome! Venue: Brixton Church, Santley
Street, Clapham, London, SW4 7QG, from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Light refreshments will be served.
Presenter: Terry Messenger. Contact: Terry Messenger <tmassey@secadventist.org.uk>. Phone:
01923 232728.

WOMEN’S MINISTRIES DAY. Sunday, 1 May. Come and renew, refresh and revive your life on
Sunday, 1 May. Main speaker, Mrs Heather Haworth, BUC Women’s Ministries director. To be held
at Kilnasoolagh, the Irish Retreat Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus. Contact: Mrs Betty O’Rourke
<bettyor@hotmail.co.uk>. Phone: 00 353 9096 45937.

BACK TO SCHOOL - FUNDRAISING CONCERT. Sunday, 1 May. Come and help us support the
Leicester Kashume School in Gambia. The school was built in 2007 with resources donated by the
Leicester Central church, St Matthews Community Fellowship and Kaine Management Group. The
school has grown from 20 to 150 students. The well at the school provides the only clean water in the
village. Funds are now needed to pay the teachers and to also maintain the school. Tickets cost £3
and can be purchased from www.backtoschoolconcert.org. If you are unable to attend the concert then
donations can also be made via the website. Venue: Taylor Road Primary School, Taylor Road,
Abbey Park, Leicester, LE1 2JP. Time: 4:00 – 7:00 pm. Contact: Sally-Ann Flemmings-Danquah
<contactus@stmatthewscommunityfellowships>. Phone: 07930441396.

PLAISTOW CHURCH BUILDING DEDICATION SERVICE. Sabbath, 7 May. We cordially invite
former members of Plaistow church to our Dedication Service on Sabbath, 7 May. Please confirm
attendance by 22 April 2011. Contact: Pastor Mohan Abbadasari <mohanabbadasari@aol.co.uk>. Phone:
07940924950.

DONCASTER CHURCH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE. Sabbath, 7 May. Doncaster Seventh-day
Adventist church invites friends, past and present members to the 10th anniversary celebration,
appreciation and thanksgiving service of the church’s founding on Sabbath, 7 May, 10:00 am – 5:00
pm. The last ten years have been a FAITH story of how a few, devoted church members were
empowered by the Holy Spirit to pursue the vision of sharing their faith with the community. Venue:
1 Austerfield Avenue, Bentley, DN5 9QU. Contact: Mandela Thyoka <mandelat@yahoo.co.uk>. Phone:
07725189991.

MAHALI SELEPE LIVE IN CONCERT. Sabbath, 7 May. Time: 6:00 pm. Admission: £10 adult, £5
6-15yrs, 0-5 free (still needs ticket), group of 5 £40, group of 10 £70, group of 20 £120. Call:
Emmanuel Mtindi 07940994046 or Mahali Selepe 07412426987. Venue Address: Alwoodley Gates,
Harrogate Road, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS17 8GS. The 2nd live DVD recorded concert! A special
important day so please come and support us! Again proceeds from the DVD sales will go towards
rebuilding Cancele Senior Secondary School (www.cancele.co.za). Please note that if you are a parent
of a child 5 years and below you still need to obtain a ticket for them even though it is free of charge. This is to help us know how many people we are having on the night in case of any emergency. Contact: Emmanuel Mtindi <emtindi@hotmail.com>. Phone: 07940994096.

RAISED BY PRAISE. Sabbath, 7 May. Norbury Adventist church Music Ministry presents an evening of Praise & Worship. All are invited. Artists include: Norbury Praise Team, Welling Adventist Choir, Dionne Williams, Faith Vocal, Michael Marriott, Kieran Briscoe and many more. Doors open at 6:30 pm; Concert starts 7:00 pm, New Horizon Centre (Pollards Hill CC), South Lodge Avenue, Mitcham, CR4 1LT. Nearest Station Norbury. Buses 255, 60. No entry fee, however a minimum donation of £5 is suggested. Refreshments on sale. Contact: Naome <music@norburysda.org.uk>. Phone: 07947592894.

THE POETIC VOICE. Sunday, 8 May. Whether you write poetry or music, take the time to develop your craft to a more professional level. This one day workshop is offered to Christian writers in the West Midlands with Catherine Anthony Boldeau at Hammond House, 2259 Coventry Rd, Birmingham, West Midlands, B26 3PA. Cost £10. NB. Register by 1 May for this one day event on 8 May. Time: 10:00 am – 4:30 pm. Contact: Diana Sinclair <musicadvisor@me.com>. Phone: 07886203696.

SEC ADRA FUN RUN. Sunday, 8 May. The Fun Run is at Crystal Palace Park, South London and begins at 10:00 am. Participants have the choice of completing the golden mile (1 mile), 3, 6, 9 or 12 miles. There is no need for registration – just turn up on the day. For sponsorship forms please contact the PM department at the SEC or download from the SEC website. Contact: Terry Messenger <tmessenger@secadventist.org.uk>. Phone: 01923 232728.

ADVENTIST BOOK CENTRE SALE. Sunday, 8 May. Adventist Book Centre sale at Harper Bell School, 29 Ravenhurst Street, Birmingham, West Midlands, B12 0EJ, from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. Contact: Paul Poddar <ppoddar@stanboroughpress.co.uk>. Phone: 01476 539902.

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SMALL ADS

SEEKING ROOM TO RENT in an Adventist home around Stoke Newington or in the North London area. Alexandra has just arrived in the UK from Israel, though he is a British citizen. Contact Alexandra: love2abba@yahoo.co.uk.

SEEKING HOUSE SHARER/S: (Adventists) for a beautiful house in Harrow, London. Very quiet and exclusive private area. Also looking for a room or small studio flat/room in a Christian home to rent in London. Contact Joseph on 07961 394 798.

FRENCH EXCHANGE STUDENT. A 17-year-old young man is looking for a UK exchange family for the summer holidays. For more information contact: vezubuhle@sigidi.co.uk.

JOB VACANCIES: Administrative Secretary, BUC office, applications by 30 May. Year 6 teacher at Stanborough Primary School, Watford, applications by 18 April. Teacher's Assistant for its Reception class at Hyland House School, application deadline: 12 May. For full details visit our <job vacancies page>.

MINIBUS AVAILABLE FOR CHARITY USE. A fully registered Christian charity have available a very nice white 17-seater 2005 LDV Convoy diesel minibus for sale with only 56,000 miles +tax +MOT. One previous owner. The bus is free of sign writing, there is no VAT and it has a full service history. It also has a Coif/Vosa certificate +towbar and a dismantled roof rack. Cost: £4,950. For more details contact John Piercy, The Habakkuk Trust, 07943836530. The Habakkuk Trust (reg no 1048594 ) helps sick and destitute holocaust survivors.
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