

Sunday 27 March 2011

8:30am & 10:15am  
Pre service prayer in Prayer Room

8:45 & 10:30am: Alan Utting  
'Radical Kingdom Living'  
Happy are the meek

Morning tea after the 8:45am  
service will be held at Keith &  
Jenni Bedford's, 3A Eden View  
Rd, Sandringham and in the foyer  
after the 10:30am service.

@7 Youth - Craig Allan  
"20/20 Christian vision" - the way of the  
cross, Mark 8"



## If you're new...

Welcome to Hillsborough Baptist Church!  
It is great to have you worshipping with us today.  
If you have any questions please ask the ushers at  
the door.

Before you leave please make sure you get a  
"Welcome Pack" & take the opportunity to fill in a  
New Persons card.

### *Children's Ministry.*

If you have children we have well resourced  
programmes running. Start in with the family  
worship before going to age appropriate groups.  
Follow the signs in the foyer to find programmes  
for your pre-schooler, primary and intermediate  
aged children. A parents room is available for  
babies too. You are welcome to keep your children  
with you in the auditorium if you wish.



## Family News

We want to farewell Richard and Jean Van  
Weerd who have resigned and are now attending  
Papatoetoe Seventh Day Adventist. We will miss  
them hugely and wish them all our love.

"Thank you all for you all for your sacrificial giving  
to the Christchurch earthquake appeal. We have  
raised \$8850.70 plus the amount raised from last  
night's quiz night. Continue to pray for those in  
need physically, emotionally, and spiritually,  
during this time. Pray that our Christian family in  
Christchurch will be able to minister effectively  
during these times." Stuart Turner, Treasurer

### Easter Choir

Would you like to sing in the  
Easter Sunday Service Choir?

For more details ring Diane Pope 027 4102 or  
email Diane on [diane@hillsborough.org.nz](mailto:diane@hillsborough.org.nz)

### **Would you consider sponsoring a child to do a Season's (grief) program at Hay Park School.**

We have another lovely group of children (aged 8-  
10 years) who have gone through significant  
change and are in need of emotional support at this  
time - we are 3 weeks into the program and are  
asking for donations to cover the cost of their  
journals for the course. Each journal costs \$25 and  
we have 6 children on the course. I would love it  
too, if we could be praying for each of these  
children also.

If you want to sponsor a child, please place your  
donation in a clearly marked envelope ie. "FOR  
SEASON'S SPONSORSHIP". and leave it at the  
office. To pray for a child please call me (Nadine)  
and I will tell you some prayer needs. Thank you  
wonderful prayers.

I could write a book about the answers to prayers  
we have seen in the lives of the children HBCers  
pray for. A number of the children that we have  
been mentoring and praying for, for the past 3  
years, are now in our Intermediate SOFA Program,  
learning about Who God is and his heart for them -  
God hears our prayers.



## misso-news

*Alan & Pam Utting write...*

.We have returned from India very grateful  
and enlarged in our awareness of the  
goodness of God and the needs of that great  
country. There is of course great poverty but  
also development in the right direction in  
many areas. We marvel at the calibre of  
Christian leadership both in OM India and the  
New Life churches whom we have linked with  
twice before. Both groups are dealing with  
helping in the usual needy areas plus moving  
into rescuing people from human trafficking.  
Our hearts were moved and we saw God  
touch and encourage folk. One Hindu man of  
a believing wife came to faith in "the real God"  
(his expression) last Sunday after Alan spoke  
and believers are multiplying especially in  
Mumbai.

Rest assured we kept praying for the church,  
for Christchurch and for Japan. Things are  
stirring as Christ's return gets closer. Don't  
forget Jesus said "And this gospel of the  
kingdom will be preached in the whole world  
as a testimony to all nations, and then the end  
will come."

Let's keep in mind our mission vision and our  
missionaries (so many in tough places) before  
the Father and let us pray that we too will  
spread the good news and love of Jesus to  
the one who is in front of us right now.

Love Pam and Alan

*...For full copies of the newsletter and news from other  
missionaries see the missions folder on the foyer table.*



# Growing Passionate Followers of Jesus

Every Member Ministry  
 Developing God Leaders  
 24/7 Worship  
 Prayer Inspired Risk Taking  
 Committed Caring Relationships  
 An Inclusive Church  
 Every Member Mission  
 Embracing The Neglected

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**'Resolve' presents**

- Biblical Peacemaking seminar
- Here at Hillsborough Baptist Church
- Friday 8 April 7:00pm to 9:00pm and Saturday 9 April 9:00am to 1:00pm
- Cost - \$10.00 per person
- Contact HBC office for more details and RSVP

**Hillsborough Baptist Mentoring Programme, Tramping Trips**

We are going to be organizing some tramping trips for kids from Hay Park Primary and Waikowhai Intermediate Schools. These kids are being mentored by youth in our church and we hope the trips will be a great way of building relationships and giving them different experiences. Some of these kids won't own or be able to borrow some of the gear needed. If you have any tramping gear in reasonable condition that you are willing to donate please give us a ring. We would need: warm sleeping bags, small to medium sized backpacks, sleeping mats, hiking tents

*Thanks so much*  
**Julie and Bill Collis,** 




invites parents and their preschoolers (newborns to 5 year olds) to a fun morning of music, movement and fun. A time to make memories, build relationships and be part of a supportive, nurturing environment.

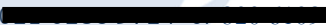
Thursdays 9.30-11.00am \$3 one child, \$4 more than one child, here at HBC.

**A Coffee Group for Parents**

Fortnightly Tuesdays  
 9:30am sharp-11:15am  
 Next meeting is on 29th March.

Quench your thirst here...for coffee, friendship, discussion, support and things that matter, with friends who matter. Childcare provided.  
 \$5 cost - includes craft, coffee and calories.



WORK WANTED: many years of small business management and administration, 2-3 days per week.  
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## This Week

Lawn mowing Roster - Mike Filmer  
 Flower Roster - Lorraine Muys

### 3 April 2011 (next week)

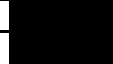

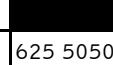

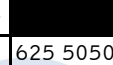
8:45am Service - Speaker: Alan Utting  
 Welcome Team - David & Marian Kilgour  
 Morning Tea Team - Ron & Eleanor Moir

10.30am Service - Speaker: Alan Utting  
 Welcome Team - Mark Lewington  
 Morning Tea Team - Hans & Felicia

@7 Service - Speaker: 7th Form Awhi  
 Welcome Team -



## Staff Contact details

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Welcome to Hillsborough Baptist

Welcome to Hillsborough Baptist Church. My prayer is that God will speak to you through the worship services today and that you will be encouraged and refreshed.

This week we welcome back Alan and Pam from their time overseas in India and look forward to what Alan will be sharing at the morning services.

I recently read a review of Apple's second generation iPad (handheld computer) which described in glowing terms how quick it is to start up and provide access to online information and features. The reviewer noted that the iPad "taps into our apparently insatiable hunger for instant gratification".

"We are in an environment where there is no downtime anymore" said Gary Small, a professor at the Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior at the University of California. "We have become impatient"

Although we may not own an iPad, all too often we expect things to happen instantly; we are easily frustrated by the delays in our lives, we want it to happen now. We have definitely become impatient.

I couldn't help but reflect that as Christians we are called to be patient, to persevere and to endure; to trust God to act in His chosen time rather than our own. How easy it is to expect God to provide an instant response to our needs and prayers although His plan is for us to endure and to grow in patience and faith and commit our cares to Him.

From Psalm 37 we read "Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for him; do not fret. This week may you have time to be still before God and grow in patience!  
 Blessings,

*Jim Logan*

**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
 Morning 8:45 & 10.30am  
 Evening 7.00pm

