

We are not ashamed of the Gospel of Jesus Christ because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes

You will find our Services friendly and informative as we worship God and see His Word work in our lives

God decided to let his people know this rich and glorious secret which he has for all people. This secret is Christ himself, who is in you. He is our only hope for glory.^{Col.1:27}

> All Welcome Join us each Sunday at 10:30am Bible Study each Monday at 10.00am other Meetings as arranged

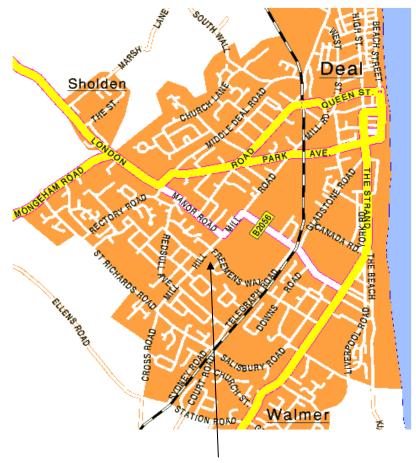
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> God is Good His Word is True & it Works in my Life



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Here is a summary of our Church Core Values:

Love for Jesus: We have a relationship with, and dependence on, Jesus as the Son of God, for which we give thanks in unashamed private and public praise that reflects our appreciation of Him – His worth-ship!

Love for God's Word: The Scriptures point to Jesus^{Jn.5:39} and are reliable.^{Jn.10:35} They are an insight into God's character and values; a manual for right and blessed living.^{Ps.119:11} The Word of God really works in us who believe.^{1Thes.2:13}

Love for each other: Our relationship with others (which will be different for each of us) is expressed with affection and concern – we care for one another enough to pray for and help each other.

Love for the people of the world: We witness to others, through our conversation, behaviour and attitude, about God's glory, goodness and love. This witness is rooted in our indebtedness to God for His love and grace toward us.

Love for life – now and for ever: We realise that this life is a gateway to eternity and our response to God now determines what happens when we die. We have already been blessed with every spiritual blessing so we aim to be a blessing to others.

Our Vision Remember Jesus Christ, Raised from the dead. This is our gospel

2Tim2:8

We proclaim Jesus, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.^{Col.1:28}

To fulfil this vision we are:

A Local Church with a World Vision: We meet locally for worship, prayer, Bible teaching and fellowship. We minister globally, reaching out to the world with the good news of Jesus Christ.

A Praying and Glorious Church: God intends that His wisdom is seen and His glory experienced in the Church. As we pray fervently and in faith, we see God perform miracles.

A Training Church: Our Church Services are planned to equip the congregation to live faithful lives and to prepare them for works of service. We encourage active participation in the corporate Praise, Worship, Prayer, Bible Reading and Ministry. Church is a life-boat not a pleasure-boat, we are called to be workers not spectators. We want all of God's people to be released to minister the Gospel.

A Sending Church: Our Church is a Mission Church and we send our Members out as Missionaries. A Missionary is not someone across the sea but someone who sees a cross! The mission field begins in our neighbourhood and extends to the nations.

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Preaching and Teaching the Bible: The Bible is God's Word, which is the testimony of Jesus and the basis of everything we believe. God has charged us to preach His Word, which produces faith when it is heard.

Prevailing Faith: Prevail means "*to win through, to take the crown, to overcome*". Faith is the complete confidence in God and His Word. It is prevailing faith that overcomes and keeps us in victory. The testing of our faith matures us if we persevere and don't give up.

Presence of God: God can be known personally and to know Him is eternal life. God lives in us by the Holy Spirit and in His Presence, miracles become normal, prayers are answered and love for Jesus deepens.

Passionate Love for God: Our love for God will be extreme when we realise we have been forgiven everything. God wants us to be totally absorbed with Him and His will.

Praise, Worship and Glory: Our objective in Praise and Worship is to express our love for Jesus, so our songs are based on Scripture and very Jesus centred. In fact we can only worship in spirit and in truth! As we spend time appreciating God, it is easy to hear Him speak to us. We determine to know God's Glory.

Prayer: The fervent prayers of Believers are very effective. We pray in confidence, with boldness and in faith, knowing that we can receive anything from God if we ask according to His will.

Pentecostal Power - Holy Spirit Baptism: God wants us continually filled with the Holy Spirit who empowers Believers to live a victorious, overcoming and faith-full Christian life.

Pledge of a Good Conscience - Water Baptism: God has saved us to live in His blessings of health, wealth and wisdom. Water baptism of Believers is an important part of this salvation and it cleans our conscience.

Proportional Giving: Tithing is the normal minimum giving for Christians and is much more than just the act of giving to the church. Tithing is bringing cheerfully and in faith, the 1st proportion (usually 10%) of our income into the storehouse (that is, the place that spiritually feeds us). We also give Freewill Offerings or Love Offerings, which is a practical way of saying "thank you" to God.

Public Ministry Gifts: God has given to the Church the public Ministry Gifts of Apostles, Prophets, Evangelists, Pastors & Teachers, to train, equip, edify, unite and mature us. Ministers who have these callings are regularly invited to speak at our Church in order to complement the Ministry Gifts of our Pastor and Church Leadership. God has also given to the Church gifts to help us, such as, leadership ability, encouragements, serving others, miracles, healings and showing kindness to others etc. (*Rom.12/1Cor.12*). We expect these gifts to be in operation in our Church.

Pastoral Care: The Church Leaders are committed to you. They have been appointed to equip and release people to serve God. Our desire is for every Church Member to grow into maturity and to be able to minister the Gospel effectively. We want our "ordinary" Members to be, and to do, something "extra-ordinary" for God.

We are guides into God's most sublime secrets, not security guards posted to protect them.^{1Cor.4:1} TM

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