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Foreword Hold fast!

I am sure that like me, you feel somewhat overwhelmed by the shocking news from Ukraine and the terrible suffering of the people there. This can have an impact on our own well-being and can also make the challenges we face feel even harder to bear. We should, however, not forget the words, 'Deliver us from the evil one,' which the Lord Jesus taught us to pray. We need to hold fast to our faith in the loving God knowing that He will never leave us nor forsake us but will deliver us from the evil one.

We continue to pray very intensely for victims of war and that peace can be restored in both Ukraine and other places of conflict. We should also not forget that many people in our communities and our congregations are indirectly impacted by this conflict and suffer in various ways. For example, financial hardship, physical and mental health problems, job losses, as well as stress created by difficult jobs and long shifts.

There is indeed much tribulation in the world but nonetheless the Lord Jesus says to us: 'Be of good cheer I have overcome the World.' Gathering together in our congregations to praise and worship God and experience the wonderful warmth of fellowship is the very best way to experience the love of God and have joy in faith.

Hold fast! We will be delivered from evil, and the Lord will establish His kingdom of Peace.

With love and greetings

Dar Lynes

David Heynes

Fellowship

Ministers and Wives Weekend in Goteborg Sweden.

On the last weekend of January all active priestly ministers and wives were invited by the Apostle David Heynes to come together in fellowship and worship in Goteborg.

New and existing relationships could be both created and strengthened and through the warmth of the fellowship and the power of the Holy Spirit, the energy to serve with joy was renewed.





Fellowship

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Norway/Sweden Youth Event Oslo.

27 young people from Norway and Sweden came together with Evangelist Craig Esterhuizen for a team-building youth event on Saturday 12th of March, and a divine service on Sunday 13th March, in Oslo, Norway.

The essential aspects that forge a 'togetherness in Christ,' being, trust in one another, empathetic communication, and a goal-focussed outlook, were put to the test in the building tank tracks out of newspaper. The linking concepts of faith, love and hope were explored in the divine service with the text from Romans 12:21, "Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good."











Introduction

A short interview with Deacon Nathan Callow.

Nathan was ordained into the deacon ministry by Apostle Helge Muetchler, on Sunday 13th February, let's get to know him...

? How did I become New Apostolic?

I was born into the New Apostolic faith; my father was a priest who came here from South Africa. My mother became New Apostolic at a young age.

? What brings me joy in my Ministry?

Seeing the smiles of the congregation, giving a warm welcome and the encouragement both ways between members and ministers.

A Special Experience?

I had not been attending church for some time, however, during lockdown I began feeling something telling me to return. A specific hymn was increasingly on my mind and before long, I was logging on to the online services and emailing our Bishop Middleton as I wanted to return.

P How do I spend my spare time?

I enjoy football and rugby, but I am also a bit of a gamer. I also enjoy cooking. ■



Ministry

A celebration of the life of our late retired Priest Dennis Glazier. 21st March 1935 - 22nd January 2022.

Dennis met his first wife, Ann, in 1956 and they married 21st March 1959. Ann sadly passed away on 7th April 1975. They had one son, Barry, born 10th January 1967.

Dennis and Ann were introduced to our New Apostolic faith in 1966 through an invitation Ann received from a colleague at work. The following Sunday they so enjoyed the divine service and fellowship that they remained and got involved.

In the summer of 1975, Dennis met Helga and they married on 24th July 1976.

Dennis served as a deacon from April 1967, and as priest from 1970, firstly in our Swindon congregation and then in Tiverton, where he moved to in 1978. One of the reasons for moving was the vast number of holiday makers that wanted to attend service in the region. For quite some time, Dennis and Helga opened their home where services could be held.

Even after retirement in 2001, Dennis once again, agreed to serve as a priest for a further two years, this was a great blessing and joy to the congregation.

The following words of the Psalmist so aptly apply to Dennis.

'One thing I have desired of the Lord, That will I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the Lord All the days of my life, To behold the beauty of the Lord.'



Ireland

A blessed weekend in Ireland.

Nine young Christians in Ireland could receive a blessing on their confirmation on Sunday 20th March. In the same divine service Deacon John Kaleta was ordained priest for Dublin and Priest Michael Kabongo transferred to serve as priest in our Trim congregation.

In a festive divine service in the afternoon, Priest Stuart McGregor was appointed rector for the congregation of Belfast in Northern Ireland.



We wish our dear confirmands and ministers God's richest blessings.





Matthew Mounguenul was ordained into the Deacon Ministry on January 23rd in Leicester.



War in Europe

Aid for Ukraine

Some of our brethren have asked for information on how they can best provide support to Ukraine. The article below provides information from NAK-Karitativ, a New Apostolic Church affiliated aid organisation based in Germany.

UKRAINE: AID MEASURES ARE UNDERWAY

NAK-karitativ cooperates with a long-standing partner organisation 'Help' and the local Ukrainian aid organisation Vostok SOS to alleviate the greatest need of the people in the crisis areas.

We are cooperating with our long-standing partner organisation, Help - Hilfe zur Selbsthilfe and Vostok SOS, a local Ukrainian aid organisation, both of which have provided initial relief measures for the people who have been affected. The emergency aid is initially focused on Western Ukraine, where hundreds of

thousands of people are currently fleeing. Our local partner has teams already on the ground to assess immediate needs and to provide the people seeking protection with essential basic food, water, hygiene, utensils, and medical items, as well as winter clothing.

Emergency aid packages are being provided to people who cannot flee the crisis areas due to their age or illness. In addition, families are being provided with financial aid for transport or evacuation. Our local partner also provides up-to-date information on available evacuation centres, safe accommodation and sleeping facilities and other protective measures to enable people to flee safely. Psychological support is offered to those who are severely traumatised.

Ukraine urgently needs our support. Please help us to make a new beginning as easy as possible for them.

Thank you very much for your solidarity.

The website is unfortunately only in German but for our German speakers click here https://www.nak-karitativ.de



The link below takes you to the donation page, which is in English.

NAK-Karitativ donation page

Please Note: Donations can only be made by sending a 'SEPA Payment' (Single Euro Payments Area) which allows cross border payments. It does require an IBAN number. If you are not familiar with this, the link below will take you to an account number to the IBAN convertor.

https://www.ibancalculator.com/bic_und_iban.html

Divine service

Apostle Heynes' schedule April - June 2022

02. Apr 22	Saturday	Larvik, Norway - with Dist. Apostle Helper			
03. Apr 22	Sun	Oslo - with Dist. Apostle Helper			
06. Apr 22	Wednesday	Belfast online			
07. Apr 22	Thursday	UK West Devotional			
10. Apr 22	Sun	North Sweden			
15. Apr 22	Friday	Corby			
17. Apr 22	Sun	London East			
20. Apr 22	Wednesday	Plymouth			
21. Apr 22	Thursday	Divine Service for Seniors online			
24. Apr 22	Sun	Hamburg - with Chief Apostle			
27. Apr 22	Wednesday	Thames Ditton			
01. Mai 22	Sun	Birmingham			
04. Mai 22	Wednesday	Nottingham			
08. Mai 22	Sun	Youth Service - London Central			

11. Mai 22	Wednesday	Maidstone
15. Mai 22	Sun	Glasgow
18. Mai 22	Wednesday	Camberley
22. Mai 22	Sun	Berlin - with Chief Apostle
25. Mai 22	Wednesday	UK South TBA
29. Mai 22	Sun	Bochum - with Chief Apostle
01. Jun 22	wednesday	Isle of Man - online
05. Jun 22	Sun	Lyndhurst
08. Jun 22	Wednesday	Welling
12. Jun 22	Sun	Norwich
15. Jun 22	Wednesday	Gloucester
19. Jun 22	Sun	Youth Service - Ireland
22. Jun 22	Wednesday	Chelsfield
26. Jun 22	Sun	Goteborg
29. Jun 22	Wednesday	soul care visits

FOR OUR CHILDREN

Matthew 28:6

He is not here, for He has risen, just as He said. Come, see the place where He was lying.

Colour by numbers



Solve the puzzle

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What do the pictures spell?





