

*Welcome* to Everyone today. May your time at Happy Valley be a blessed one and we would Love to catch up with you over a cuppa after the Service.

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## CELEBRATION SUNDAY!!

2010

**Exciting things to share.**

**Watch this space next week for details!!**

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**Nina Corlett-McDonald's CD's**

If you missed purchasing one of Nina's CD's ....see **Janet** with your \$20 and request.

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## 2010 CALENDARS!!!

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If you haven't bought your 2010 Calendar yet....why not purchase a **CKS** calendar with beautiful photos of what God is doing in North Uganda. All proceeds go to Childcare Kitgum Servants to help educate, feed and provide medicine to 10,000 children. **See Janet or Des Riessen.**

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## CELEBRATION SUNDAY

7<sup>th</sup> FEB 2010

Put this date in your diary as we celebrate **'What it means to be the people of God'** here at Happy Valley.

The Elders and Executive will be outlining important information during this service....Stay tuned

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Today we light the **PEACE** candle on the Advent wreath to signify the Fourth Sunday in Advent.

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## GRAPEVINE BREAK!!

**TODAY** is the last Grapevine for **2009** We will resume on the **31<sup>st</sup> January 2010!!!**

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**Mark** will be on leave for a week from Dec 28<sup>th</sup> – Jan 4<sup>th</sup> inclusive enjoying time with **Beck and Abby**. Please direct any Pastoral concerns to one of the Elders.

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## CHRISTMAS MOVIE NIGHT

Thanks **Andrew** for another great Movie night!! There was quite a crowd on Friday night to watch 'The Nativity'. We look forward to some great movies in the new year!!

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## CHRISTMAS OFFERING ENVELOPES

Envelopes for the Christmas Bowl are available and located on top of the 'pigeon holes'

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## SPECIAL NEWS!!

Happy 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday to **Teliethia Scafidi** who celebrated the day last Wednesday.

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**CONGRATULATIONS** to **James Bowden** and **Carly Cornish** who have just become **ENGAGED!!!**



## CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

**Janet and Des** would like to thank everyone for their care, love and support as they have undertaken the service of bringing the Grapevine news to you each week. Special thanks to **John and Val Main** who 'filled in' for us in July/August.

Thanks also for **Andrew** who places it on the web page and **Mark** for diligently providing thought provoking articles on the front page as well as the weekly news.

Thankyou all (especially those who receive it via email) for your patience and tolerance with editor gaffes and spelling errors. It just shows that you all read it ☺

We pray that every one enjoys a blessed and peaceful Christmas and we look forward to serving with you in the New Year!!

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## ADVENT CALENDAR WITH BITE

**Send your total fine to a group that helps fight poverty**

1. 10c for every hot water tap in your house
2. 80c for every vehicle your family owns
3. 10c for every pair of jeans you own
4. 50c if you subscribe to pay TV
5. 10c for every bed in your house
6. 10c for every beauty/makeup product you own
7. 10c for every pair of footwear you own
8. 5c for every light switch in your house
9. 20c for every bath and shower in your house
10. 10c for every flush toilet
11. 5c for every bar/dispenser of soap/sanitiser
12. 15c if you have cutlery and crockery
13. 25c if you have pots and pans to cook with
14. 5c for every window in your house
15. 10c for every outside door
16. 50c for every TV/computer screen in your house
17. 10c for every 10 DVDs your family owns
18. 5c for every 10 CDs your family owns
19. 10c for every meal you had that included meat this past week
20. 10c for every non-water beverage you drank yesterday
21. 25c if you own a petrol lawnmower
22. 5c for every item of hair care you own
23. 15c for every bedroom in your house
24. 10c for every blanket in your house
25. 15c for every gift you receive this Christmas.