



Wessex Auxiliary

2014 Newsletter

We would acknowledge the Lord's goodness to us in 2014 in opening new doors for us for the distribution of His Word amongst the spiritually needy people of our area. We appreciate the prayerful interest of all our supporters as we bring you news of the work so far this year.

BUSES AND RAILWAYS

During the year, we hope to site a number of posters with Scripture texts on railway stations and buses in the region. Details of the texts included and the locations and dates scheduled (DV) are shown on the back of this newsletter. We trust the Lord will use His Word through this means to the saving of souls.

PRISONS

We have recently been asked to supply 1,000 Bibles to HMP Bullingdon. This is a large prison with over 1,100 inmates. As funds stand at present, we are able to provide 400 of these Bibles, and in the Lord's providence we hope to supply the remainder in due course, as funds allow. Prisoners attending services are able to take a Bible to keep, and with the population at the prison constantly changing, there will always be a demand for further copies of the Word of God for these needy men. We are thankful to the Lord for opening a place for distribution, and seek His blessing upon His Word.

SCHOOLS

For the past two years, the Lord has seen fit to open many doors for us in

schools, but in the current year this has not yet been the case. Many letters have been sent to head teachers, but there have been few, if any, responses.

The Committee is burdened about this and we value a place in your prayers as we seek opportunity to place the Word of God into the hands of children in our area. If your children attend a school where you feel there may be an opportunity, do contact us and let us know.

LOCAL DISTRIBUTION



We were encouraged to hear of the free distribution of Bibles and other Scripture portions in the town of Haslemere on the May Day Bank Holiday. One hundred Bibles (funded by Wessex) were freely distributed to the passing public, for which we would give thanks.

CARE HOMES

In the early part of the year, we and others were able to distribute Bibles into a number of homes in the region including Salisbury and Bath. This is a vast sector with over 2,500 care homes in the Wessex region alone. If you are connected to anyone working in this sector or to a resident in a home, please contact us and make us aware if you see an opening.

For your further encouragement, we heard of an elderly couple earlier in the year that through ill health and infirmity are nursed in their home by different carers four times a day. Following a conversation with one of the carers, a Bible was requested and given.

Since then, other carers have also asked for a copy for themselves and eight Bibles have been given. We are reminded that we are to be witnesses throughout our lives, even down to old age.

But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts; and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear (reverence) (1 Peter 3.15)

2014 CHILDREN'S QUIZ

We enclose a copy of the 2014 quiz, and would welcome the distribution of this amongst local churches and Sunday schools in the Wessex area. May the Lord bless the children in the reading of His Word.

WEBSITE

Lastly, we would remind you that the Wessex website

www.tbsbibles.org/wessex

contains information about the work of the Auxiliary, forthcoming meetings, reports and other items. If you would like to donate towards the work of Wessex, you can donate by clicking the button on the 'seeking your support' page.

If you would like to help the Wessex Auxiliary, we would welcome your support.

Should you have any questions, please contact the Secretary:

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Bus Posters

If the Lord will, we hope to feature these posters on Wiltshire & Dorset buses (sides and rears) during July. These buses operate in South Wiltshire, Dorset and West Hampshire.

Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else. Isaiah 45.22

For a **free Bible** email wessex@tbsbibles.org or call **01367 241 399**



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God also hath highly exalted him ... that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow Philippians 2.9,10

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Blessed are they that hear the word of God, and keep it. Luke 11.28

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Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved Acts 16.31

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Railway Posters

If the Lord will, we hope to feature these posters at the following stations during 2014:

Chippenham	Platform 1	5/5/14 to 1/6/14
Taunton	Platform 2	30/6/14 to 27/7/14
Bristol Parkway	Platform 2	8/9/14 to 5/10/14
Bristol Temple Meads	Platform 7	8/9/14 to 5/10/14
Brockenhurst	Platform 3	3/11/14 to 30/11/14

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3.16

THE WORD OF GOD

Every one that is proud in heart is an abomination to the LORD

Proverbs 16.5



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Neither their silver nor their gold shall be able to deliver them in the day of the LORD's wrath...

Zephaniah 1.18



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Who is a God like unto thee, that pardoneth iniquity...?

Micah 7.18



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This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners

1 Timothy 1.15



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