



Wessex Auxiliary

2015 Newsletter

It is with thankfulness that once again we are able to report to you the Lord's goodness to us in 2015. Further doors have been opened for the distribution of His Word amongst the spiritually needy people of the Wessex region. We appreciate the prayerful interest of all our supporters as we bring you news of the work so far this year.

During the past few months a number of letters have been sent to head teachers, and some have responded positively to this. We are thankful that two schools in Dorset have requested Bibles and other materials. These were All Saints School, Bishops Caundle and Cheselbourne Village School, where Pastor Aaron Lewis presented Bibles to the children.

PRISONS

As we approached the end of last year, we had requests for further Bibles from prisons, one in particular which requested 540, including Polish, Romanian and Lithuanian translations. A member of the Committee spoke to the Chaplain at this prison, who interestingly is also a local Imam (Muslim cleric). He was very receptive to taking further Bibles into the prison, and asked if the version was the King James.

We also had requests from two other prisons at the same time, with another 70 Bibles for one and 50 for a prison for women. We are very thankful that we were able to deliver these Bibles in the first quarter of 2015, and seek that the Lord would apply His Word to open the spiritually blind eyes of men and women.

SCHOOLS

Once again there have been a number of approaches to local primary schools in the region. This is an area of Scripture distribution which is of particular concern to the Committee as we seek to reach the needy souls of the young, many of whom have never read the Bible, don't attend a place of worship, are brought up in homes where the Word of God is not regarded or read and are educated in schools that have no interest in the reading or teaching of Scripture. However, we have to remember that we are not in control of this, and the Lord Himself wisely marshals our every circumstance.



CARE HOMES

The vast care home sector had been a new area of distribution in 2014, and we are thankful that this has continued in the current year. Two homes in the Andover area were pleased to receive large print Bibles for use by elderly residents.

BUSES AND RAILWAYS

Last year we were able to display texts on the sides and rears of buses in the Wiltshire area and on various train stations across the region. We hope to do this again during the peak tourist period of June to September this year, if the Lord will. Full details of the locations, dates and texts that will be used are on the back of this Newsletter. We would seek your prayerful interest in this activity.

2015 CHILDREN'S QUIZ

We enclose a copy of the 2015 quiz, and would again welcome the distribution of this amongst local churches and Sabbath schools in the Wessex area. May the Lord bless the children in the reading of His Word.

DIARY DATES 2016 (DV)

Stonehenge – If the Lord will, we hope to be at the Summer Solstice event at Stonehenge in 2016, in order to distribute a new booklet containing a Scriptural texts directing those attending to the Word of God and its plain teaching against idolatry. We seek that those attending might have their spiritual eyes opened and that they might, by the work of the Holy Spirit, be brought out of darkness into the Lord's most marvellous light. We seek your prayers for those representing the Auxiliary on that occasion.

Before me there was no God formed, neither shall there be after me. I, even I, am the LORD; and beside me there is no saviour.

Isaiah 43.10-11

2015 Prayer Meeting – this will be held (DV) at Emmanuel Church, Salisbury, on Monday, 29 June at 7.15pm.

2016 AGM – we hope (DV) to hold this at Lansdowne Hall, Derry Hill, Wiltshire, on Saturday, 15 January at 3.00pm, after which the Rev Maurice Roberts is expected to preach. We hope to include a crèche for those with very young children to enable parents to attend the worship service if they wish.

For further details see our website

www.tbsbibles.org/wessex

Bus Posters

He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life. 1 John 5.12

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...blessed are they that hear the word of God, and keep it. Luke 11.28 (part)

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Andover Avebury Beckhampton Blunsdon Burbage Cadley Calne Cheltenham Chippenham Chiseldon Cirencester Collingbourne Cricklade Devizes Draycot Foliat Fairford Faringdon Fernham Freshbrook Fyfield Great Western Outlet Village Highworth Hilmarton Kempford Kingsdown Lechlade Littleworth Longcot Lower Stratton Ludgershall Lyneham Marlborough North Cerney Ogbourne St Andrew Ogbourne St George Oxford Seend Shrivenham Siddington South Marston South Moor Stratton St Margaret Studley Swindon Toothill Trowbridge Watchfield Whelford Winterbourne Bassett Woodshaw Wooton Bassett Wroughton

Railway Posters

THE WORD OF GOD
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
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THE WORD OF GOD
For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Romans 6.23
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THE WORD OF GOD
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
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THE WORD OF GOD
...Thou God seest me
Genesis 16.13
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THE WORD OF GOD
But God commendeth his love towards us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.
Romans 5.8
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If the Lord will, these posters will be seen at the following stations on the dates shown:

Didcot Parkway	Platform 1	15 June to 12 July
Reading	Platform 10	1 June to 28 June
Swindon	Platform 1	27 July to 23 August
Portsmouth Harbour	Concourse	13 July to 9 August
Salisbury	Platform 3	10 August to 6 September

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

Should you have any questions, please contact the Secretary, Mr J. Sayers:

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