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Upcoming Events

Outreach Movie Night
(starting 7 October)

Sending Church

Battlefield Baptist Church
4361 Lee Hwy
Warrenton, VA 20187



Heading out to postcard Holywell door-to-door for the **Summer Fun Fair** with the team from Layton Chapel Baptist Church (I-r, Colton Hill, John and Bethany Chancey, Elisha Kennedy and Mary).



Summer Fun Fair information booth with face painting and crafts.

I for a great door and effectual is opened unto me, and there are many adversaries.

1 Corinthian 16:9

Thank you for your prayers and support!

Jul _____ \$100

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Specials

Pastor Grieme and Central Baptist Church,
Thank you for your faithful support!

In Christ,
David Campbell



Update: Holywell

It is good to be back and up to speed with things again in Holywell. Thank you for your prayers for us and our ministry to the people of Wales!

Our big outreach event of the summer was our **Summer Fun Fair**. Layton Chapel Baptist Church sent a team of 4 people in early August to help us. They jumped right in and assisted with distributing 1,000 postcards door-to-door in Holywell. They also helped with face painting, labeling water bottles with chapel information and making balloon animals as well as overseeing the 2 inflatables we rented (**see photo right**). We took over a street section about 150 feet long off of the town High Street and set up an information booth (**left**) with crafts and face painting. We also had several games the young people could play for



sweets (basketball shoot, ring toss, etc.). Most of our congregation turned out and we had help from several nearby missionaries (the Quades, Alberts and Orricks). Overall, the response was extremely favorable and we made a lot of good contacts. Everyone I spoke with said we needed more things like this for the young people in Holywell. We lost count of how many families and children came but we handed out over 100 bottles of water and 100 chapel information leaflets. Better yet,

8 families signed up to receive more information on Bethel's children's programmes. We will be following up with them as we begin a children's Bible club.

As an added blessing, the team from Layton Chapel performed special music during our Sunday service. Associate Pastor John Chancey preached for us for the morning service and his wife, Bethany, played piano! We thank them for their willingness to come and co-labour with us to make an eternal difference here in Holywell, Wales!

Shifting Youth Focus

The week after we returned from furlough we restarted reaching out to teens in Holywell through our **Fantastic Fridays!** ministry. The team from Layton Chapel even helped the Friday they were here. While we have attracted a few young people most weeks, the numbers have been low and only one young lady was consistently coming. To top it off it turned out that those coming out were mostly younger than

secondary school age. We are definitely not seeing the numbers of teens out that we did last year. We think the difference is a "dispersal order" which the police have used on a couple of occasions to curb anti-social behavior when young people gather on the town High Street. The dispersal area includes the park we use. The net result is that there are few teens out and about for us to reach. However, on the plus side,

it seems that the door is open to reaching younger children. This links into the positive response we had at our Summer Fun Fair for primary school ages. To that end, we have just made Fantastic Fridays! an upper primary school aged outreach (8-11). We have one young person who attends our chapel with her parents who is in this age group already. Please be in prayer that we reach many young people with the Gospel through this ministry!