

18 February 2024

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Roads,  
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P.O. Box 351,  
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## SERVICE TIMES

### Bible Study & Sunday School

Bible Study 9:00- 9:45 AM.  
Sunday School 9:00-9:45 AM  
Young Adults 9:00- 9:45 AM.  
Youth 9:00- 9:45 AM.

### Sunday Worship

AM: 10:00 - 11:15

PM: 18:00 –19:00

*Living a new life in Christ*

*From the desk of Dereck...*

## What the wise seeks and finds

The book of Proverbs has much to say about someone who is a fool. A fool **“lacks wisdom” (10:3)**, **“despises wisdom” (1:22)**, **“mocks at sin” (14:9)** and **“feeds on foolishness” (15:14)**. Still more, the book of Proverbs has much to say about someone, who is wise. Which are you?

The wise person, is one who will **“receive commands” (10:8)**. How do you handle commands? The wise person **“receives knowledge” (21:11)**. Do you seek to learn things you do not already know? The wise person is one who **“listens to counsel” (19:20)**. Do you listen to and heed wise counsel, even if it does not match your personal views or wishes? The wise person is one who **“receives correction” (15:5)** and **“accepts discipline” (19:20)**. Do you?

Our Creator has given us a brain, which He expects us to use. Wisdom is not found in following the masses or accepting information blindly or refusing to evaluate facts against biblical absolutes. God draws a sharp contrast between fools and wise. Which one would He apply to you?

Do you thrive on acquiring knowledge and despise what God has in store for you and the world. Wisdom is much different to knowledge. Knowledge speaks about the World as a physical phenomena and wisdom charts enquiry into what undergirds and makes that physical phenomena evident.

Where lies your enquiry?

I pray that you seek to be where God want us to be.

Have an amazing week.

Love

Dereck

### CONTACT DETAILS

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**MINISTRY FACILITATORS**

**Worship:** Hugh Kirby 082 3325434

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**Finance:** Geoff Jäck 082 801 7005 /

Richard Lang 084 575 4408

**World Bible School:** Desiree Human 060 501 8540

**Prisons:** Stephen Leibbrandt 084 790 7721

**Benevolence:** Johan Gerber 083 233 4726

**Maintenance:** Stephen Leibbrandt 084 790 7721

**LADIES BIBLE CLASS**

Tuesdays at 10am

Contact: Sue 063 779 9914 or Ali 084 5584 508

**MID WEEK BIBLE STUDY CLASS**

Wednesday 7.00 - 8.00 pm

**SMALL GROUPS**

**Thursday evening group, Bible Study**

Thursday 7.00—8.00pm

Contact: Johan G 083 233 4726 or Darryn 072 385 9062

**YOUTH FRIDAYS 18H30—20H00 (alternates)**

**Kids for Christ Grade 2 to Grade 7**

Contact: Tish 084 398 8556 or Gaynor 072 111 5220

**YOUTH Grade 8 to Grade 12**

Contact: Johan & Gaynor Pienaar 083 456 0791

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

*Those who are ill/surgeries:* Stacey Jansen, Warren Beyer, Dorothy Boshoff, Chris & Zelda Gerber's daughter—Cherie. Sam & Cathy Wishart

*The bereaved:* Our love & condolences to all those who have lost loved ones. May the God of comfort be with you.

*The elderly & those in need of prayer:* SA Bible College, our country & leaders & world leaders, the doctors & nurses, police and those who keep us safe, and those affected by the wars in the Ukraine, Palestine & Israel. Just pray for everyone.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



Daniel Idas	18 Feb
Josh Sinclair	20 Feb
Keren Webb	21 Feb
Angelique Futter (Botha)	24 Feb

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

Kurt & Kim Morkel—22 Feb



**TUESDAY LADIES' CLASS**

Teaching: Elise

Book: Wham! Facing Life's

Heavy Hits - Wham 4—Abraham

Announcements & prayer: Sue



**THURSDAY GROUP**

Durbanville group will meet at the home of Christa Gerber.

Joe will be teaching.

Please contact Christa Gerber 084 897 4974 with any queries.

Malmesbury/Paarl group also meet on a Thursday, on zoom.

Please contact Darryn McLachlan 072 385 9062 for the details



**SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE**

Lads & Lasses to Leaders

Date: **Sun 25 Feb** Time : **6pm**



Kids for Christ



Belleville Church of Christ



**KfC and YOUTH**

Parents please indicate on the list on the notice board, the dates you can assist with KfC and Youth.

**SUNDAY EVENING TIME CHANGE**

Please note our evening service will **start at 6pm and end at 7pm.**

**FELLOWSHIP TEA & COMMUNION ROSTERS**

Please indicate on the rosters on the notice board which months you would like to assist with washing communion cups and serving tea.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL 9am—9:45am**

DATE	18 Feb	25 Feb
Cradle roll	Elise	Elise
Age 4—6	Lydia	Lydia
Grade 1—2	Marietjie	Marietjie
Grade 3 - 4	Stacey	Stacey
Grade 5 - 7	Johan G	Johan G

**NEXT WEEK 18 February 2024**

**NEXT WEEK 25 February 2024**

NEXT WEEK 18 February 2024		DUTY ROSTER	NEXT WEEK 25 February 2024	
AM	PM		AM	PM
Dereck Beukes	Dereck Beukes	ANNOUNCEMENTS	Dereck Beukes	Dereck Beukes
Johan Gerber			SONG LEADER	Criston Sloan
Geoff Jäck			LORD'S SUPPER	Zane Elgar
Geoff, Leonard, Juan, George		AM SERVERS	Zane, Marc, Glen	
Leonard Green		SCRIPTURE & PRAYER	Marc De Kock	
Dereck Beukes		PREACHING	Dereck Beukes	
Juan Thomas		CLOSING PRAYER	Glen DW Holmes	
		COMMUNION		
		FLOWERS		
Jorren		Sound	Charles	

**FINANCES**

Budget : Mar—Jan 2024  
 Budget = R130 000 x 11 mths  
 = **R1 430 000.00**  
 Actual contribution  
 = **R1 220 677.13**  
 Shortfall / Surplus  
 = **-R 209 322.87**  
 God bless you as you excel in your giving - 2 Cor. 8 : 7



**BANKING DETAILS**

**NEDBANK**  
 ACC Name: Bellville Church of Christ  
 Cheque Acc. Nr: 1036015041  
 Branch Code: 103610