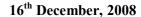
Bible Baptist Church

Meeting in the Westgate Foundation, Main Road, Ballincollig Sundays at 10.30am, and at 7pm, and on Wednesdays at 7pm Post: Unit B, Enterprise Business park, Inishmore Ballincollig, Cork

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Dear Friends and Church Family,

Christmas time is one of my most favourite times of the year. As a church, we have many things happening in December for you and your family to be able to attend and participate in the worship of the Lord Jesus, and for you all to grow in your faith and trust of such a mighty God!

Christmas is a great time of the year, not because of the gifts and lights, or even all the family gatherings. It is awesome because of how precious *Jesus* becomes once again even to so many people who have seemingly forgotten about Him the rest of the year! Take advantage of the following events to bring along someone who really needs some encouragement and spiritual help! I guarantee you, they will get it!

The upcoming events and church activities that you will want to know about are as follows:

- Our Choir's Christmas cantata called, "Born to Die!" is this Sunday (21st December), starting at 10.30am. If you can, invite someone else along! The Christmas music will stir and bless your heart, but especially the main song, "Born to Die!" specially written for this Cantata.
- The following Thursday is **Christmas Day**, and from 11am until Noon, we will gather as a church and worship the birth of the Lord Jesus as one family! Please come and get the greatest blessing out of Christmas just by keeping Jesus FIRST at Christmas! You won't regret it!
- Sunday morning, the 28th of December, at 10.30am, we will learn how to put some things in the past so that we can reach for the prize in the future that God has for every believer! *This will be the final message of the Bow the Knee series* we have studied throughout this past year. You won't want to miss it!
- Then, on Wednesday evening, the 31st of December, at 8pm, we will meet together for our **New Year's Eve church activity**. There will be fun, food, pop-corn preaching, and prayer for the new year. It will all culminate at midnight, so come ready for a blessing. That evening, we will be unveiling our 2009 Church Theme for the year, so come expecting to be stirred-up for God's work here in the Cork area!

• Finally, the teens have an **All-Night Activity** at the Ballincollig Gymnasium on Friday the 2nd of January! As always, it will be action-packed, but it will encourage everyone in their walk with God. All teens are invited, and there will be plenty of food and fun, and supervision!

Please know that I do so love you, and pray for you always! See you Sunday!

Your Friend and Pastor,

Pastor Craig Ledbetter Psalm 37:23