

KESWICK IN WALES CONVENTION

Llandrindod Wells

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Dear Friends of the Keswick in Wales Convention,

Chairman's Letter – February, 2022

Greetings in the Saviour's Precious Name.

It seems a very long time ago since I last wrote to you about the Keswick in Wales Convention.

Much has happened since then particularly as regards Covid-19 and its spread and the rules regarding meetings etc. As I write the rules in England have been relaxed, and I understand similar restrictions have been relaxed in Wales and elsewhere.

God willing, and I say that not as a "throw away" remark, but as a serious Bible truth, our God is STILL Sovereign over all things. He is still on the Throne; our plans are to hold our Convention this year from Monday 25th July to Friday 29th July.

We expect to meet at the Pavilion as per usual. We will abide by any Government rules and regulations that appertain at the time, but we do trust they will be minimal if not non-existent.

We have had to change our morning speaker as the Rev. Angus MacLeay has health issues which prevent him from being with us this year. Thankfully the Rev. Brian Edwards (Dunstable) has kindly agreed to come in his place. Brian is well known in Evangelical circles as a preacher and author of several books, latterly under the banner of Day One. Rev. John Treharne (Pontarddulais) will be the evening speaker and Rev. Adrian Brake (Carmarthen) is our Thursday afternoon speaker. Rev. John Funnell (Abersychan) will be joining us on Tuesday afternoon for our Coffee, Cup Cakes and Chat session. Also, three missions will be sharing with us during the week. Please see, below, the full programme for the Convention.

Another change that we have had to make this year relates to our Children's meetings. Ruth Glover, who has led our Children's work for a number of years, is unable to be with

us this year because of the responsibilities arising from raising her young family. However, we are delighted that Megan Stone, who works for Child Evangelism Fellowship and is based in Pembrokeshire, has agreed to take over the responsibility for our Children's work this year. Megan is very experienced in working with children and we are looking forward to her working with us this year.

Some might ask the question. Do we still need Conventions such as Keswick in Wales? After all we can go on to the internet and listen online to many very good speakers from all over the world!! Well yes, but we would say it's not just the preaching but it's the fellowship with the Lord's people, it's the prayer meeting, it's seeing old friends some of whom we only see once a year at Llandrindod. And sadly, it's not everyone who shares our great concern for the deepening of our spiritual walk with the Lord and our great longing for revival.

I have said previously we are living in perilous times akin to Romans chapter 1, 1 Timothy chapter 4 verses 1 and 2, 2 Timothy chapter 3 verses 1 – 5. The nearness of our Lord's Second Coming is surely on the horizon and unless He moves mightily by His Spirit, I see no hope for us as a people. Our continuous cry must be:
Oh Lord... "In wrath, remember mercy"
Oh! that Thou wouldst rend the heavens and come that the mountains might flow at Thy Presence. May it be so.

The Lord graciously bless you all.

Yours in the love of Jesus

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(Rev. Colin Leyshon, Chair, Keswick in Wales Convention)

2022 KESWICK IN WALES CONVENTION

The dates and arrangements for the 2022 Keswick in Wales Convention are (DV) as follows: -

Dates: Monday, 25th July, to Friday, 29th July, 2022 inclusive

Main Speakers:

Bible Readings – Rev. Brian Edwards, Dunstable

Evening Preacher – Rev. John Treharne, Pontarddulais

Thursday Afternoon Preaching Service

Speaker – Rev. Adrian Brake, Carmarthen

Tuesday Afternoon - Coffee, Cup Cakes and Chat Session

Speaker – Rev. John Funnell, Abersychan

Mission Societies that will be sharing Mission Reports:

Tuesday, 26th July – Jews for Jesus

Wednesday, 27th July – SGA (Slavic Gospel Association)

Thursday, 28th July – Christar

Venue: The Pavilion Mid Wales, Llandrindod Wells.

Meeting Times:

Welcome Meeting – 3.30 pm Monday, 25th July

Evening Meetings – 7.30 pm (Monday, 25th to Thursday, 28th July)

Prayer Meetings – 9.30 am (Tuesday, 26th to Friday, 29th July)

Bible Readings – 11.00 am (Tuesday, 26th to Friday, 29th July)

Children's Bible Club – 11.00 am (Tuesday, 26th to Friday, 29th July)

Afternoon Meetings – 3.00 pm (Tuesday, 26th July, Coffee, Cup Cakes and Chat Session; Thursday, 28th July, Afternoon Meeting)

Further details:

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