

New Life Christian Fellowship September 26th 2010

Actions speak louder than words. It is great when we, God's Church, love, serve and help others locally and across the globe. Sadly, sometimes when people look at the established church they feel disappointed, despondent, even angry, because they see fake, empty words.

God is looking for people who are willing to serve him and others. To “Love our neighbours” and behave like Christians. However, we are human, weak and imperfect, and we let people down. For this I am very sorry, especially because it ruins Jesus' reputation. We who believe are The Church and there is lots of ways for us to demonstrate how we love God, and others.

We can pray. When we pray God answers. We can help and support people, listening and not judging. We can speak up for the weak and needy, act against injustice. If someone attacks us, we should not respond with hate, but with love: Jesus said: “So now I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples.”

Sounds simple, but we people are often complicated, stubborn beings! Our behaviour can taint The Church. Jesus had lots of time for the ordinary people he met. He spent lots of time with the “outcasts” of first century society, but he had very little time for the religious hypocrites. They made him angry. It is still the same today.

We are not perfect, but by the power of God's Spirit, and by our own attitude to life and others, we can reflect God's love. Then we can be The Church that God wants us to be; that looks, thinks and acts like love. I pray God will move all of us who believe in him today, so we can reflect Jesus' love to all we meet.

New Life Christian Fellowship meet in Kilgetty Community Centre, 10.45am on Sundays. Please call if you want someone to talk to or pray for you. 01834 831533 / 07827 293781.

Coming Soon.....JUST10 - October 7th - 7.30pm Kilgetty Community Centre.