



THE ARK COMMUNITY

"There is ONE body and ONE spirit, just as you were called in ONE Hope of your calling, ONE Lord, One Faith, ONE Baptism and ONE God and Father of ALL, who is above ALL, and through ALL and in you ALL."

(Eph 4:4-6)



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*An Inter-denominational
Christian Community within
the Celtic Anglican Tradition.
Consecrated members of the
Communion of Evangelical
Episcopal Churches (CEEC).
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News & Events:

July 31st – RSA

Ark Community Gathering

We'll be having a Community Gathering (Bring & Braai) at 90 Silwood Rd, Bramley Gardens on the 31st of July at 14h00.

RSVP to:

tony@thearkcommunity.org

- All welcome -

Aug 1st - RSA

Christian Motorcycle Rally

We've been invited to minister to the Messiah's Disciples, during their Monthly Motorcycle Rally in South Africa – please pray for God's Transforming Power to fall on these Guys & Girls?

Road Works – June 2010

Dear Companions and Friends

"To trust God does not mean to see everything clearly according to our criteria, it does not mean to carry out what we have planned; to trust God means to empty ourselves of ourselves and to deny ourselves, because only one who accepts losing himself for God can be justified, that is, can conform his own will to God's and thus be fulfilled." - SELAH

(Benedict XVI)

- SELAH – it's Done..!

Our Community Retreat & Ministry Centre

† tony palmer - *Bishop and Community Co-Founder*



While living in Italy in 2005, a deep desire to establish a **Centre for Transformation** filled our hearts – God wants to do more than save us – He wants to transform us, and then asks us to 'GO' and Transform His world. This gave birth to our dream for 'SELAH.'

After 5 years of seeking the Lord's direction we are now glad to tell you all that we have found a property in Umbria (Italy) and have signed a Rental Contract for 2 years – giving us time to find money needed for the purchase price. For a good overview of what **SELAH** is, use this Link: <http://thearkcommunityselah.blogspot.com/> In short **SELAH** is primarily our Community's Mother House and Ministry Centre, where we will run the Ministry and host monthly Retreats, focusing on transformational themes. **SELAH** exists to serve all who come to us for Retreats and Christian Hospitality. **SELAH** will be a LIGHT on the hilltop, where people will gather to live the Sermon on the Mount. We'll also be teaching English to the local Children and ministering reconciliation on both a local and an international level – **SELAH** is a place of unconditional love expressed. Come..! The contract is signed..!





"Saint Aiden"
Holy Island (North England)

For Prayer:
Calendar 2010
(main events only)

July 31: Community Gathering in South Africa – to reconnect for the next 'chapter' of our Community life & ministry.

Aug 1: Motorcycle Rally in South Africa – for God's transformational Power.

Aug 4: Love Pretoria – Tony will be ministering to all the Pretoria Church Leaders in a joint meeting.

Prophetic Encouragement – Emiliana had the privilege of ministering to and encouraging a Group of '**young prophets**'. Because of the nature of prophecy – many Christians remain distant from this ministry gift – but God values prophecy very highly, and a godly respect for this ministry is beneficial to all. Emiliana was invited by Ms. Jenny Campbell to minister on MEEKNESS. Emiliana defined godly meekness not as "**weakness**" but "**Strength under control**". The Lord showed up and confirmed His word and many lives were transformed. | **emiliana palmer – Community Co-Founder**



Embassy Bible College – Graduation 2010

Tucked away in the City of Bath (UK) is a thriving inter-denominational Bible School – **Embassy Bible College**.



We've never seen such deep hunger and honest openness to diversity – these mature Students are a real blessing and an encouragement to minister to. We introduced the subject of: '**Convergence**' to the Students, which is an awareness and a celebration of the different Christian streams (Denominations). Convergence is when the '**streams flow together in unity**'..! We have committed to continue teaching there for 2011.



Financial year end: We are glad to be able to inform you that this year we were able **to give away 68%** of all money that was given to our Community. As a Community our ministry is to help others, we are merely a conduits of God. So thank you to all who made this possible..!

Be a Benefactor / Partner: This year we gave away 68% to OTHERS..! Although we began as Missionaries to Italy, which lead to a pan-European Ministry, we've now expanded into an **International ministry of reconciliation**. Thus Partnering with us is a support of an international Kingdom ministry. We have a **PayPal** Ministry account: (www.paypal.com), that can receive gifts from any country in any currency, sending your gifts to: gifts@thearkcommunity.org. **Thank you** to all those who support us in every way...! For those of you desiring to financially support the Ministry in the more traditional way, please donate to "**The Ark Community**" by using any of these Bank Accounts below.

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