

Weekly Schedule:

Sundays:

Choir Rehearsal	13:00 - 13:55 ¹
Prayer Service	13:30 - 13:55
Worship Service	14:00 - 15:45
Pre-school - Children's Bible Study	14:10 - 15:45

We have an excellent Bible study and children's program for your children during the worship service for the youth and adults. We encourage you to allow your children to go with the other children as they leave the worship service together with the teachers.

Wednesdays:

Prayer Service & Bible Study (Kòln: Escherstr. 160)	18:30 - 20:00
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Fridays:

Youth Meeting	18:00 - 20:00
At Merheimer Straße 71 in Köln at the home of Elsa Odongo.	
Prayer Service & Bible Study (Bonn: Mittelstr. 39)	19:00 - 20:30

Church Leadership:

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The International Baptist Church of Cologne is a congregation of believers who gather to worship our God through Jesus Christ, His Son. We strive to be a caring and loving group of Christians who give faithful witness to the salvation available to all through faith in Jesus Christ. Our congregation is a participating member of the International Baptist Convention and the Bund Evangelisch-Freikirchlicher Gemeinden in Deutschland.

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¹All members who would be a part of the worship team are encouraged to be present one hour before the beginning of the worship service in order to prepare the music for the worship service.



The Worship of God

SUNDAY 14:00



7 JUNE 2009

We welcome you to worship with us.



Escher Straße 160 (Bilderstöckchen)
50739 Köln

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7 June 2009
THE WORSHIP OF GOD

We Praise God

Preparing for Worship

Chorus "We Have Come Into This Place"
 Chorus "We Will Give Ourselves No Rest"
 Chorus "I Life Up My Hands"

Welcome and Announcements

Birthday Recognitions

A Summons to Praise from God's Word,

Invocation¹
 Hymn of Praise

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

We Seek God's Care

The Sharing of Needs
 Intercession for Needs

Mini Concert

Music of Praise and Worship

As the Deer
 Blessed Be Your Name
 Testify to Love
 Amazing Grace

We Share God's Saving Grace

Hymn of Praise
 Receiving the Offerings²
 Offertory Prayer

"To God Be the Glory"

We Hear God's Word

Special Music
 Our God Saves
 He Knows My Name

Sermon
 Invitation Hymn
 The Benediction

"Many Gifts," 1 Cor. 12:27-31
 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

Closing Chorus

"He Is the Cry of My Heart"

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²Our congregation is a Free Church and thus receives financial support only from the free will offerings of the members and others who wish to contribute to the ministries of the church. For fund transfer, use the following information for the church: Kölner Bank, BLZ: 37160087; Konto, 680020000.

Worship Team

Ojeifo Ohihoin
 Ojeifo Ohihoin

Bro. Lorin
 Kingsley Edosomwan
 Hymn nr. 2

Congregation
 Bro. Lorin

Undivided

Hymn nr. 4

Steven Jett

Undivided

Bro. Lorin
 Hymn nr. 305
 Bro. Lorin

An Invitation:

For those wishing to **publicly confess Christ** as Savior and Lord, to **rededicate your life** to serving Christ, or to **request membership** in the church by transfer of letter, you should come forward to speak with the pastor about your desire. Pastor Lorin will help you follow the Lord's leadership in public decision.

Prayer Concerns

Our church maintains a Prayer List of requests submitted by members and friends. Everyone is encouraged to submit the names of individuals etc., who need the prayers of the church. We will post these names on a printed list each week. On Wednesday evening especially, the church will be praying for each need that is listed. But members are also encouraged to take this list home, place it in your Bible, and each day as you spend time reading the scriptures to be reminded to pray for these individuals on the Prayer List. To submit a name, just write it out on a slip of paper and hand it to the pastor or one of the Church Council members listed on the bulletin.

Undivided

We welcome Undivided to our worship service this morning. They are a BSU Choir from Florida State University. Steven and Susan Jet, IMB missionaries of the SBC at Bornheim, are hosting these young ladies. "Undivided" is a Baptist Student Ministries Choir of the Florida State University in Tallahassee, FL. They hold concerts in various Baptist churches in the US in order to promote the choir and help fund their yearly trip to Germany. For the past 7 years they have ministered in Germany to help in the church planting efforts with Steven and Susan Jett, missionaries with the International Mission Board of the SBC. They sing in area churches, schools, businesses, at city festivals and in the pedestrian zones of the various cities. They have also sung at country-wide and city-wide youth meetings. This year the choir consists of five young women. They are Grace Elsen, Kaley Goodman, Amber Bates, Emily Hall and Chelsea Stone (as shown on picture). The director is Bill Dixon who is an elementary school teacher and Music Minister at FBC, Quincey, FL.



Calender of Events

Last Week's Record:

Sunday Attendance: 64
 Offering: 195.02 €

Wednesday:
 18:30 - 20:00 Prayer and Bible Study at the church
 Origin and History of the Bible: Session 12, Topic 3.1 Copying the Bible

Friday:
 18:00 - 21:30 GPS Youth Meeting in Cologne
 19:00 - 20:30 Prayer and Bible Study at BZW in Bonn
 Session 06: James 2:14-26

June 12-14
 Our church will have a booth at the MitAfrika festival in Rheinpark on Friday and Saturday. The Evangelism Team is making the arrangements for our participation. Put this on your calender and plan to attend and help with the witness of our church. A sign up sheet is available.

5. Festival MitAfrika

June 14
 10:00 - 11:30 Pastor Lorin has been invited to deliver the Sunday morning sermon at the Evangelisch-Freikirchliche Gemeinde in Bonn (Mittelstr. 39) as a part of their Partnership Exchange program with the city of Oxford England. Members of the city of Oxford will be present and the sermon etc. will be in both English and German. Members of our church are invited to attend the service. We will, however, have our regular worship service here at 14:00 Uhr that same Sunday.

June 21
 13:00 - 14:45 Baptism and Lord's Supper Worship Service at Friedenskirche on Rheinausstrasse, instead of the regular worship service here at the Nathanael Kirche.

June 28
 Dedication Service for Women's Ministry

Please take a copy home with you in order to remember to pray for these concerns.

Prayer List¹
 IBC Baptist Church
 of Cologne
 as of 7 June 2009

He [Jesus] was teaching and saying, "Is it not written, "My house shall be called a house of prayer for all the nations?" (Mark 11:17)

The following indicates individuals and situations that we as members of the International Baptist Church in Cologne need to be praying for daily.

IBC Cologne concerns:

- For several **IBC members and friends** of the church who are experiencing health problems.
 - For Stefanie Woehler who is suffering from a number of health problems, and facing decisions about surgery.
 - For Henry Okundaye who is struggling with cancer and some related health issues. Henry went home on Friday, but will continue radiation and kidney dialysis treatments at the hospital. On Friday, May 23, Henry had emergency surgery to remove an ulcer from his stomach.
 - For Ferhado Hüsein-Haci Ferhat, an Iraqi immigrant who attends our church. He had surgery on Wednesday, May 6.
 - For Edith Morgan who works with the children in Sunday School and suffered a broken rib in a fall last week.
- For Mrs. Anna Böll, who lost her husband Rolf last Saturday. The funeral was held Thursday at the Südfriedhof in Cologne.
- For several members who are struggling with obstacles in the way of getting proper residency papers.
- For several members who are looking for jobs.
- For the newly born babies in our church:
 - Alicia Idemudia, born to Solomon and Roseline Idemudia
 - Brian Adoga, born to Francis and Sylvia Adoga
- For Ordi Hossu, our youth pastor, as he begins to organize the Youth Ministry and assemble a Youth Ministry Team of leaders who will assist him. The youth group meets on Friday evenings at 18:00 Uhr. Be praying for God's blessings on this ministry. The group has adopted the name GPS, and has gotten off to a wonderful beginning with upwards of twenty young people attending.
- For the developing Prayer Ministry of our church. Dean Edwards has agreed to serve as leader of the Prayer Ministry Team who lead the pre-worship prayer service each week 30 minutes before the worship service. Plans for a Prayer Chain and other emphases focused on helping our church become widely known as a praying congregation are being developed.
- For the candidates for baptism who are preparing for their baptismal experience soon. June 21 is the next scheduled baptism service at 13:00 Uhr in the Friedenskirche on Rheinaustrasse in Cologne.
- For the emerging Women's Ministry of our church. Alison Edwards has been elected by the church to lead in the formation of this ministry in our church. Exciting plans are taking shape in getting ready to officially launch this ministry on June 28. The initial orientation and training session of the Women's Ministry Leadership Team will take place tomorrow afternoon at Pastor Lorin and Claire's

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home in Wesseling.

- For the continuing needs of the Children's Ministry of our church as we become more organized in teaching the children in our Sunday School ministry on Sunday afternoons, and Friday evenings in the Bonn ministry.

IBC Bonn concerns:

- For the spiritual needs of people in the Bonn/Bad Godesberg area. Pray that God will use this ministry to impact the lives of many people in the area. This will be a joint project between the IBC Cologne and the GZM-EFG Baptist church in Bonn.
- For Rev. Robert Purdy, the pastor son-in-law in Houston, Texas, of one of the Baptisten Gemeinde members in Bonn. Rev. Purdy has serious health problems.

General Concerns:

- For national leaders around the world as they try to come to grips with the deepening economic troubles world wide. In the past, such difficulties have often preceded major wars. Pray that God will intervene to give wisdom for solving these problems quickly and without violent conflict developing.
- For the world wide ministries of Christ to the World Ministries (CTTWM). Pastor Lorin has served for several years as biblical and theological editor, as well as writer, for this Texas based organization that broadcasts radio dramas and Bible studies to over 100 million people scattered all the way from Russia to China and Korea.
- For God's peace to reign in the war torn countries of Zimbabwe, Sri Lanke, Iraq, Afghanistan and other places.

BEFGD concerns

- For the work of the Bund Evangelisch-Freikirchlicher Gemeinden in Deutschland K.d.ö.R., which our church belongs to. The Annual Meeting took place May 20-23 in Hamburg.
- For Joachim Kieferstein, the Gemeindeleiter of the Rheinaus Strasse Friedenskirche who was elected Bundes Präsident of the BEFGD at the annual meeting in Hamburg.
- For the BEFGD leadership has sent out a request to all member congregations to pray for the new Bundespräsident der Bundesrepublik Deutschland, Horst Köhler, upon his election to this office.



On the IBC CareNet Prayer Calender:

- Pray for these IBC churches and pastors today:
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| Baumholder, Germany | Jeffrey & Jacquelyn Bryan |
| Berlin, Germany | Scott & Laurie Corwin |

These IBC churches are currently seeking pastors:

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| Germany: | Immanuel Baptist Church, Wiesbaden | Slovakia: | IBC Bratislava |
| | IBC Hamburg | Tanzania: | IBC Dar es Salaam |
| | IBC Hannover | | |
| Netherlands: | Emmanuel Baptist Church, Hoensbroek | | |
| | IBC Eindhoven | | |
| Russia: | Moscow International Christian Fellowship | | |
| Spain | Calahonda Baptist Church | | |

If you would like to receive the free, weekly IBC CareNet prayer calender updates via email, send an email request to Lorraine Stringer at admin@ibc-churches.org

Choruses for Today's Worship

We have come into this place

We have come into this place,
And gathered in His Name
To worship Him.
We have come into this place
And have gathered in His Name
To worship Him.
We have come into this place,
And have gathered in His Name
To worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

So forget about yourself,
And concentrate on Him,
And worship Him (repeat).
So forget about yourself,
And concentrate on Him,
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His Name,
And worship Him (repeat)
Let us lift up holy hands,
And magnify His Name,
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

We Will Give Ourselves No Rest

We will give ourselves no rest
Till Your kingdom comes on earth;
You've positioned watchmen on the walls.
Now our prayers will flow like tears,
For You've shared Your heart with us;
God of heaven, on our knees we fall.
Come down in power,
Reveal Your heart again;

Come hear our cries,
The tears that plead for rain.

(Chorus)

*We're knocking,
Knocking on the door of heaven,
We're crying,
Crying for this generation;
We're praying for Your name to be known
In all of the earth.
We're watching
Watching on the walls to see You,
We're looking,
Looking for a time of breakthrough;
We're praying for Your word to bear fruit
In all of the earth, in all of the earth.*

I Lift My Hands

I lift my hands (echo)
To the coming King, (echo)
To the great I AM (echo)
To You I sing, (echo)
For You're the One (echo)
Who reigns within my heart (all)

(Chorus)

*And I will serve no foreign god,
Or any other treasure;
You are my heart's desire,
Spirit without measure.
Unto Your name
I will bring my sacrifice.*

When I Look Into Your Holiness

When I look into Your holiness,
When I gaze into Your loveliness,
When all things that surround become
Shadows in the light of You,
When I've found the joy of reaching Your heart,
When my will becomes enthralled in Your love,
When all things that surround become shadows
In the light of You,

(Chorus)

*I worship You, I worship You,
The reason I live is to worship You,
I worship You, I worship You,
The reason I live is to worship You.*

It is the Cry of My Heart

(Chorus)

*It is the cry of my heart to follow You.
It is the cry of my heart to be close to You.
It is the cry of my heart to follow
All of the days of my life.*

Teach me Your holy ways, O Lord,
So I can walk in Your truth.
Teach me Your holy ways, O Lord,
And make me wholly devoted to You.

Open my eyes so I can see
The wonderful things that You do.
Open my heart up more and more
And make it wholly devoted to You.

