

Cornhill Scotland

Incorporating the Cornhill Training Course & the Pastors' Training Course

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For your prayerful interest and support



Dear Friends,

Our first term of the academic year has just finished, so I thought I'd send a brief update to keep you all informed, and to encourage you to keep praying for us!

- **Students** We have twenty-eight with us this year on the Cornhill Training Course: Sixteen are first-year students, nine are second year students, and three are full-timers. The students who take the course over two years now greatly outnumber the full-timers: it suits the majority better to do it like that. A good number of our students are church apprentices, and it works well for them to do their practical ministry work while simultaneously spending two days a week in the Cornhill classroom.

We have a fine new intake of students this year - a pleasant bunch who are also very keen to learn.

- **Accommodation** Cornhill Scotland have recently purchased the building next door to us in Bath St, so our facilities should be greatly improved over the next year or two. A lot of refurbishment needs to be done, but the final results will, we hope, be very pleasing.
- **Pastors' Training Course** Our Pastors' Training Course now has nine students, under Andy Gemmill's leadership: five of them are in their second year, and four in the first year. The training is being much appreciated. Residential weeks this year are being conducted by Richard Pratt, Ralph Davis and Don Carson. We are most grateful to them for being willing to invest time in our men.
- **Special events coming soon** We are planning a taster day (for prospective students) on 16th March 2013. We also look forward to our annual Servants of the Word Conference on June 11-13th 2013. Don Carson and Andy Gemmill are to be our main speakers. You'll find details of these events on our website (www.cornhillscotland.org.uk) in the near future.

Thankyou so much for keeping us in your prayers! There are many encouragements, and we have much to be thankful for. But we will need your ongoing support in prayer very much!

With warmest wishes in Christ,

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