EYNSHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Lombard Street, Eynsham OX29 4HT



SUNDAY 21st NOVEMBER

SERVICE at 10.30 a.m.

Led by Revd Dr Zoltan Biro

Caring for others is Fellowship (John 13: 31-25 and 1 John 1: 5-7)

LIVESTREAMED on YouTube. If you prefer not to appear on camera please let Jolyon or one of the Deacons know at the start of the service.

CHURCH MEETING at 12.00 noon

So that everyone feels comfortable we still have some precautions in place: Masks / face coverings should be worn, but we will be able to sing. Social distancing possible.

For those who find the front church steps a difficult obstacle please use side entrance (wheelchair access).

"Do all the good you can, By all the means you can, In all the ways you can, In all the places you can, At all the times you can, To all the people you can, As long as ever you can."

> John Wesley (1703 – 1791)

THIS WEEK

SATURDAY 20th

10.00 a.m. Tweenies Breakfast Club 10-13 year olds who meet fortnightly for breakfast, to chat about Christian things, and enjoy a craft activity (see the poppies below). Numbers had been limited by Covid regulations, but we pray that the group will now be able to grow and thrive. If you would like to know more speak to Sue Law or Zoltan.

SUNDAY 21st

GATEHOUSE Food donations to 15 Newland Street between **11.00 a.m.** -**1.00 p.m.** unfilled loaves plus ham, cheese, tuna etc packed separately. Shop bought cakes/biscuits welcome.

MONDAY 22nd

7.00 p.m. Prayers on zoom. Login: Meeting ID: 821 2089 8795 Passcode: 994274 https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82120898795?p wd=ejN4RU8rSkpDRFIxYIJQbEhHUytIZz09

TUESDAY 23rd

3.00 p.m. 114 Club Now meeting midafternoons at David and Lin's, playing cribbage & Rummikub: noncompetitive, drop in and out as you wish.

THURSDAY 25th

10.30 a.m. Bible Study starting with coffee and continuing until to 12 noon.

12 noon Communion a short reflective service at which all are welcome.

7.00 p.m. Singing Group. Speak to Maureen Thompson for more details.

FRIDAY 26th

Christmas Wreath Making 7.00 p.m. onwards in St Leonard's Church Hall, ticket £7.50. More details from June Middleton - 01865 731066

SATURDAY 27th

Advent Away Day 10.00 - 1.00 p.m. at the guest house of the Community of St Clare, Freeland followed by lunch finishing at 2.00 p.m.

SUNDAY 28th

GIFT SUNDAY Our gifts this year will go to Asylum Welcome and Bronze Health Clinic, Uganda. We used to take donations of hats, scarves and gloves and chocolate to the Gatehouse, but they no longer require them. Toiletries could be given for Asylum Welcome but money is the most useful gift.

LOOKING AHEAD

SATURDAY 11th DECEMBER

10.30 a.m. Christmas in the Square.

SATURDAY 18th DECEMBER 4.30 p.m. Big Eynsham Carol Sing.

Please let Janet know you want to get involved in these two exciting mission initiatives and she will be delighted to chat with you about how you can help. **Janet: janet@clariontrust.org.uk** or phone on 07742 313427



SUNDAY 19th DECEMBER

6.00 p.m. Carols by Candlelight

CHRISTMAS EVE

7.00 p.m. Service led by Janet & Steve

CHRISTMAS DAY

10.00 a.m. Family Service

BOXING DAY SERVICE ON ZOOM

10.30 a.m. Login details follow.



Those who attended our Remembrance service last week, or who have walked past during the week, will have seen the poppy display on the gate, which was made by our **Tweenies Breakfast Club.** It was constructed from re-cycled plastic bottles and looked fantastic.

<u>PRAYER</u>

We pray for all members of our church family who are facing struggles at the moment: for those recently bereaved, facing surgery or recovery from surgery, fearful of ill health or upcoming treatment, and those feeling lonely and more isolated with the coming darker evenings and mornings.

Father. in these short, dark days of November, with all the uncertainties and complications in our new Covid 19 landscape, help us to feel the reassurance of Your presence in the gift of each new day. Help us to be guided through the darkness by Your light by Jesus, who will never leave us or forsake us. In His name - the name above pandemics and shortages and rising bills and all anxieties we pray. Amen.

Daphne Kitching

DAILY HOPE - 0800 804 8044

Free 24 hour phone line of music, prayers and reflections as well as full worship services.

ASYLUM WELCOME

Donations still needed. Please speak to Marcus Thompson on 01865 881808.

EYNSHAM COMMUNITY LARDER

Call Bob Thiele on 07738 063083 or email **eynshamhelp@gmail.com**There are **Donation points** in Co-op, Spar, Market Garden and Tesco.

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