# EYNSHAM BAPTIST CHURCH



# SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

ALL-AGE FAMILY SERVICE at 10.30 a.m.

A short, lively service for all the family Not Livestreamed

> SONGS of PRAISE at 3.00 p.m.

A 'Café Style' service with traditional hymns *'Forgiveness'* 

The UK Government's guidance for England and Wales on face coverings says that FACE COVERINGS MUST BE WORN IN PLACES OF WORSHIP from 10<sup>th</sup> December for those not exempt. Exceptions apply in both England and Wales for those leading or participating in the service from the front and in hospitality spaces.

#### MONDAY 10<sup>th</sup>

**7.00 p.m. Prayers on zoom** - about 15 minutes - all are welcome..

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#### TUESDAY 11th

3.00 p.m. 114 Club at David and Lin's.

#### THURSDAY 13th

**10.30 a.m. Bible Study** starts with coffee and continues until 12 noon.

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

#### SUNDAY 16th

**12 noon Church Meeting** after the service.

#### **Church Treasurer Vacancy**

As you will be aware, Bob Thiele will be stepping down as Church Treasurer at the AGM in March 2022. Members are asked to pray that someone will be found to replace him in this vital EBC role.

#### EYNSHAM COMMUNITY LARDER

Help for anyone struggling to make ends meet, on a regular or a one-off basis. Call Bob Thiele on 07738 063083 or email **eynshamhelp@gmail.com** There are **Donation points** in Co-op, Spar, Market Garden and Tesco.

#### **ASYLUM WELCOME**

Donations of goods and money are always needed. Speak to Marcus Thompson on 01865 881808 to find out more.

### AT THE START OF A NEW YEAR ....

It's been tough for so many of our church family over the last year - and continues to be so. We pray for all who have been bereaved, those who have had surgery or major illnesses, those who endure ongoing health issues both physical and mental, those who face continued isolation due to Covid and other reasons. We commit them all to God, praying they will know His sustaining love and comfort.

#### Covenant prayer

I am no longer my own but yours. Put me to what you will, Rank me with whom you will; Put me to doing, Put me to suffering; Let me be employed for you, Or laid aside for you, Exalted for you, Or brought low for you; Let me be full. Let me be empty, Let me have all things, Let me have nothing: I freely and wholeheartedly yield all things to your pleasure and disposal. And now, glorious and blessed God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, You are mine and I am yours. So be it. And the covenant now made on earth, Let it be ratified in heaven.'

Amen

#### As for the future ....

O my Father, my God, I am in Your hand; and may I rejoice above all things in being so. Do with me what seems good in Your sight; only let me love you with all mind, soul and strength.

John Wesley

#### A Happy New Year

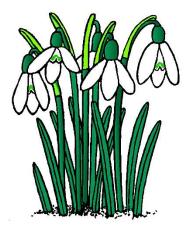
In the aftermath of Christmas, long drawn-out dark days (S.A.D. is the word I think) so I've turned to my Tranquil Moments book to hope to cheer you up.

In every humdrum day There is a little glint of gold, A purpose in the living That is lovely to behold.

A reason for existence In the dark - a glowing ember That lights the dullest duty With a moment to remember.

I hope it's brightened your day, If not, Spring is on its way.

#### **Chris Ward**



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