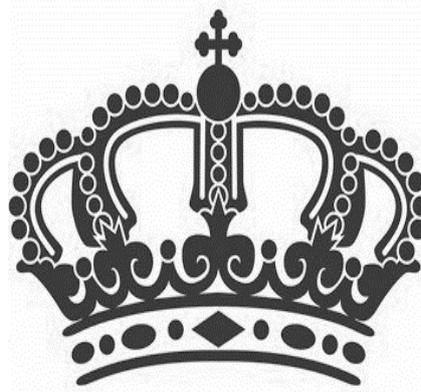


# EYNESHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter  
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022



**Her Majesty the Queen  
Elizabeth II**

**1926 - 2022**

We give thanks for the unselfish dedication and service which Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II has given to this country for 70 years, and for the strong Christian faith which has sustained her. She has been a constant reassuring presence in the nation, serving with loyalty and integrity and it is hard to imagine life without her. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Royal Family as they mourn the loss of a much-loved Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother. We pray for King Charles III, that he will be given strength to reign with grace and wisdom.

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### SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**9 - 5 Safeguarding Training** at EBC.

**10 - 6 OHCT 'Ride and Stride'** (Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust) .

### SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**GATEHOUSE 9.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.** please drop off food donations at 15 Newland Street. Homemade cakes and sandwiches must be labelled: allergen labels available from Marie 01865 604262. **Please do not drop off food before Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>.**

### SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**SERVICE at 10.30 a.m.**

**Led by Revd Dr Nick Wood  
Preacher - Revd Dr Zoltan Biro**

**'Doing what God called us to do'**  
*(1 Kings 19:9-16 and Matt. 24: 45-47)*

**Livestreamed. If you prefer not to be  
on camera please let someone know.**

**Songs of Praise  
at 3.00 p.m.**

**'Café Style' service**  
traditional hymns + tea and cake

### MONDAY 12<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**10.00 a.m. Inter-church Meeting** at EBC. We pray this will be a fruitful time for the three church representatives.

**MONDAY PRAYERS ON ZOOM** will not be starting up again, but other ways of praying together are being explored.

### TUESDAY 13<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**3.00 p.m. 114 Club** at David and Lin's. Sociable, non-competitive board games.

### THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**10 - 12 Needle & Thread** in the hall.

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

**1.00 p.m. Lunch Club** Booking is necessary: please contact Maureen on 881808 or Pamela on 426203.

### FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**National Day of Prayer** It is suggested that people pray at 0900, 1200 and 1800 where possible. More information: <https://vfjuk.org.uk/national-day-of-prayer-suggested-guidance/>

### SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**10 - 12 Tweens Breakfast Club** for 10-13 year olds.

### SUNDAY 18<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

**Come and meet Steve Barber**

Steve Barber is part-time (50%) Regional Minister serving in the northern area of the SCBA (Southern Counties Baptist Association) and part-time (50%) Minister at Orchard Baptist Church, Bicester.

Steve Barber is preaching during our service. The Minister and Deacons are meeting Steve over lunch at the Bayleaf after the morning service. **If others would like to join us please let Sheila Wood know by Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>.**

## TWEENS - OUTING TO THORPE PARK!

We set off in 3 cars with 6 very excited Tweens and 5 adults. On arrival we set up a base and then set off to the first ride. Sue and I felt dizzy just looking at it so needless to say we declined!

I did go on a roller coaster and screamed all the way only to be told it was the smallest ride, suitable for a 5yr old! Admiration for Patrick & Zoltan who went on the fastest, scariest ride in the Park!

Probably the favourite ride was the Tidal Wave which was a rollercoaster that finished in water! Fortunately we all had a change of clothes.

We arrived at the park at 10.00 a.m. and had to drag them out at 7.45 p.m. happy and very tired.

### **June & Sue**



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**OCTOBER 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**ONE WORLD WEEK SALE**  
**10 - 12 noon in the Square**  
(weather permitting)

This is the plan for this year. There will be three stalls for the charities that EBC supports. One each for Baphmelele, The Bronze Project and Asylum Welcome. There will also be a cake stall. Each charity will keep the money that their stall raises and the money raised at the cake stall will be divided between the three charities.

Offers of items for sale and of help on the day will be much appreciated. Offers for Baphumelele (items and help) to Kay Jerred, for the Bronze Project to June Poole, for Asylum Welcome to Maureen Thompson and for the cake stall to Angie Cox.

Hopefully the weather will be kind and we can have an enjoyable and successful day.

**Angie**



**A prayer for when we feel overwhelmed by life ...**

Reach out your hand and touch me Lord that I may be filled with the strength to stand alone.

Place your hand on my shoulder, that I may feel your presence ever near.

Cast your shadow over my life, that I may have the courage to carry on.

Walk by my side at times of despair, that I may hold the hand of faith.

Enter my heart when I am dejected, that I may feel the warmth of Thy love.

Be with me when I feel alone, that I may have your companionship.

For I know you are always with me.

**EYNESHAM FOOD BANK**

Call on **07450 328530** for help. Food donations are welcomed at Co-op, Spar, Market Garden and Tesco. If you could consider making a regular financial donation please contact Bob Thiele on 07738 063083 for details.

**ASYLUM WELCOME**

Donations always welcomed, both practical and financial. Speak to Marcus Thompson on 01865 881808 or see <https://www.asylum-welcome.org/>

**DAILY HOPE - 0800 804 8044**

The Church of England's **FREE 24 hour phone line** offering music, prayers, reflections and services.

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