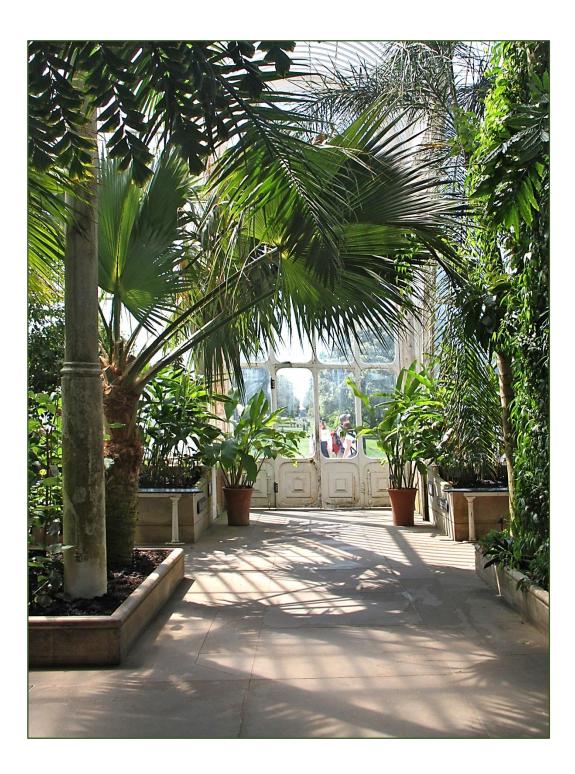
EYNSHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter - Saturday 14th January 2023



SATURDAY 14th JANUARY

10 a.m. - 4.00 p.m. Deacons' Away Day at Burford Baptist Church.

SUNDAY 15th JANUARY

COMMUNION SERVICE at 10.30 a.m. Led by Revd Dr Zoltan Biro Being blessed by God (Psalm 1:1-3) Livestreamed. If you would rather not be on camera please let us know.

CHURCH MEETING at 12.00 noon

Hybrid meeting: anyone not able to attend in person can join via the following zoom link:

https://us05web.zoom.us/j/3885293839?pw d=aWZvZDNDK3FMK2IRdHdjb3BTQU9VQ T09

> or use Meeting ID: 388 529 3839 Passcode: BytP5t

TUESDAY 17th JANUARY

3.00 p.m. 114 Club at David and Lin's. Sociable, non-competitive rummikub and cribbage.

THURSDAY 19th JANUARY

12 noon Communion a short reflective service - all welcome.

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

SATURDAY 21st JANUARY

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

MORE DATES FOR DIARIES

18th - 25th JANUARY

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity One way to celebrate the fellowship we have in Christ would be to invite someone from one of the other churches in the village -St Peter's and St Leonard's - for coffee/tea, or to have a drink or a meal together, or whatever seems appropriate.

6th - 8th FEBRUARY

SCBA Leaders Conference (Southern Counties Baptist Association)

SATURDAY 18th FEBRUARY

Tweens Pancake Day - serving between 10.00 - 12.00 noon in EBC's main hall.

FRIDAY 3rd MARCH

World Day of Prayer - Service in St Leonard's Church, further details follow. This year's theme is 'I have heard about your faith' prepared by the people of Taiwan https://www.wwdp.org.uk/

SATURDAY 11th MARCH

Lent Away Day at Freeland Convent - details follow.

SUNDAY 19th MARCH

12.00 Church AGM (Annual General Meeting).

2nd APRIL - PALM SUNDAY

7th APRIL - GOOD FRIDAY

9th APRIL - EASTER SUNDAY

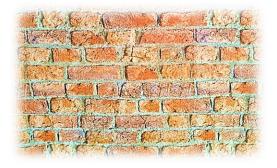
<u>14th - 20th MAY</u> Christian Aid Week https://www.christianaid.org.uk/

28th MAY- PENTECOST

16th - 18th JUNE

Baptist Assembly in Telford https://www.baptist.org.uk/Articles/6 45932/Baptist_Assembly_2023.aspx

EBC PRAYER WALL



We are exploring various forms of prayer at EBC during January and there is a **Prayer Wall** in the middle hall.

Please feel free to write items for prayer on one of the cards provided and pin it on the wall so that all can join in praying (*but in the interests of confidentiality please avoid mentioning people by name*). God knows and cares about all our concerns and will honour our prayers.

We continue to hold in our prayers all those in our church family who suffer ill health, or who struggle with other issues on a daily basis. We pray that all will know God's presence with them and that we will know how best to support each other.

We pray for those who are recently bereaved: that would know God's comfort and sustaining love.

Holocaust Memorial Day falls on 27th January and we pray for all who suffered and who continue to have painful memories. We also pray for all those throughout the world who are still enduring persecution and oppression.

EYNSHAM FOOD BANK

Call on 07450 328530 for help. Food donations are welcomed in Eynsham at Co-op, Spar and The Market Garden. For financial giving contact Bob Thiele on 07738 063083 or see link https://bit.ly/Eynsham-FB

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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