

EYNHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter - Saturday 18th February 2023

AND NOW THESE
THREE REMAIN:
FAITH, HOPE AND
LOVE. BUT THE
GREATEST
OF THESE IS
LOVE.

1 Corinthians 13:13

SATURDAY 18th FEBRUARY

10.30 - 12.30 Tweens Pancakes in EBC main hall. Come along and enjoy delicious pancakes and support our Tweens who are raising money for Bronze Healthcare Clinic in Uganda.

SUNDAY 19th FEBRUARY

**COMMUNION SERVICE
at 10.30 a.m.**

Led by Revd Dr Nick Wood
Sacrificial Love - "Agape"
(John 15: 9-13)

*** Livestreamed.**

SUNDAY 19th FEBRUARY

9.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. GATEHOUSE
Drop donations at 15 Newland Street. Home-made cakes/sandwiches should be labelled: labels available from Marie on 01865 604262. Gatehouse can take any men's clothing, no ladies' at present. No space for duvets, but if there are any duvet covers/ bedding style linens, they can accept those.

SHROVE TUESDAY 21st FEBRUARY

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

ASH WEDNESDAY 22nd FEBRUARY

THURSDAY 23rd FEBRUARY

10.30 a.m. Bible Study led by Zoltan. We start with coffee and finish just before 12.00 noon. All are welcome.

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

SATURDAY 25th FEBRUARY

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

FRIDAY 3rd MARCH

2.00 p.m. World Day of Prayer service at St Leonard's Church. Service followed by tea and cake. **If you are attending please sign the list** so we can let St Leonard's know numbers.

SATURDAY 11th MARCH

10 - 12 Lent Away Day at Freeland Convent. There is now a signing-up list on the coffee table.

SUNDAY 26th MARCH

12.00 noon Church AGM. Two Charity Trustees (Deacons), Angie Cox and June Poole are coming to the end of their term. Angie Cox has decided not to stand. However, June Poole is willing to stand again. Therefore, nominations for 2 charity trustees (Deacons) will be needed. Please think prayerfully about who you think might be a charity trustee and nominate them (or you can nominate yourself). **Nomination forms will be available from Sunday 19th February. All nominations must be given to Sheila Wood by Sunday 5th March.** Voting for the charity trustees will take place at the AGM on Sunday 26th March.

THANK YOU

"Robert Peedell and his family would like to thank all their friends in EBC for his cards and good wishes on his birthday, last Sunday. He had a very happy day and enjoyed being able to share his celebrations, this year, with other people, for the first time in about the last three years. Thank you all, again."

With love and thanks

Mary and everyone



Disturb us, Lord, when we are too well pleased with ourselves, when our dreams have come true because we have dreamed too little, when we arrived safely because we sailed too close to the shore.

Disturb us, Lord, when with the abundance of things we possess we have lost our thirst for the waters of life; having fallen in love with life, we have ceased to dream of eternity and in our efforts to build a new earth, we have allowed our vision of the new Heaven to dim.

Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly, to venture on wider seas where storms will show your mastery; where losing sight of land, we shall find the stars.

We ask You to push back the horizons of our hopes; to push into the future in strength, courage, hope, and love.

Attributed to Sir Francis Drake c. 1540 – 1596



Thoughts for prayer ...

- * the victims of the recent earthquake in Turkey/Syria and the aid agencies who are bringing help and support:
- * our church family, our communities and our country:
- * the homeless and marginalised:
- * those suffering war & oppression:
- * Christians facing difficulty & hostility.

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