EYNSHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter – Saturday 8th July 2023



deeply rooted in Jesus... built up in him... strengthened in the faith... overflowing with thankfulness Colossians 2:7

SUNDAY 9th JULY

ALL-AGE FAMILY SERVICE at 10.30 a.m.

A short lively service for everyone

Led by Revd Dr Zoltan Biro

Colossians: the power of prayer: prayer and kindness: antidotes to hostility (Colossians 4: 2-6, key verse 2) **No livestream.**

SONGS OF PRAISE

at 3.00 p.m. Café Style service in the hall with traditional hymns + tea and cake.

TUESDAY 11th JULY

Deacons Away Day please pray for Zoltan and our Deacons as they meet to discern God's will for EBC.

3.00 p.m. 114 Club at David and Lin's. A sociable time playing rummikub and cribbage.

THURSDAY 13th JULY

10.30 a.m. Bible Study led by Zoltan. Meets in the hall on 2nd and 4th Thursdays: starts with coffee and finishes before 12 noon. All welcome.

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

SUNDAY 16th JULY

12.00 noon Church Meeting This meeting will be slightly longer than usual as a time has been set aside to look at EBC's future ministry and mission. This part of the meeting will be facilitated by our Regional Minister, Rev Steve Barber. We agreed to this review at the AGM. Please could everyone make this a priority either in person or on-line: zoom link follows next week.

3.00 p.m. Messy Church Picnic on the Witney Road play area. If you can help with providing some finger food <u>please</u> <u>speak to Pamela</u>.

TUESDAY 15th or TUESDAY 22nd AUGUST

10.15 a.m. - 3.45 p.m. OASIS for the over 60s at Eynsham Baptist Church. Application forms are available at the three churches, Eynsham Library and Evenlode DIY. **PRE-BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL** as places are limited.

THIS WEEK NEWSLETTER PRINT DEADLINE MID-DAY THURSDAY 13th JULY linmiller25@gmail.com



We are asked to pray especially this week for Georgie and her husband Nick who has been told he has prostate cancer. We pray that they would both know God's peace in their hearts and that the doctors will be given wisdom and skill in their treatment.

Sometimes it's hard to know how to pray, but God already knows what we want to say and He always listens, even if we can't find actual words.

Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

Romans 8:26





Leaflets now available on the coffee table, or speak to Gill or Sheila Wood.

CHURCH LUNCH

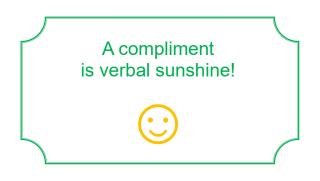
And what a lunch! it certainly took a leaf out of The Bayleaf's book gorgeous. Such a lovely collection of different dishes, and then strawberries and cream which put me in the mood for this coming week of tennis on TV.

Lord God, you still hear our cry, Thank you for this food supply; This table full of rich delight To eyes that love a feastly sight. Accept our praise for every bite, For taste, with smell and appetite.

Chris Ward

Thank you to everyone who provided such lovely food and fellowship. It was a lovely friendly occasion.

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EYNSHAM FOOD BANK

Call on 07450 328530 if needing help. Food donations welcomed in Co-op, Spar and Market Garden or see https://bit.ly/Eynsham-FB

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