

EYNESHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter – Saturday 21st October 2023



***** TODAY *****

SATURDAY 21st OCTOBER

One World Week Sale

10 a.m. - 12 noon

in Eynsham Baptist Church

Christmas cards, Books, Cakes,
Bric-a-brac, and more!

Raising money for local & international charities:
Bronze Clinic Uganda, Asylum Welcome, Oxfam,
Helen & Douglas House etc

SUNDAY 22nd OCTOBER

10.30 a.m. COMMUNION SERVICE

Led by Janet Gaukroger
Preacher Steve Gaukroger

Time and Eternity: Time as a resource (Psalm 90: 1-4, 10)

Livestream:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXSLz5V86D98t1FqLLAwWlg/live>

TUESDAY 24th OCTOBER

3.00 p.m. 114 Club at David & Lin's. Sociable, non-competitive Rummikub and crib.

THURSDAY 26th OCTOBER

10.30 a.m. Bible Study led by Zoltan. Meets in the hall and finishes by 12 noon. All are welcome.

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

12.30 - 1.00 p.m. Time of Prayer (1st and 4th Thursdays) If not able to physically attend we are encouraged to pray wherever we are at this time.

FRIDAY 27th OCTOBER

4.30 - 6.00 p.m. Tweens youth group.

SUNDAY 29th OCTOBER

9.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. GATEHOUSE
Please drop food donations at 15 Newland Street (*not before Sunday please*). Homemade cakes and sandwiches should be labelled: pre-printed labels available from Marie on 01865 604262.

TUESDAY 31st OCTOBER

10 - 12 noon Christmas Shoebox Packing in the main hall - please come along and help if you can. If you are providing items to go in boxes please

bring them (*and any filled boxes*) to church on Sunday 29th October or to the hall on the 31st. **Empty shoeboxes also urgently needed please.**

We are asked to prioritise the following, but other items also very welcome:

Gloves or Hat & scarf (new or knitted), Sweets or chocolates (BB June 2024 EU origin), Toothbrushes and toothpaste, Candles or tealights and holders, Small games (travel size draughts, dominoes, playing cards etc), Soap & flannels.

THURSDAY 2nd NOVEMBER

4.00 p.m. Informal concert of music in St Peter's Church, Eynsham by Eynsham Abbey Singers - *music by Byrd, Esquivel, Guerrero, Marenzio and Victoria*. Retiring collection for The Gatehouse, Oxford and Ukraine.

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who has sent cards and good wishes following my recent illness and hospital stay. I am more or less back to normal, although not overdoing things. I am very grateful for everyone's good wishes and I hope to be in church on Sunday.

Sheena

CHRISTMAS CARDS



Sample Christmas cards from the Community of St Clare at Freeland are available to view on the table in the hall - order now, money due on delivery. If you would like to order, but are not able to get to EBC please speak to Denise.



Father, You are almighty and all powerful.
You created the universe and yet you love and care for each one of us.
Thank you.

Thank you for loving us so much that you sent your precious Son Jesus to save us when we couldn't save ourselves.

Thank you for offering life forever with you to all who trust in Jesus and what He did on the cross.

Thank you for today. Help us to use it to reflect your love to others.

In Jesus name, Amen.

Daphne Kitching

Love

(Matthew 22:34-40)

When we don't know what to do,
when we don't know where to turn,
how to deal with that situation,
how to manage that difficult person,
Jesus says, LOVE, love, love.

Receive my love.
Know my reality in your heart,
then reach out and love.

Love God,
love others,
love yourself
and everything will change.

Jesus says love will do it.
Believe Him!

Daphne Kitching

CONTACTS

EYNESHAM FOOD BANK

Call on 07450 328530 if needing help.

Food donations welcomed in Co-op, Spar & Market Garden <https://bit.ly/Eynsham-FB>

ASYLUM WELCOME

Marcus Thompson 01865 881808

<https://www.asylum-welcome.org/>

DAILY HOPE - 0800 804 8044

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

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