

EYNESHAM BAPTIST CHURCH



Newsletter – Saturday 20th April 2024

SUNDAY 21st APRIL

10.30 a.m. SERVICE

Led by Revd Zoltan Biro

Preacher Stephen Rand (Orchard Baptist Church, Bicester)

Why do Christians ... ? Why Worship together? (John 4: 19-24)

Livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXSLz5V86D98t1FqLLAwWIg/live>

3.00 p.m.



THIS WEEK

Tuesday 23rd April

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

Thursday 25th April

10.30 a.m. Bible Study led by Zoltan. Meets in the hall and all are welcome: we are currently studying Acts.

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

Friday 26th April

4.30 - 6 p.m. Teens youth meet.

FURTHER AHEAD

Thursday 2nd May

10.00 a.m. Coffee Morning + Derek's cards & bric-a-brac. Donations invited.

Sunday 12th

12.00 noon Church Meeting at EBC.

17th - 19th May

Baptist Assembly in Telford.

← **BACK TO BASICS**

A chance to look at some core elements of being a follower of Jesus.

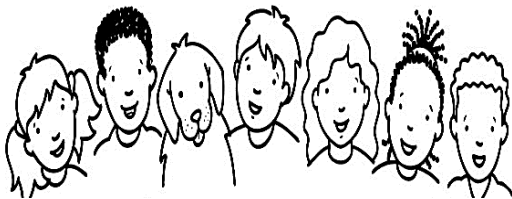
**Wednesdays evenings —
May 8,15,22 and June 5,12,19,26**

Time: 7:30-9:00 p.m. (coffee/tea from 7:15 - we will finish by 9:00 at the latest)

Place: 1 Penelope House, Cobbetts Close, OX29 4FS (07742 313427)

Led by: Janet Gaukroger and Bob Thiele

We will be picking up on some of the themes from our current Sunday morning series. This group is for anyone - please ask Bob or Janet if you want more information.



I was pleased to see how the chairs in church were arranged last Sunday. I hope it stays this way as it's nice to see smiling faces rather than the back of people's necks; and as one of my little books says:

'That just one heart was happier
Because your smile was true,
One wrinkle in the folds of life
Was smoothed because of you.'

Chris Ward



We give thanks to God for His wonderful creation which is particularly evident at this time of year. Wallflowers, grape hyacinths and blossoms abound in our church garden and really lift the spirits, and we are grateful to Denise & Marcus who maintain these for us to enjoy.



Prayer based on John 20: 19 - end

Almighty Father,
In these weeks after Easter, help us to
receive afresh the new life Jesus'
resurrection makes possible.

Lord, come to us. Walk through the
locked doors of our fears.

Bring us your peace.

Fill us with your Holy Spirit.

Send us onto our daily front lines to
share your resurrection,
peace and hope and love with those
who are lost and lonely.

Thank you for meeting us in Jesus,
our Lord and our God.

We are your Easter people.

Hallelujah.

Amen.

Daphne Kitching

What an 'ICE' idea !

Would people know who to contact on your behalf in an emergency?

Simply store the word " ICE " in your mobile phone address book, and against it enter the number of the person you would want to be contacted "In Case of Emergency". Then, in an emergency situation police, ambulance or hospital staff would be able to quickly find out who your next of kin are and be able to contact them.

For more than one contact name just use ICE1, ICE2, ICE3 etc.

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Spar and Market Garden

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