

THIS WEEK

Monday 15th	12.30pm	Prayer for children's and youth work
	6.15 pm	Boys Brigade Anchors & Juniors
	7.30 pm	Boys Brigade Seniors
Tuesday 16th	9.30am	Day Centre
	7.30pm	Church AGM and Members Meeting
Wednesday 17th	6.00pm	Girls' Brigade
Thursday 18th	9.15am	The Ark Playgroup
	8.00pm	Music practice
Friday 19th	9.30am	Day Centre
Saturday 20th		
Sunday 21st	10.30am	Worship Service with teaching by Ron Day, theme "Miracles can still Happen" John 21:1-14



Birthday wishes today go to: June Allen and Michael Smith (18th); Simon Fishpool (20th)

The flowers today are provided by
The flower fund



If you would like to provide flowers for a particular Sunday morning please put your name on the flower calendar on the notice board in the coffee area and let Ann Smith know on 01223 501323. Thank you.

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Deadline for items to be included in the newsletter 6.00pm Thursday



HISTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Connecting people to Jesus Christ and to each other

Sunday 14th May 2017

"..Thomas..was not with the disciples when Jesus came. When the other disciples told him that they had seen the Lord, he declared "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe it.." John 20:24-25

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

**We're pleased to welcome you today and pray that you will experience God's presence with us.
Please stay for coffee or tea and a chat with us after the service.**

10.30am Our service this morning is led by Andrew Zarkos-Smith; the teaching is brought to us by Ron Day, Minister of HBC.

Theme – Life for the Sceptical
John 20:24-31

The children will enjoy SmARTies this morning

3.00pm New Life Church meet here

Recordings of the Sunday sermons are available on the Church Website.

If you are a visitor, please make sure you have been given the 'Welcome' leaflet that explains about the church and its activities. Please ask if you need any help.

**If you would like someone to pray with you or for you after the service, members of our prayer team will be available in our Prayer Corner at the back of the church.
All prayer matters are treated as confidential.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR

**Simon Quicke; Audrey Papworth;
Emily; Catherine;
John Green; Margaret and Derek Traylen;
Kurt & Sylvia Heinemann; Kirsty and Paul;
The Cotton Tree Children's Trust
Rosemary Bidwell and Pastor Obi;**

YOUTH

This week both Boys and Girls Brigades spent some time at Homefield Park. It is very nice to be outside when the weather is good!

Both youth groups will be together this Sunday, it will be more of a social session with lots of games and discussion. Then from next week, we are looking forward to exploring more about how we love and being loved by using the 5 love languages book.

Please keep praying for our young people as they have exams and for the pressures they face in every-day life. Thank you 😊 Rilla.

GENERAL

Christianity Explored Course This will continue on **Tuesday 23rd May** at 7.30pm with a session entitled "Sin – Why did Jesus come?" Please pray for this evening and let Ron or Gill know, if you would like to help bake a cake for one of the evenings.

Wanted 2 Bedroom Home to Rent We're a young married couple moving to Cambridge from 1 September so that Jonny can begin training for ordination at Ridley Hall. We are looking for a 1 or 2 bedroom place to rent, preferably unfurnished, on a budget of £1000 a month. If you can help us, could you email us at jonny.torrance@gmail.com. Thanks

Photocopying the newsletter We currently have three people who copy the newsletter; each person copies the newsletter for a month at a time on a rota. Unfortunately, Muriel is having to give up copying as she is going to be away quite a lot. **There is therefore an opportunity to volunteer to copy the newsletter.** This is a very easy task and it only takes a short amount of time each week. It is usually copied on a Friday afternoon and Ron's sermon notes are also copied and inserted into the

newsletters at the same time. If you would be able to volunteer to join the copying rota, please contact me, thank you, **Carole Voyias 01223 504068**

The Girls Brigade are looking for the following items for their display at the Histon Flower Festival in July: 2 Garden Trugs; A small Stool e.g. Milking Stool; Any Jane Austen books. If you have any of the above and are willing to lend them to us **please contact Sue Mason or Ann Smith.** Many thanks, Histon Girls Brigade.

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Cambridgeshire Baptist Missionary Fellowship Mission Festival 2017 will be held at Waterbeach Baptist Church on Wednesday 24th May. Refreshments will be served from 7pm and the meeting starts at 7.30pm. There will be a Spurgeons related theme this year and the keynote speaker will be Rev. Dr Michael Quicke. His talk is entitled "A Missionary Returns". Further details are on the Notice Board and it would be great if you could join us to celebrate Mission in Cambridgeshire. If anyone would like a lift to the meeting, **please contact Lloyd Wilson.**

Card making evenings to raise money for Save the Children and Medecins Sans Frontieres supporting Syrian refugees I am organising some birthday/ thank you card making evenings to raise money for Syrian refugees. All the card making materials, wine/soft drinks and chocolate fridge cake will be provided. The dates are Thursday May 25th at Histon Baptist church and Friday May 26th, June 16th & July 14th at Cottenham Baptist Church, all evenings starting at 8pm. The cost for the evening is £12, £7 for teens. If you would like to book a place **please contact Annabel on 01954 201822/07989 392268 or butterbeansag@gmail.com.**

Kingdom Come Prayer Week 25 May – 4 June Join others in praying especially for Cambridge. Sign up or come in to a city wide open week of 24/7 prayer Sun 28 May to Sun 4 Jun, St Clements church, Bridge Street, Cambridge, see details at www.kingdomcomecambridge.org. There will be a prayer event at Great St Mary's, Cambridge from 6.30pm on Sunday 4th June. We are encouraged to set our alarms to pray the Lord's Prayer each day throughout the week at 12 noon. For more info speak to **Andy Henman.**

Holiday Club 2017 will be 24th -29th July Our theme is Mountain Mayhem based on the 'I am' statements in John's gospel. Adult and junior leaders are needed. Please sign up now to be part of the team, either online at http://histonbaptist.org.uk/Articles/492224/Holiday_Club_2017.aspx, or download a form from the website www.histonholidayclub.org.uk.