

THIS WEEK

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| Monday 8th | 12.30pm | Prayer for children's and youth work |
| | 6.15 pm | Boys Brigade Anchors & Juniors |
| | 7.30 pm | Boys Brigade Seniors |
| Tuesday 9th | 9.30am | Day Centre |
| | 7.45pm | Home Groups meet |
| | 7.30pm | Christianity Explored Session 2 |
| Wednesday 10th | 6.00pm | Girls' Brigade |
| Thursday 11th | 9.15am | The Ark Playgroup |
| | 8.00pm | Music practice |
| Friday 12th | 9.30am | Day Centre |
| Saturday 13th | | |
| Sunday 14th | 10.30am | Worship Service with teaching by Ron Day, theme "Life for the Sceptical" John 20:24-31 |



Birthday wishes today go to: Lucy Robinson (today, it's a special one!); June Davies (8th); Rachel Morgan (10th); Deborah Robinson (11th); John Wang (13th)

The flowers today are provided by
Brendan & Stephannie Moran
Celebrating their 10th wedding anniversary



**Last week's flowers were provided by The Moonlight
Mandolins thanking HBC for the use of premises for rehearsals.**

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 7th May 2017

**"..On the evening of that first day of the week,
when the disciples were together, with the doors
locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood
among them and said "Peace be with you!"..."**

John 20:19

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 Margaret Jude; the teaching is brought to us by Ron Day, Minister of HBC.

Theme – Thinking outside the box
John 20:19-23

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

We are continuing to look at "Who am I" with both the youth groups. We are going to touch on self-esteem, how peers see us and what is God's response. I am hoping that after these sessions the young people can "look into the mirror" with pride and confidence! All the groups had a good start this term. Boys Brigade were treasure hunting and Girls Brigade had a good games night. Ten Sing really enjoyed their time at the Marathon. Please keep praying for us all! **Rilla**

GENERAL

Christianity Explored Course This will continue on Tuesday at 7.30pm with a session entitled "Identity: Who is Jesus?" 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 the 1st September, so 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

Thank You Just a quick notice to say thank you to all of you who have sponsored me for the Sleep-Out, so far the 40 participants raised a total of £4684.98 and we have raised further money from a non-school uniform day at school. This money will help Emmaus expand their Cambridge branch to house more companions and they want to thank you all for your generosity, thank you! **Heather Magowan**

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. **Carole Voyias**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Christian Aid Collection 2017 Christian Aid was formed in 1945 to support refugees who had lost their homes and possessions in the Second World War and 12 years later Christian Aid week was launched to inform the public of the charity's 'worldwide projects for re-settling refugees and providing relief for those who suffer from political intolerance or natural disasters.' Christian Aid 2017 runs from **May 14-20**, please sign up on the list in the entrance if you are able to help support the work of Christian Aid by delivering and collecting envelopes, or speak to Annabel Gerrard Croxon 01954 201822, 07989392268, butterbeansagc@gmail.com. Many thanks, **Annabel**.

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.

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 and June 16th 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 butterbeansagc@gmail.com**.