

This Week

Tuesday	September 8 th	7.30pm	life Groups
Thursday	September 10 th	9.15am	Ark Toddler Group
Friday	September 11 th	7pm	Youth Club
Saturday	September 12 th	10am - 2pm	Green Pastures Christian Bookshop
Sunday	September 13 th	10.00am 10.30am	Prayer before the service Worship service
			Theme: Abraham Genesis 12: 1-9

Minister: Rev Chris Farmer 01223 720733 pastor@histonbaptist.org.uk
Chris's day off is Saturday, (study day Friday, but he can be contacted on urgent matters.)
It would be appreciated if phone calls could be left until after 10am.

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(Please can I have copy for each newsletter by 4pm on the preceding **Wednesday**)

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HISTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Connecting people to Jesus Christ and to each other

"Noah was a righteous man, the only blameless person living on earth at the time, and he walked in close fellowship with God." (Genesis 6:9 NLT)

Sunday September 6th, 2026

The service is led by **The Rev Chris Farmer**
who also brings the message.
Theme: Noah
Genesis 6:9-22

Services in Church You can connect to the service via your **telephone landline** on **0330 088 5830**. There may be an automatic answer asking for the meeting ID, but it may just wait, in which case just put in the number: **238 183 824 #** Ignore the next question (about your ID or password) and press **#** again. You will be able to hear and speak to everyone.

The Zoom Meeting ID: 238 183 824

You can join Zoom for the live service; Recordings of the Sunday sermons are available on the Church Website.

Please see the HBC website at www.histonbaptist.org.uk

Prayer Corner If you would like someone to pray with you, the Prayer Corner is open after each morning service. All matters are treated as confidential unless there is need to report a safeguarding concern.

HBC has its own Facebook page



Please Pray For

Michael Kwok

Elizabeth Warren, John Blackburn,
Carole Gelsthorpe, Carole Cornell.

Global Week of Prayer 6th - 13th September

The Global week of prayer is an opportunity to join our brothers and sisters across the globe for a week of prayer. You are all warmly invited to join us in prayer - you can pray at home or at church. The prayer is 24/7 so there will be prayer slots to suit everyone!

We have opened a prayer room at HBC for the week and this is the online timetable where you can sign up for your prayer slot: <https://signup.24-7prayer.com/signup/f697cf>

Please see the site for more information and prayerfully consider how you can join in. <https://www.24-7prayer.com/weekofprayer/> **Zara Hutchinson-Gonçalves**

Vicars at the Beer Fest

On Wednesday 9th September 5-7:30pm, the ministers of the churches will be serving pints at the Histon Beer Festival together. This was trialled last year and was warmly received and allowed for great conversation about life and faith with those in the village. Please pray for this outreach opportunity.

The next Communion Service at HBC will be on Sunday 20 September. Normally Jim and Jo Bryant prepare, set out and clear up the bread and wine but they will be away that weekend. If anyone is available and would be able to help Priscilla Russell to do this, please could they get in touch. Thank you, **Jo Bryant**

Men's and Young Persons' Breakfast

10th October 8.45-11am at HBC.

Speaker **Jon Kuhrt** - How to end homelessness

The first thing the new Prime Minister announced when he entered No10 was that he wanted to tackle the problem of rough sleeping. But why does this problem persist, why is it so complex, what can we do and how is the Christian gospel relevant? Join us on the 10th October to explore these questions. Jon Kuhrt has been working with people affected by homelessness for 33 years and has been the CEO of the Christian charity "Hope into Action" since 2023. Please book on <https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QBOIHEJ3>

John Gooch



The Flowers are provided by Ann Turner and family. Remembering Chris,

Ride & Stride for Churches event - Saturday 12th September.

If you like to welcome the participants visiting HBC and enjoy the offerings of the Green Pastures Pop-Up Shop at the same time, be sure to add your name to the Welcome Rota run by **Ian and Janice Randall**, or pop along anyway, top up on Christian cards and books, and say hi.

Green Pastures Pop-Up Shop

Green Pastures Christian Bookshop is coming to HBC on 12th September, 10am - 2pm, with Bibles, books, gifts, cards and other items from the Dereham shop. You will be able to view, order and purchase products, and pay by card or cash.

Photography with a (Re)Purpose

We have had a delightfully eclectic range of photos submitted for this display, and there is still time this month to contribute more examples of where rubbish has been reused / repurposed, maybe as an artwork, or upcycled into something that can be used for a purpose.

Do keep them coming in! Just email them to me with a brief description, such as where it is, what it is, any interesting features. **Tony Russell**



Repair Cafe: Bookings are now open for our next Repair Cafe, on Saturday 10 October from 2pm to 5pm, at HBC.

Bring your broken household item and a skilled volunteer will help you fix it. We can take a wide variety of repairs to household and garden appliances, whether mechanical, electrical or electronic, along with tool sharpening and repairs to furniture, ceramics, textiles and clothing (unfortunately our jewellery repainer is not available this time!) We strongly recommend booking repairs in advance. For details use the QR code or visit:



<https://cambridgecarbonfootprint.org/events/histon-repair-cafe-2026-10-10/> **Tony Russell**

Calling all Gardeners. I have just managed to take out of the pond the huge lily plant and separate it, and also a yellow iris, and I am wondering if anyone would like 1 or 2 plants as it seems a shame to bin them, **Ann Turner** - turnerjenniferann@gmail.com



Happy Birthday to Margaret Jude (10th)