

Can we pray for you?

If you would like somebody to pray with you after the morning service, please speak to one of our Prayer Team (they will be standing near to the entrance doors).

This week's prayer focus:

Pray that as we see people struggle with the issue of identity, we would show compassion just as Jesus would. Pray our church would be a place of refuge, comfort and guidance to those struggling.

If you have a prayer request, big or small, please talk to Mike H or Lucy H or email prayer@bethelbaptist.org.uk

Sunday Evening Services

Throughout August we will be having joint evening services with Farnham Baptist Church - alternating venues.

Sunday 11th August (today) will be at Farnham Baptist Church at 6.30pm.

Sunday 18th August (next week) will be at Bethel at 6.00pm.



If you missed a service and would like to catch up, please follow this link:
<http://bethelbaptist.org.uk/resources/sermons>

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to this week's news sheet. If you have any items for next week, please send details **before Thursday**. News sheets are also available on the church website and by email.

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11th August 2019

Welcome to Bethel, especially if you are visiting. Please stay for refreshments and a chat after the morning service. During the service a live audio link is available in Mike's office.

10.30am Service Leader - Mike R
Speaker - John Ross

6.30pm *Joint Service at Farnham Baptist Church*

These groups will leave our morning service part way through:
Bubbles & Explosions (age 0-6)

Visiting children are very welcome to join them - just follow the crowd...

If children prefer to stay in the service, that's fine too - and please don't worry if they make a bit of noise!



Loop system: please switch your hearing aid to the T position, and report any problems to the PA desk.

Song books and large print Bibles are available - please ask one of the stewards.

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HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB

Please sign up soon if you can help.

www.bethelHBCleaders2019.eventbrite.co.uk

And do book your children in too.

www.bethelHBC2019.eventbrite.co.uk

DÉCOR DAY! Thursday 22nd August

Please do come along and help decorate the hall for HBC if you're able to.

We will be creating three corners - for Africa, Antarctica and Asia.

We'll be ready to start from about 9.30am - but just drop in when you can throughout the day. Please don't think that you need to be creative - there will be plenty of jobs for everyone.

Even if you can just pop in and make everyone a cuppa, or help prepare the lunch, then that would be amazing!

A buffet lunch will be provided. It would be helpful if you could let Sharon know if you'll be around for this so I get an idea of numbers.

Thank you!

CAKES! For Friday 30th August



If anyone can bake cakes for the HBC BBQ event on the Friday evening, please let Shona know.

This Week

Monday 12

Tuesday 13

Wednesday 14

9.30am Ladies' Bible Study (4 Elm Rd)
10am-12pm **Bethel Babies & Toddlers**
Elm Farm, Guildford

8.00-9.15pm Prayer @ Bethel - HBC focus

Thursday 15

Friday 16

Saturday 17

9.00am Prayer Meeting



Please Pray...

Please pray that we will have children from Sandy Hill sign up for HBC.

Next Sunday (18th August)

Preaching:

10.30am Mike H
6.00pm Mike H

Practical Help:

Service Leaders: Ian (am) Mike R (pm)
PA: Dave Mc & Carmen
Chairs: John C
Duty Deacon: John Clothier
CG in overflow: N/A
Welcoming: Cris & John T
Refreshments: Matt & Tasha

Future Dates

Weds 14th August - Prayer Meeting for HBC
Weds 21st August - Prayer Meeting for HBC
Thurs 22nd Aug - HBC Decor Day
Sun 25th Aug - Church bring-and-share lunch
Weds 28th - Fri 30th Aug - Holiday Bible Club
Weds 28th Aug (eve) - Rowing for the Lounge and HBC Red-Tops

Sunday 25th August

There will be a bring-and-share church lunch after the morning service. Do please stay!

The lunch will be followed by some HBC briefing, and setting up.

