

## 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 we would have a heart of generosity with our time, money, resources and homes and a greater desire for sacrificial living.

If you have a prayer request, big or small, please talk to Mike H or Lucy H or email [prayer@bethelbaptist.org.uk](mailto:prayer@bethelbaptist.org.uk)

### **Please do continue to pray for all our students through the summer break.**

*Izzy (student at UCA in Farnham) is moving into an unfurnished house - so if anyone is looking to get rid of a double bed, standing mirror, small wardrobe/hanging rail or tall chest of drawers please do let her know. Thank you.*

*07757 737601*

## Sunday Evening Services

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

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August (today) will be at Bethel at 6.00pm.

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August (next week) will be at Farnham Baptist Church at 6.30pm.

*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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## 4<sup>th</sup> 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 - Andy  
Speaker - Mike H

6.00pm Service Leader - Mike H  
Speaker - Nick

*This is a joint Service with 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](http://www.bethelHBCleaders2019.eventbrite.co.uk)

And do book your children in too.

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## CAKES! For Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August

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



## DÉCOR DAY! Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> August

Please do book this date in your diary if you can - it's a day when we decorate the hall ready for the HBC theme of Around the World.

Whether you can pop along for an hour or two, or give the whole day, please do join us. *Lunch will be provided.*



Please Pray...

Pray for the HBC team - that God will use and develop our gifts, build friendship between us and challenge us to step out of our comfort zone.

## This Week

**Monday 05**

**Tuesday 06**

**Wednesday 07**

10.00am Friendship Morning  
8.00-9.15pm Prayer @ Bethel

**Thursday 08**

11.00am-1.30pm **Bethel Babies & Toddlers**  
*Bouncy Castle @ Bethel*

7.30-9.30pm **The Lounge:** Movie Night at the McNeight's house

**Friday 09**

**Saturday 10**

9.00am Prayer Meeting

**Paula McNeight is now working as part-time Administrator for Bethel, and you can email her on [admin@bethelbaptist.org.uk](mailto:admin@bethelbaptist.org.uk)**

We're aware that the current lack of a comprehensive, up-to-date church calendar sometimes causes issues but please bear with us as Paula works on finding a solution, alongside lots of other admin tasks.

From 1st September onwards, please contact Paula about all bookings for the church. Up until that date, please continue to contact Hilda.



## Next Sunday (11<sup>th</sup> August)

**Preaching:**

10.30am John Ross  
6.30pm *Joint Service at Farnham Baptist*

**Practical Help:**

Service Leaders: Mike R (am)  
PA: Dave Mc & Nathan  
Chairs: Mark  
Duty Deacon: Fiona Brooks  
CG in overflow: N/A  
Welcoming: Elroy & Susie  
Refreshments: Jo & Jenny

## Future Dates

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

## Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 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.

