

Week commencing...Sunday 11th March 2007

Today

- 10.00 **Prayer Meeting**
 10.30 **Morning Service** led by Chris Newton. Theme: "'Count the Cost'".
 18.30 **Evening Service** led by Ralph Chambers. "I am the Light of the World: John Ch.8v12 + Ch.9
 18.30 **'Souled Out'** Yrs 7-9
 18.30 **'Revolve'** Cell Groups Yrs 10-13
 20.00 **'Revolve'** - social

Activities for the rest of this week

Most of our weekly activities take place in the church; everyone is welcome to come.

Further information can be obtained from the notice boards and the church office.

Alpha Course

Tues 20.00 At The Spread Eagle
 Rob Beamish 752805

Art Groups

Mon 10.00 Margaret Drinkwater
 602712

Children & Young People

Mon 18.30 Cru-Club Yrs 3-6
 Thurs 10.00 Toddler Group

Church Prayer Meeting

Thurs 20.00 Focussing on guidance for the future for our church and leaders.

Curtains for Cluj

Thurs 12.00 Come and join the band of those making curtains for the Cluj orphanage.

Foyer Lunch

Mon 12.15 Home-made soup and puddings will be served.

House-groups

Tues 09.30 With crèche
 Nicki Spurling 600316
 Tues 10.00 Margaret Stead 754678
 Wed 20.00 Irene Rowley 753125
 Thurs 13.30 Bibi Evans 758606
 Thurs 19.45 Will Johnston 210556
 Not meeting this week

Fri 09.30 Pat Gaster 751595

Music Group

Sat 09.30 John Hall 600644

World Vision 24 hr Famine

Fri 19.00 Youth 24hr Famine .

Do you travel to Reading?

We have 5 LaserJet used cartridges which will raise money for Care for the Family if taken to Thatcham, nr Reading. If you can help, please see Sheila.

Visits

If you, or someone you know, would appreciate a visit this week, please get in touch with Jane Savage. 754838

Prayer Room & Library

Please do make use of the prayer room and church library, which are open during church office opening hours.

Next Sunday: 18th March

- 10.00 **Prayer Meeting**
 10.30 **Morning Service** led by Chris Newton. Theme: "'Persevere'". This will conclude with communion.
 18.30 **Evening Service** led by Mark Dyble. "I am the Gate of the Sheep" John Ch 10 1-10.
 18.30 **'Souled Out'** Yrs 7-9
 18.30 **'Revolve'** Cell Groups Yrs 10-13
 20.00 **'Revolve'** - social

Office Opening Hours

Tel: 01925 752805

The church office is open as follows:

Mon 09.00 – 17.00
 Tues/Wed/Thurs 09.00 – 13.00

INFORMATION AND FUTURE EVENTS

- There will be a **Baptismal Service on Easter Sunday morning**. Anyone who is considering baptism may like to see Chris Newton a.s.a.p.
- **BugB MAGAZINES** – 'Step of faith' for March/April are in the foyer display. Please take a copy.
- **Church Walks – 2007**: programmes are now on display in the foyer for you to take if interested.
- **Holy Week 1 day Walking Retreats** with Phil Jump/Andrew Funnell of NWBA. £7.50 inc. lunch. Leaflets in foyer. Places limited.
- **Prayer Guide**: one or two volunteers are still needed to join the rota for compiling the weekly prayer guide. This just needs to be written – it can be word-processed in the office! If you have prayer on your heart and would like to just 'have a go' please see Richard a.s.a.p. 758606.
- **Make Your Voice Heard** – we are all invited to sign a petition on behalf of Premier Christian Radio, to support a declaration to 'Protect Christian Values'. Details are on the notice-board. If you wish to add your signature please do so in the foyer or visit: www.premier.org.uk/declaration
- **Car Parking at church is still a problem**, particularly on Sunday mornings. A 'car park attendant' (or 2!) would be very helpful. It would be good to include this job in the rotas – next ones out for after Easter. If this is something you can offer to do on a rota basis, please contact Sheila Randall or the church office. 752805 / 212682
- **This Thurs 15th March-Coffee Pot** (for ladies): An evening with Helena Croft. Statham Lodge Hotel, 19.30. Tickets £3.50. See leaflets in foyer.
- **Fri 17th March: "Unlock your Talents – Release your Potential"**. Interactive LICC day seminar at Holy Trinity Platt Church, Manchester designed for anyone considering their career choices. See church office or Tel: 07907 954664.
- **Mon 19th Women's Day Retreat**: led by Rev Elaine Chegwin Hall at Chester Retreat House. 09.30 – 14.30. See Alison Johnston. 210556
- **Mon 19th March: Cru-Club presents an evening talent concert** to raise money for families in Wythenshawe. £3 adults/50p children – tickets from Ian Olliver or any of the Cru-Club team.
- **Thurs 22nd March: Hope 08 – Kick-off prayer event**. 19.30 at Wythenshawe Forum. See Alison Johnston for details.
- **Thurs 29th March: Church AGM** – please keep the date free.
- **Sat 31st March – Tatton Singers' Concert** at St. John's Church, Knutsford. To include Handel's 'Messiah'. Tickets £8/£7/£2.50 from Dorothy Evans. 752895
- **Sat 21st April Housebound Club**: advance notice of the annual Bring and Buy and Coffee Morning at the URC hall. More details to follow.
- **Sat 21st April – Prom Praise at Bridgewater Hall**. All Souls' Orchestra and Manchester Children's Choir. See - www.bridgewater-hall.co.uk
- **Sat 28th April: 'Engage'** – a Care for the Family event to help us 'engage' with people in our community. Leaflets in foyer. More info. in church office.
- **"The Word Made Fresh"** 20th May 18.30 at LBC. Biblical dramas with an extremely entertaining twist – 14 biblical characters brought to life in a way that has never been seen before. For young people and adults. An Urban Saints event – tickets £5 from Mark Instone. 758557

Directory update - new address:

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(Same Email and phone as before.)