

Week commencing... 14th March 2010

Today

- 10.00 **Prayer Meeting**
- 10.30 **Morning Service** led by Chris Newton. "A Mother in Need". Luke 7: 11-17.
This morning we welcome family and friends of Ben & Sarah Hanson as Oliver will be dedicated during this service.
- 17.00 **Bean-Bag Service** led by John Hall and the youth.
Everyone very welcome!
- 18.15 **"Revolve"** Yrs 10-13
- 18.30 **"Souled Out"** Yrs 7-9

Pastoral Visits

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

Next Sunday: 21st March

- 10.00 **Prayer Meeting**
- 10.30 **Morning Service with Communion**, led by Chris Newton. "Life as Stewardship - Time". Matthew 24: 36-51.
- 15.00 **"Rebuild Mexico" Parents' Meeting** at LBC.
- 18.30 **Church Done Differently**
An interactive look at 'Stewardship in Times of Recession' - aiming to be a thought provoking evening. All are welcome to this café style event where we'll consider whether our faith has anything relevant to say in the current economic climate.
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ACTIVITIES FOR THE REST OF THIS WEEK

Our activities for this week are listed below; everyone is welcome.

Art Groups

Mon 10.00 Margaret Drinkwater

Children

Mon 18.30 Cru-Club Yrs 3-6.

Thurs 10.00 Toddler Group

Church Meeting & AGM

Thurs 20.00 The AGM will include a Leadership Election - more details on facing page. Agendas in foyer.

Foyer Lunch

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

"Rebuild Mexico" Concert

Sat 19.30 A light-hearted vocal concert by a new group of adults: "Stepping Out".
Details on facing page.

Saturday Prayer Meeting

Sat 08.00 All invited

Small Groups - Contact Names

Mon 20.15 Nicky Barr 753666

20.30 Andy Crowe 752338

Tues 09.45 Sarah Compton
with crèche 754300

10.00 Margaret Stead 754678

13.00 Nikki Morrow 758720

19.30 Elaine Welch 754111

Wed 09.30 Mike Cram 756881

20.00 Irene Rowley 753125

20.00 Jeff Shaw 754881

Thurs 19.45 Tracy Beesley 755626

Fri 19.00 Phil Savage 754838

Sat 08.00 Lester Barr 753666

Worship Group

Sat 09.30 John Hall 600644

The **LIVING OASIS BOOKSHOP** (formerly Wesley Owen) in Manchester will re-open on Saturday 20th March. Opening ceremony at 15.00.

INFORMATION & FUTURE EVENTS

"REBUILD MEXICO"

A LIGHT-HEARTED TOE-TAPPING CONCERT BY "STEPPING OUT"

*This Friday 19th March
19.30 here at LBC.*

This looks like being a lovely evening. The singing experience to get your feet tapping!

Something for everyone: classics from the world of jazz, swing and musicals.

A last chance to enjoy an evening out while supporting the team going to Mexico at Easter.

Tickets £5 adults & £3 concessions now available from Linda Cram or from Sheila in the church office.

QUIZ NIGHT - HAITI EARTHQUAKE FUND Wed 17th March - St Winefride's. 19.30

Tickets £5. Tel: Melanie. 756656

MAUNDY THURSDAY SUPPER & COMMUNION

Thursday 1st April: 19.00

Please reserve the date in your diary and come along to an informal Bring & Share meal and celebration of communion.
(Please bring food which does not need cooking or heating.)

WALK THROUGH THE BIBLE - SEMINAR Saturday 8th May: Warrington

The best 6 hrs you will ever spend to help you understand the chronology of the Old Testament. Flyers in the foyer.

(Susannah has been to one of these training days so if you would like to know more about it, do ask her.)

BAPTISMAL SERVICE

There will be another Baptismal Service on Sunday 28th March. If you are interested in being baptised please talk to Chris.

DEACONS' ELECTION

A nomination form for Diaconate posts is on the board in the foyer.

Please prayerfully consider if you can stand or nominate someone else for Outreach Deacon or Prayer Deacon. Closing date: Today - 14th March.

CHURCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This Thursday 18th March @ 20.00

Please try to attend this important meeting in our church calendar.

FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE SANCTUARY

This Friday 19th March @ 19.30

An opportunity to join with other Christians to worship and ask the Lord to refresh, renew and empower us as His people.

Everyone very welcome.

HELP NEEDED WITH "ENERGIZE"

Please consider if you could help out with this group occasionally on a Sunday morning. We really need some extra help. Thanks. Deb Smith

MCYC

For all those booked in, the final balance needs to be given to Kerrie Atherton TODAY please.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK: 9th -15th May

Pat Gaster has co-ordinated this collection for many years but we now need someone else to take this on.

Could it be you?

If you can help please see Chris/Sheila.

CHURCH KEYS

If you were given a set of church keys for a particular event and have not returned them, please would you do so a.s.a.p. as we now have no spares available. Thanks. Sheila

MEXICO PIGS AND TUBS

Please hand in your pigs and tubs to Mark Instone today.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN THIS.