



We are committed to enabling people to
Grow Up in Jesus and Reach Out for Jesus

Welcome

Sunday 28th October

10.00 Prayer for the morning service in the Prayer Room

**10.30 Morning Service: Unity in Christ (Ephesians 4)
with Jonathan Bramwell**

Part-way through the morning services all children (from pre-school up to and including year 13) will be going out to their own groups. There is also a crèche for younger children and babies. Visiting youngsters are welcome to join them.

There will be a Fair4All stall after the morning service in Ridgway Hall.

18.30 Exalt with Jonathan Bramwell

(This week, the office is open: Monday to Wednesday, 9am - 3pm)

Sunday 4th November

10.00 Prayer for the morning service in the Prayer Room

**10.30 All Age Service: Expect the unexpected
(Isaiah 55:8-9) with John Hall**

There will be a group for pre-school children and a crèche available part-way through the service. All other children will be staying in church this morning.

This morning we will be collecting 'Link to Hope' shoeboxes.

There will be a children's work meeting after the service in Upper Ridgway for all the children's leaders & helpers

18.15 Revolve for Years 10-13 at 27 Pelham Road, Thelwall

18.30 Encounter for Years 6-9

**18.30 Evening Communion Service: Supporting the
International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church
with Nick Gerrard**

Tea & Coffee will be served after the morning services in Ridgway Hall.

Things you may like to know.....

Please note that the church office is closed on Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd November.

For more information, or to receive this newsletter by email, please contact the church office: admin@lyymbaptistchurch.com

If you would like to find out more about us please fill in one of our welcome cards then hand it to a member of the welcome team or put it in the box in the foyer.

Sunday morning sermons are available on CD shortly after each service and are also available on the church website.

Our offering usually goes towards the costs of the church in our various ministries & mission, both locally and overseas. If you are a visitor, please don't feel under any pressure to give.

For details of our small groups which meet in people's homes during the week for Bible study & prayer, please contact the church office: all are welcome to attend these.

If communion is part of the service, all those who love Jesus and want to follow Him are invited to share this meal. If you do not wish to take part, please pass the bread & cup tray on. Please note that the bread is gluten-free & the communion wine is non-alcoholic.

More information about our activities and other local events is displayed in the foyer. Help yourself to any leaflets or ask one of the welcome team if you would like any more information.

LYMM BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY

Please pray for those who need our regular prayers: Linda Cram & family; Sue & Keith Mather & family; Ken Irwin; Freddie; Susannah Simpson; the Brewer family; Angela Crowe's mum, Marie; Martin Goswell's daughter, Amelia; James Buckthorpe's dad, Derek; Elsie Bowen; Will Johnston's sister, Lesley; Will, Emma & Elspeth Calvert; Bob & Pauline Barrett; Gloria Jump's sister, Fiona; Elaine Wallwork; Pam & Ralph Chambers' son, Peter; Jane & Ray Cross & family; Anna Chambers; Freddie; Sarah Brewer; Richard Evans' sister, Hilary; Anne Barker; Andrew Begent-Peers.

If you have a particular need or concern and would like someone to pray with you, please ask one of the prayer team after the service; they will all be wearing name badges.

If you have a request for the prayer chain please contact Bibi Evans.

If you would like a visit this week please contact Jane Savage.

If you require meal support please contact Jo Stevenson.

THE BIG LIGHT PARTY 2018

Wednesday 31st October, 5.30- 7pm

An evening, here at LBC, with crafts, fun, games, prizes and a tuck shop. No pre-booking required. If you need more information, contact Sarah Rotchell.

PRAYER DIARY

Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal

Last year, 44,000 Family & Elderly Shoeboxes were distributed by Link to Hope to those in need in Romania, Bulgaria, Moldova and Ukraine. Please pray that this year even more shoeboxes will be collected & sent out, and that they bring some joy at Christmas into the lives of those who struggle to survive & live in appalling conditions and demonstrate in a practical way God's love and compassion for each of the recipients.

Prayer for Hindus

Prayer is taking place from October 28th to November 11th for the 1.1 billion Hindus in the world who comprise 15% of the world's population, most of whom live in India. Last year, 50,000 Christians prayed at this time for the second most unreached religious group in the world in terms of missionary activity - most Hindus lack any meaningful access to the gospel. Booklets informing Christians about Hinduism and how to pray for Hindus can be obtained from www.worldchristian.com.

INFORMATION & EVENTS

SAFARI SUPPER

Saturday 17th November

A social evening of delicious food & fun with our church family.

You will be given an address to go to for your main course at 7.15pm, a different address for your pudding and the evening will be rounded off at the church at 9.15pm with coffee & mints.

FRIENDS & NEIGHBOURS

Tuesday 6th November, 7.30pm

"Health care in rural Africa:

an experience of developing a mission hospital in Kenya"

Becky Nightingale will tell us of her experience developing this hospital.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.....

- Church Meeting on **Thursday 15th November** at 7.30pm
- Week of Prayer – **Sunday 11th to Saturday 17th November**

GIFT DAYS FOR OUR BUILDING

In the foyer you will find a leaflet explaining the proposals for our church building, along with some FAQs and a gift day pledge card.

We would urge you to prayerfully consider these matters and respond as the Lord leads you.

Please remember there are lots of ways to give - we do not want anyone to feel under pressure to give financially. All donations will be treated with the strictest confidentiality.

SHOEBOX WAREHOUSE

Wednesday 14th & Friday 16th November

If you can help, please add your name to the sign-up sheet in the foyer beside the time(s) that you are available. For more information please contact Rachel Aldersley.

COMING UP (All activities are held at LBC unless noted otherwise)

Monday 29th October

- 10.00 Watercolour Workshops
- 18.30 Cru Club for Years 3-6
- 20.00 Church Prayer Meeting focusing on our mission partners

Wednesday 31st October

- 07.30 Early Morning Prayer Meeting
- 17.30 The Big Light Party

Thursday 1st November

- 10.00 Toddler Group
- 19.00 iD Youth Club
- 19.15 Please pray for our leadership team meeting this evening
- 19.30 Prison Ministry Prayer Meeting at 16 Old Smithy Lane, Lymm

Sunday 4th November

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Monday 5th November

- 10.00 Watercolour Workshops
- 18.30 Cru Club for Years 3-6
- 20.00 Church Prayer Meeting

Tuesday 6th November

- 10.30 Prayer Meeting focusing on youth
- 19.00 Bible Study Fellowship
- 19.30 Friends & Neighbours

Wednesday 7th November

- 07.30 Early Morning Prayer Meeting

Thursday 8th November

- 10.00 Toddler Group
- 19.00 iD Youth Club

Sunday 11th November

- 10.00 Prayer for the morning service: in the Prayer Room
- 10.30 Morning Service: 100 years, 3 stories, 2 minutes - Remembrance Day 2018 with Chris Goswami
- 18.15 Revolve for Years 10-13 at 27 Pelham Road, Thelwall
- 18.30 Encounter for Years 6-9
- 18.30 Evening service