



*Truly my soul finds rest in God;
my salvation comes from him.
Truly he is my rock and my salvation;
he is my fortress, I will never be shaken.*



Psalms 62 verses 1 and 2

Sunday 16th October 2022

10:30am Communion Worship service at the Community Hall
Owls and Eagles will be meeting this week

Live at the hall. For those at the hall, there will be opportunity for and (socially distanced) socialising. Refreshments served at the end of service.

Live on Zoom will be open from 10:00 a.m. Afterwards we will, as last week, have the option of joining others in chat rooms of about 4-5.

If you know of anyone outside of KCBC who joins us, please let them know about the recording or alternatively invite them by passing on the Zoom details. If you need help, please contact one of the tech team, who will be delighted to assist you - David B, Darren, Jack, Phil, Nick, Richard

Prayer chain

Nat Bond 01626 366668 email: natfromfife@gmail.com

If you are not on the chain at the moment, would like to put things on the prayer chain or would like to be involved please talk to Nat.



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Please remember our diary in your daily prayers

Tuesday 18th October

- 9:00am KILTS for helpers
- 10:00am KILTS parents/carers
- 7:30pm Church Members' meeting at the Mary Hall Suite in the Community Hall

Friday 21st October

- 10:30am Friday Outing Community Café in Forde Park for time to chat. Please see Christina for more information

Saturday 22nd October

- 8:30am Messy Church set up
- 9:30am Messy Church

Sunday 23rd October

- 10:30am Worship service at the Community Hall
- Owls and Eagles will be meeting this week

Five weeks away and on our return the national scene is so different. I can't imagine any of you were responsible for this in any way and that's the point. So much happens around us that we have no part in.

In uncertain times of enemy occupation, Jesus' disciples looked to the massive stones of the Temple in Jerusalem for comfort. They may not have a part in affecting the chaos around them but at least they could put their trust that those stones would stay around. And maybe we get comfort from knowing this country's institutions, traditions and landscape are good reason to know some things won't change and we have no reason to worry. Enter Jesus who speaks words of wisdom.

Put trust in those massive stones? *"As for what you see here, the time will come when not one stone will be left on another; every one of them will be thrown down."* (Luke 21:6) Jesus knocks down their trust in that which is not strong enough (those stones will go within 40 years) and shows them what to put their hope in.

Jesus says, simply, *"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away"*. And they haven't. So when it comes to your living out your Christian life, again quoting Jesus, *"Stand firm"*.

David

Notes for your diary



- **Friday Outings** 21st October, 25th November 10.30am at the Community Café in Forde Park for time to chat. 9th December for our Christmas celebration. Details to be confirmed nearer the time.
- **Next Messy Church** on Saturday 22nd October
- **Christmas shoebox appeal** - this year will go to CR2EE more information below



Prayer for Ukraine –A Prayer for Peace



God of peace and justice,
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.
We pray for those with power over war or peace,
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.
Above all, we pray for all your precious children,
at-risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them.
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.

Amen

Archbishop Justin Welby & Archbishop Stephen Cottrell



Christian Response to Easter Europe (cr2ee)

This year our shoeboxes will go to CR2EE, Hugh Scudder from the charity will be joining us in November to collect them and share with us about some of the work the charity does (date to be confirmed).

In the meantime, here is a link to the rather long (Hugh's words not mine) Autumn newsletter which will give you some idea as to what the charity is doing at the moment.

<https://www.kcbchurch.org.uk/cms/files/Autumn-2022-big-newssheet.pdf>



“Giving love and new hope in a shoebox.”

All items need to be new and non-perishable.

Examples of items that can go into the boxes include hats, toothpaste, hairbrush, toys, craft items, toiletries, puzzles, colouring books. CR2EE also suggest a Christmas card or photo of the family sending the box as the recipients love to know who is sending the gift.

If you have access to the internet here is the link with full details of how you can help <https://www.kcbchurch.org.uk/cms/files/2020-CR2EE-Christmas-Shoebox.pdf> , if you do not have access to the internet and would like more information, please let Sarah know and she will get a copy of the leaflet to you.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/cr2ee/>

Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing” 1 Thess. 5:11



We need to encourage each other. Do you have a Bible verse, poem, passage or song or any of the following? Something you are thankful for. Something that has made you laugh. If you have found something online that would be a good resource for us, please share. If you don't feel comfortable sharing in “person” this may be the way for you to encourage others.

Sarah

During our time together, Sue shared the following prayer which we all found really helpful so we thought it was right to share

Lord

When I turn away, pull me closer;

when I block my ears, call me louder;

when I go the wrong way, guide me back, I pray.

You are a wonderful, forgiving God who knows my heart and loves me nonetheless.

Thank you Lord for your endless patience and continuing love.



Amen

A message from the South West Baptist association

Engaging with Contemporary Culture (5/11 & 3/12) – the world we live in continues to go through the most dramatic changes many of us have seen in living memory. How can we relate the unchanging message of the gospel to those immersed in the post-pandemic, post-Christian, digitally integrated, increasingly economically challenging culture in which we live? Rev Carl Smethurst (Regional Minister – Mission, SWBA) with contributions from Hannah Fleming-Hill (Digital Missioner) help us navigate our way in this 'brave new world'...

Details and booking here > <https://bookwhen.com/swbaptists/e/ev-szr6-20221105100000>

All our PFS modules are now available onsite in our Exeter offices (for the best possible experience) or by Zoom (for those who can't attend in Exeter).

Many thanks!

Blessing Carl Smethurst Regional Minister – Mission South West Baptist Association

How to join the Sunday Service via Zoom'.

1. Go onto the internet and type kbcchurch.org.uk
2. On the Home Page (the first page with the Coronavirus statement) in the top right-hand corner is a green bar and on it is written "online service" with an arrow.
3. Click on the green bar/arrow and you'll go straight to the video.
4. Either press play or it will automatically start playing

