



*"I will put my law in their minds and write it on their hearts.  
I will be their God, and they will be my people.*



*Jeremiah 31 verse 33*

## Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2021

10:30 am Communion Worship Service

11:45 am Eagles meet on Zoom - Look out for the link being sent round.

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.

Here are the options:

1. Join us on Zoom. **Meeting ID: 816 7951 5569 Password: 956671**
2. Watch the recording later in the week, available later from our website via the 'online service' green button.

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](mailto: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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**Website:** <http://kbcchurch.org.uk/>

**Facebook group:** KCBC at home

**KCBC Whatsapp Group OYOT** if you would like to join please let Mark know.



## Please remember our diary in your daily prayer

We are unable to meet to worship until we have the all clear but here is the virtual diary for this week. There may be things added so keep an eye on your e-mail, and the KCBC at home Facebook group.

### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

2:00pm David at rescheduled meeting with Kingsteignton clergy

### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March

10:30am KCBC Coffee Morning via zoom  
Meeting ID: 889 1314 1548 Passcode: 410040

### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March

10:30am David at meeting with the Newton Abbot Caring Alliance  
7:00pm Baptist Union Prayers online  
7:30pm Musungwa homegroup meeting via Zoom to study Word Lyfe: Mission Possible  
7:45pm Long Barton homegroup meeting via Zoom  
8:00pm Rundle Road homegroup meeting via Zoom

### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March

2:00pm Pastoral Visiting Team meeting

### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> March

10:30am Worship service

## *From David*

And now for another year... This time last year we had our first digital service, recorded (mostly in my back garden) with Darren working out how to produce sung worship digitally. It was sunny. The Tech Team was hastily assembled and we found a way to get Sunday worship to most of the church. Sarah produced the notice sheet digitally and it was delivered by hand by June to those who couldn't download it. A DVD of the service was planned for those who couldn't join on the newly discovered Zoom. And that was the pattern we could see lasting quite a few weeks. But not a year. And then more.

We enter then our second year of worshipping this way. But before we get carried away, using such worn-out words as 'unprecedented' or 'extraordinary', we remind ourselves that we are merely joining many Christians around the world who have never had any option but to meet using the internet or phones or even secretly listening to a radio broadcast of worship. KCBC do not worship in fear from the authorities.

So let us rejoice in what we have! The Lord is good to us. Meeting without restrictions on numbers or activities is still a long way off – a minimum of June – but let us persevere in our faith and in supporting one another in our fellowship.



## A reminder of a few ways you can get involved in the Easter services...

- **For Palm Sunday**, I would like pictures of you next to a donkey. In the absence of donkeys, any four legged animal will do but you must be in the picture too. If it is a pet, it will need dressing up, such as having a rug/handkerchief (depending on the size of the beast) over its back. You and they can then take part in our Palm Sunday procession. And if among those photos is you and a Dartmoor pony or two, all the better. Or even a real donkey.
- **For Easter Sunday**, I would like some artwork. The image is to be a cross and can be done any creative way you would like. It could be a painting, a couple of sticks from the garden, household items, sculpture, digital art. The options are without limit but the final photo/image will be part of your contribution to worship. (Any images cannot be copied from the internet, for copyright reasons.)

From our [Facebook](#) page....

Thank you Anja for sharing the following:

From the Church of England Lent Reflections - found it quite an empowering thought...

Bible reading - Matthew 1.1-17 (NRSV Anglicized Edition)

*An account of the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah, the son of David, the son of Abraham.*

*Abraham was the father of Isaac, and Isaac the father of Jacob, and Jacob the father of Judah and his brothers, and Judah the father of Perez and Zerah by Tamar, and Perez the father of Hezron, and Hezron the father of Aram, and Aram the father of Aminadab, and Aminadab the father of Nahshon, and Nahshon the father of Salmon, and Salmon the father of Boaz by Rahab, and Boaz the father of Obed by Ruth, and Obed the father of Jesse, and Jesse the father of King David.*

*And David was the father of Solomon by the wife of Uriah, and Solomon the father of Rehoboam, and Rehoboam the father of Abijah, and Abijah the father of Asaph, and Asaph the father of Jehoshaphat, and Jehoshaphat the father of Joram, and Joram the father of Uzziah, and Uzziah the father of Jotham, and Jotham the father of Ahaz, and Ahaz the father of Hezekiah, and Hezekiah the father of Manasseh, and Manasseh the*

*father of Amos, and Amos the father of Josiah, and Josiah the father of Jechoniah and his brothers, at the time of the deportation to Babylon.*

*And after the deportation to Babylon: Jechoniah was the father of Salathiel, and Salathiel the father of Zerubbabel, and Zerubbabel the father of Abiud, and Abiud the father of Eliakim, and Eliakim the father of Azor, and Azor the father of Zadok, and Zadok the father of Achim, and Achim the father of Eliud, and Eliud the father of Eleazar, and Eleazar the father of Matthan, and Matthan the father of Jacob, and Jacob the father of Joseph the husband of Mary, of whom Jesus was born, who is called the Messiah.*

*So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations; and from David to the deportation to Babylon, fourteen generations; and from the deportation to Babylon to the Messiah, fourteen generations.*



## **Reflection**

I was visiting a central London church for their evening service, which turned out to be a service of adult baptism. When the time came for the Bible reading, someone stood and read the genealogies from the beginning of Matthew's Gospel. At verse 17, the reader stopped and sat down, and I wondered what on earth the preacher was going to make of this passage.

The preacher talked us through some of the names in the list, highlighting some of the lesser known characters or those who made terrible mistakes as well as some of the heroes of the faith. After several minutes of this, he turned to those who were to be baptised and said, "Today, your name gets added to this list. Today, your story becomes part of this story of those who have passed through this world in relationship to God. Today, you connect your story with God's story."

## **Prayer**

Thank you, Lord, that through faith and baptism our stories become part of your story. Help me to share that story in all I do and say.

Amen.



Greetings,

Today I wanted to tell you about the work YMCA does to tackle youth homelessness and provide supported housing across England and Wales.

YMCA is actually the largest voluntary provider of supported housing for young people. Whether they have reached our doors due to domestic abuse, a family breakdown, leaving the care system or through losing their job and ultimately their home, YMCA has more than 8,800 beds each night should a young person need one.

**Will you help spread the word about our special Sleep Easy event?**

Since 2010, Sleep Easy has seen more than 7,000 people sleep rough to raise over £1.5m for local YMCA services that help young people rebuild their lives.. Our support connects more than 20,000 young people each year with case workers and provides access to life skills designed to help them rebuild their lives and live independently.

Typically, Sleep Easy involves experiencing the harsh realities of life on the streets. But this year, due to the pandemic, we are asking you to spend the night on your sofas, floors or if you are able to brace the weather in tents in your garden, raising what money you can for our vital work in the process.

*"When I visit YMCA centres what strikes me most is the hope that you see in the eyes of young men and women who have found sanctuary there. I was recently at a YMCA where residents had just planted a beautiful community garden. It was a powerful symbol of new life and hope – a joyous achievement, and one residents were justly proud of. YMCA is a place to rebuild life after things have gone awry; it is a community where lifelong friends are made and new hope is to be found."*

**The Rt Revd Dr John Sentamu**

Our hope is that you will **share with your congregation** this opportunity to help young people. We have produced a pack for participants and also a family one to help parents and little ones get involved should they wish. To sign up, please visit [ymca.org.uk/sleepeasy](http://ymca.org.uk/sleepeasy).

For more information, please contact: [Emily.Brewster@ymca.org.uk](mailto:Emily.Brewster@ymca.org.uk) or 020 7186 9542

Thank you so much for your help, which is very much appreciated.

With every blessing,

**Reverend Tim Harford**



*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 and stay connected. 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*

**Friday Outings** are transforming into Friday Elevenses at Home. They will take place once a month on Zoom on a Friday morning at 11am, and are an opportunity for a chat. Our first session was on Friday 12th February at 11am, next one on 23<sup>rd</sup> April. If you are interested please contact Christina Greeves or Sue Watkin ([kbcbscribe@hotmail.com](mailto:kbcbscribe@hotmail.com)) who can send you the meeting link. Thanks Christina

**Videos and photos of you...** To keep us connected, how about putting together a short video (no more than 3 minutes) on what you have been doing over lockdown. You could show us something that you have grown or built, somewhere you have gone or someone you met up with. Or a pet. Or your latest car if you have changed it. I suppose it could just be a photo but a short video maybe done on your phone would be fun. The idea is to give us a window into our life at a time when we are blocked off. Think what you can do and then send it over to me or the Tech Team and I will slot it in our time together on Sundays.

### 'How to join the Sunday Service'!

The screenshot shows the website for Kingsteignton Community Baptist Church. At the top left is the church logo. Below it is a navigation menu with links: Groups & Activities, Children & Youth, Future Events, Recent Events, In Our Community, and About Us. The main content area features a 'A warm welcome to you' message with a sub-header '...from all at Kingsteignton Community Baptist Church'. Below this is a notice about COVID-19: 'In light of the Coronavirus containment measures we have decided to suspend all activities at KCBC until we get the all-clear for groups to meet again ... in particular'. A list of bullet points follows: 'No Sunday service at the Community Hall', 'No KILTS', and 'Messy church cancelled for March, April and May. June to be decided on.' At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with contact information and a note: 'It may be that you would like to visit us in person and we want to'.

1. Go onto the internet and type [kbcchurch.org.uk](http://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