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And lean not on your own understanding  
In all your ways acknowledge him  
And he will direct your paths.*

*Proverbs 3: 5-6*



## **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

10:00 – 10:15 am Prayer (Mary Hall Suite)

10:30am Communion Worship Service

11:00am Sunday Club

Sermon: Listening to the Spirit –

Ephesus and Smyrna Revelation 2:1-11

7:30pm Word Alive – more information on the back page



*Prayer is available after the service from our Prayer Ministry Team*

For those who use a hearing aid, a hearing loop is provided in the main hall. To use: switch to the 'T' position.



If you are visiting we are pleased to have you with us, please take time to write in the visitor's book and stay for tea or coffee after the service.

**Please remember our diary for the next week  
in your daily prayers**



**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November**

6:30 pm      Rock Solid

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November**

10:00am      KILTS Parent & Toddler Group

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November**

7:30pm      Housegroup at Musungwa and Rundle Road and  
Long Barton, Kingsteignton

7:30 pm      Christians Together in Kingsteignton meeting at the  
URC

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November**

9:30 am      Friday Craft

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November**

Leadership away day

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November**

10:30am      Worship Service with Act of Remembrance  
followed by Fellowship Lunch

## Make a note in your diary

- The November Friday outing to Buckfast Abbey is on the 18<sup>th</sup> for more information please see Christina
- The next Messy church is 26<sup>nd</sup> November
- SWBA 26<sup>th</sup> November – Living well with Dementia more information on the back page



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



Do you have a bible verse, poem, passage or song etc. that has been of encouragement that you would like to share? If so please let me know so that I can include it in the newsletter and we can all encourage each other...

Thank you *Sarah*

Thank you to Natalie Trigg for the following:

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Our inability to always understand what is happening in our lives does not negate the truth that God has a plan for our lives.

I always hold onto this promise when times are difficult and I am seeking God for his guidance. Take courage and rely on him each day and he will indeed direct your paths.

As a Christian we belong to the one who created us and he does have a plan for each one of us if we just let him work in our lives.

Best wishes Natalie x

## 'Living Well with Dementia'

Dr Jennifer Bute, our key speaker at this SWBA day on 26 November, was diagnosed with early-onset dementia in 2009. She is well placed to give an insider's perspective on how church leaders, pastoral visitors, friends and family can help.

The focus of the day is to equip church leaders, pastoral visitors and anyone with an interest in supporting people living with dementia in their church communities. An important dimension of the day is to look at spiritual aspects of living with dementia.

Further information is on the blue noticeboard and there are leaflets to take away on the tables.

### **WORD ALIVE**

We will be starting a cult... sorry, starting to look at cults. And we are considered a cult, in France at least, where Baptists, as non-Roman Catholics are viewed as such. So we know what cults and sects are, don't we. Mormons, Jehovah's Witnesses etc. But what about Seventh-Day Adventists, Taoists, Shintoists and New-Agers? Are they cults, sects or what?

We will identify what a cult or sect is, then you can name some. We will look at a few cults that you want to examine, what they believe and why they are what they are. But we need to try to get our heads around why cults form, what the conditions are and even ask the question of whether we would ever be in danger of displaying cult-like behaviour.

What would help is if you take a 'Christian' cult and find a few facts about them. Don't go for JWs or Mormons as they will be popular.

Google one but don't get too much information. Just enough to brief us. And don't be put off if you can't as this will simply be a bonus to the evening and maybe of interest to you. It will also give you the chance of teaching me something new!

Hope to see you there,

David