



*"The LORD your God is with you, he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he will rejoice over you with singing."*



*Zephaniah Chapter 3 Verse 17*

## **SUNDAY 06<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2025**

10:30

Communion Worship Service

*Eagles' & Owls' Sunday Clubs are now on Easter break and will resume Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April*

**Live at the hall.** For those at the hall there will be opportunity for socialising. Refreshments will be served at the end of service.

**Live on Zoom** which will be open from about 10:20am.

If you miss a sermon the recording will be made available the following week on our website. More instructions for Zoom and the Sermon recording are at the end of this newsletter.



**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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**Please remember this week's diary in your daily prayers**

<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup></b>	19:30	Leadership Meeting
<b>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup></b>	12:30	David at Minister Meeting at Barton
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	10:30	Craft & Chatter – hosted by Sue W
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	10:30	All Age Worship Service with Guest Speaker Aviel Sela Fellowship Lunch

*If you have a regular group which meets and you wish to add it to the diary prayers, please do let me know – [kbcscscribe@hotmail.com](mailto:kbcscscribe@hotmail.com)*



## **Notes for your diary**

- **Information for Easter at KCBC is detailed below – 13<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April**
- **Friday Outing – 25<sup>th</sup> April**
- **Messy Church – 26<sup>th</sup> April**
- **Chaplaincy Course with Pathways SWBA – 26<sup>th</sup> April**
- **THAT Collection – 27<sup>th</sup> April**
- **Church Members' Meeting – 29<sup>th</sup> April**

## Easter at KCBC

We have the big privilege of having Aviel Sela from the International Mission to Jewish People (formerly Christian Witness to Israel who we have had before) who is coming on Palm Sunday. He will be leading on the Gospel in the Passover. Please make every effort to be there – a real one-off opportunity and a great start to Easter Week

There are several services over Easter where we have the opportunity to gather together as God's people to reflect, worship and celebrate the miracle of Jesus. Each one has its own unique splendour, and message, to help our understanding of this most important time of our Christian faith. So, come, one and all, come to experience and to learn more about our wonderful Saviour and friend.

**13<sup>th</sup> April 1030 hrs** – All Age Palm Sunday Service  
with Guest Speaker Aviel Sela from the  
International Mission to Jewish People  
- followed by Fellowship Lunch

**17<sup>th</sup> April 1930 hrs** – Maundy Thursday Communion Service

**18<sup>th</sup> April 1030 hrs** – Good Friday Service  
- followed by refreshments

## **20<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Sunday!**

**Tbc** – Son Rise Service held near the Passage House Inn  
- followed by Breakfast at the Community Hall  
**1030hrs** All Age Easter Service Celebration  
- followed by refreshments

## *From the Minister*

Jesus in His humanity was a Jew. That puts a whole different slant on what He said and did. The Last Supper was a Jewish feast of Passover and Jesus never told us to ditch that. So finding out more about what the Passover was like and what it meant will give us so much more understanding of what the Lord's Supper is about and add extra layers of insight to help us experience more in our Communion.

So don't miss out on next Sunday as Aviel Sela, himself a Christian Jew (yes, you can be both) tells us his story and invites us to learn about Jesus in the Passover. Hear about how many glasses of wine they used, the place of lamb and the place of Tesco's extra hot horseradish sauce. An event to look forward to.

*David*

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



From time to time we all need an extra word of encouragement, a boost or a spiritual hug, so if you have something you'd like to share with the whole fellowship, please do pass it along - a Bible Verse, a particular passage, a faith song, study resource, an idea or simply a passing thought. If you feel that something has been of benefit to you, and you want to share ..... [kbcscscribe@hotmail.com](mailto:kbcscscribe@hotmail.com)

A resource - Becci has shared a resource which has been a blessing to her. It is entitled Bible Books in 30 Minutes put together by United Christian Broadcasters it "provides an easy-to-understand overview of each book of the Bible". There are 52 conversations together with an Introductory episode. Thank you Becci.

Here is the Spotify link:

<https://open.spotify.com/show/4U3aP14rjxyJSJipadytYW?si=YMV7XcxvRNmwPA6TRYRaTw>

(you could just pop "UCB Bible Books 30 minutes" on your search engine and it will bring this up for you, or go to YouTube and search the title - you'll get the same results.)



If you are seeking ways to serve God and the church, want to learn more about our God, participate on a course, or join prayer gatherings look no further than the Baptist Union of Great Britain and/or SWBA websites, both of which have a Calendar of Events to peruse. Follow either of these links: [www.baptist.org.uk](http://www.baptist.org.uk) or [www.swbaptists.org.uk](http://www.swbaptists.org.uk) if you would like to know more.

### ***Further Upcoming Training with Pathways, SWBA***

If you are looking at expanding your gifts Pathways is hosting the following training days, there are further details for each of these modules, on the SWBA website, [www.swbaptists.org.uk](http://www.swbaptists.org.uk)

26/04 - Chaplaincy

07 & 28/06 - Pastoral Care

*"So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand" Isaiah 41:10*



*Father God, creator and sustainer of all life, have mercy on us as we prepare our hearts to experience Holy Week. May we all, those with a young faith and others with a deep and steadfast faith, approach this most holy of times with a sense of wonder and fear at the truth of the sacrifice Jesus made. We are all sinners, and we all share in the guilt and grief of Jesus' body hanged on that cross.*

*But Lord we come to you full of praise, singing with thankfulness that the cross was not the end. Your resurrection demonstrates the power, majesty and purpose of your love for your people. Lord, we are grateful that we have found you now and can live in the knowledge that although as Jesus said, "in this world you will have trouble," through his death and resurrection you also assure us to "take heart! I have overcome the world."*

*So Lord, we pray that the Spirit will blanket all the nations awakening those who do not yet know of the depth and breadth of your love for us which saw your Son, our Saviour, die.*

*Thank you Jesus for your obedience, your love and your sacrifice which brings hope and peace. So we say once again, have mercy on us Lord and may we be obedient disciples following the example shown by Jesus, in whose blessed name we pray. Amen*



## Christian Response to Eastern Europe Update and Prayer requests March 2025

So much is going on at the moment BUT we can make a difference.

### Ukraine

🚩 The next lorry to Ukraine left on Tuesday (17<sup>th</sup> March) please pray that it arrives safely and for the safety of those delivering the aid in Ukraine and for all those receiving aid.

### A message from a Baptist pastor in in Ukraine (a key partner):-

*Dear brother Hugh,*

*Warm greetings from Ukraine! I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude for your generous support (Lorry loads of humanitarian aid and monthly money grants). During this difficult time of war, your kindness and faithful partnership have brought real hope and help to many people here. We **deeply appreciate** your heart for Ukraine and your desire to stand with us in this season of need.*

*I would also like to share with you how your donations have been used in recent months to bless and support many lives:*

- We continue to assist refugees who have been **displaced by the war**, as well as many local families in desperate need.*
- We are supporting 10-12 **families of soldiers** who are currently serving at the front lines. These families often struggle to provide for their children while their husbands and fathers are away defending our country. The soldiers don't always get paid by the Army.*
- We also help families who have found themselves in **severe life circumstances**. One of them is Natasha—a courageous mother battling cancer. Despite her illness, she is raising her three teenage sons alone in a remote village. Your donations have made it possible for us to offer her practical help and encouragement during this very hard time.*

*In addition, we assist several families who are caring for children with **cerebral palsy**. These mothers dedicate their entire lives to their children and are in constant need of support.*

*Beyond helping families, your generosity has allowed us to:*

- Purchase and deliver **tourniquets** to our soldiers on the front lines.*
- Pay for **fuel for our chaplains**, enabling them to travel to dangerous areas where they minister to soldiers and deliver supplies.*

- Produce camouflage nets, trench candles, and energy snacks at Grace Church, which we send regularly to the front.
- I and my wife visit and financially support **the wives and children of soldiers**, offering them encouragement and hope through personal connection and prayer.
- I continue to **visit soldiers in hospitals**, many of whom have no family visiting them. We often provide them with necessary medications and personal care items.
- In addition, our **mobile medical centre** from Grace Church continues to visit remote villages. We provide eye examinations, reading glasses for elderly people, check their heart and bloodpressure, and supply basic medications.
- Your support helps cover the costs of these glasses and medicines, making a huge difference in these communities.

Hugh, we are **deeply grateful** to you and all the brothers and sisters in England. Your donations are not only helping meet physical needs, but they are **also bringing light, hope, and encouragement** to those who need it most. Thank you for being such a vital part of this ministry. May God bless you all abundantly for your compassion and generosity! With sincere appreciation,

(Pastor, Grace Church)

### Prayer Points

- ▶ Our partners: their ministry to displaced people, children, and churches
- ▶ Our partners: the personal and emotional challenges they face
- ▶ Christians in Ukraine: Strengthening and increase
- ▶ Peace talks

## Moldova

CR2EE has now been helping in Moldova for over 30 years through partnerships with the local Baptist Churches.

### Prayer points

- ▶ Moldova prayer points
- ▶ Our partners: their ministry to churches, children, and poor families
- ▶ Christians in Moldova: Church planting
- ▶ Economic and political situation
- ▶ Give thanks that we have been able to raise the money for the urgent repairs to the warehouse.

There is so much for which to pray and give thanks about what is happening in Moldova and Ukraine. If you would like to know more about the ongoing prayer requests or answers to prayer please ask Sarah.



If you would like further information about CR2EE or have anything to donate, Nick & Sarah would be only too pleased to hear from you.



**CAP Teignbridge** offers free debt help, practical & emotional support, and to show people that there is always hope. Working in partnership with local churches across Teignbridge, we help to lift the weight of debt from your shoulders.

We are still very short of befrienders, and we would be grateful if you could please prayerfully consider whether you could be part of this support team. Thank you. The minimum commitment is only 2 hours/month, and you would need to be a good listener and passionate about supporting those in poverty. PRAYER We have a Prayer Support Team who meet once a month to pray for CAP clients and the work of CAP Teignbridge. This is invaluable and makes a huge difference. If you would like to join this team, please get in touch. Please contact Tim Wigley, Debt Centre Manager at [timwigley@capuk.org](mailto:timwigley@capuk.org)

THAT Foodbank Donation – 27<sup>th</sup> April – thank you everyone for continuing to support our quarterly donations to THAT. Sadly, the necessity of foodbanks in our community and nationwide is still a priority but we continue to pray that the help of this provision will be a blessing and bring much needed comfort.

This quarter the foodbank specifically needs:

Custard; Rice Pudding; Jam; Tinned Fruit

Pot Noodles; Rice Packets (including Microwave products)

Coffee, Sugar

Toiletries for men & women

Please could I remind everyone that items must be in date, as foodbanks cannot pass on any items which have expired. Thank you.

*‘and he who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them. Never again will they hunger; never again will they thirst’ Revelation 7:15-16*

**Kingsteignton Town Council events for 2025:** The Community Coffee Mornings take place in the Main Hall from 1000-1200 hrs and future dates are 7<sup>th</sup> June, 5<sup>th</sup> July, 13<sup>th</sup> September, 11<sup>th</sup> October and 8<sup>th</sup> November.

Special events include: 10<sup>th</sup> May 'VE Day 80'; 17<sup>th</sup> May Town Crier Competition, and 26<sup>th</sup> July Community Festival – more events to follow later in the year.

Keep an eye out for posters detailing these events and if you want to find out more the email address is [events@kingsteignton.gov.uk](mailto:events@kingsteignton.gov.uk) or go to the website [www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events](http://www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events)

**KingsCare Warm Space** – Running now until April 2025. Everyone is welcome to attend there is no charge – includes a free cuppa and biscuits, chat, games, information about local community services & support, and advice on benefit support and energy, if required. Important details – No need to book, Fridays 2pm til 4pm, Mary Hall Suite, Community Hall, free to all!

And finally ..... A big thank you to everyone who had a hand in making these cute easter egg holders and to everyone for your prayers and blessings over our KILTS community this Easter time. We thought you'd like to see the "flock" hiding their gift of an egg – as you can see there are many different breeds in our flock ..... a reflection of the whole of God's community!



## How to join the Sunday Service via Zoom

1. Go onto the internet and type kcbchurch.org.uk
2. On the Home Page 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 to the online services page.
4. On Sunday morning there will be a link title "Join Zoom Meeting" click the link and Zoom should open and connect you to the meeting.



## Sermon Recordings

The Sunday service is recorded but we only post the sermon on the website.

From the website homepage there is a link on the righthand side labelled "Recent Sermons" - this will take you to a page with all the recent sermons. The latest sermon is at the top, click either the audio only link or the video link.

