



"Listen to advice and accept instruction, and in the end you will be wise. Many are the plans in a man's heart, but it is the LORDS's purpose that prevails."



Proverbs Chapter 19 verses 20 & 21

SUNDAY 11th MAY 2025

- 10:30 Worship Service with Guest Speaker David Coffey
 Eagles & Owls Meet
 Fellowship Lunch
- 10:30 Michael Trigg preaching at Goodrington Methodist Church

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: natfromlife@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

Monday 12th	19:30	Leadership Meeting
Tuesday 13th	09:00	Set up for KILTS
	10:00	KILTS
	18:30	SWBA's Stepping Up – Women's Event
Wednesday 14th	19:30	Home Group – Rundle Road Home Group – Haytor Drive
Saturday 17th	10:00 onwards	Community Event – Town Crier Competition
Sunday 18th	10:30	Communion Worship Service Eagles & Owls meet

If you have a regular group which meets and you wish to add it to the diary prayers, please do let me know – kbcbscribe@hotmail.com



Notes for your diary

- **Friday Outing** - 23rd May – meeting at The Clipper, Shaldon
- **Messy Church** – 24th May
- **Ram Fair** – 26th May
- **Michael Trigg Preaching at Goodrington Methodist Church** – 1st June
- **Community Coffee Morning** – 7th June
- **Fellowship Lunch** – 8th June
- **Leadership Meeting** – 9th June
- **Craft & Chatter** – 13th June

From the Minister

As I write this, the new Roman Catholic pope is being chosen. The previous pope, Francis, has already had lots written about his papacy though it is not something many are too focussed on.

So to balance that, here is something we can focus on – his instructions to clergy. He said to leaders (in this case, priests) that they should be grounded in the situation of their flock. He said pastors should be “people capable of living, of laughing and crying with your people, in a word, of communicating with them”. He told them, “Strip yourselves of your pre-constituted ideas, your dreams of greatness, your self-assertion, in order to put God and people at the centre of your daily concerns.” He urged priests to be “shepherds with the ‘smell of the sheep.’”

What a helpful description of a good pastor. For that matter, a good deacon. And why not a good congregation. Alongside each other and those in our community. Not above, not removed but alongside. There’s something of Christ in that.

David

Church Forum - Update

Thank you to everyone who attended the church forum last Sunday afternoon. We hope that this was a time useful to you and has given you some idea of the discussions and challenges that lie ahead of us.

As was said it will give us all an opportunity to engage in what will be an exciting and interesting few months.

We do have a set of notes from the meeting but don’t intend to email those out, however if you were not there, or there was something in the meeting that you want clarified, please talk to any of the deacons.

This is a first step, of course, and we plan to have other events as a congregation and in membership meetings and of course we will soon start to meet in small groups as part of the What the Spirit is Saying process.

KCBC Deacons

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

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 or 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

07 & 28/06 - Pastoral Care

The poster features a light green and blue watercolor background with two birds flying in the upper right and green foliage in the bottom right. The title 'ABIDE' is in large, bold, black letters, with 'KNOW YOUR BIBLE' in smaller, bold, black letters below it. The event details are listed in a mix of bold and regular black text. A portrait of Rev. Emily Twigg is on the left, and a paragraph about her is to its right. Booking information and event details are at the bottom, including the 'KNOW YOUR BIBLE' logo and website.

ABIDE

KNOW YOUR BIBLE

SATURDAY 14TH JUNE 2025 10.30AM-3.00PM
ST MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH, TORQUAY. TQ1 4BX
£10 TO INCLUDE REFRESHMENTS

An event for women. Join us and chill out in God's presence as Rev. Emily Twigg leads us through God's Word.



Emily is a Baptist Minister, currently serving as the pastor of Totnes United Free Church. Initially God called Emily to youth ministry, but over recent years this has broadened to include all ages. Emily loves using creative ways to share the Gospel and is most at home with God when by the sea.

To book, or for further details please email kybtorquay@gmail.com or tel Mary on 01803 329526

As well as teaching from Emily there will be opportunity for quiet reflection, craft, meeting others, prayer and relaxing together. Please bring a packed lunch.



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transforming women's lives
through the power of God's Word

www.knowyourbible.org.uk

Please speak with Natalie if you want any further information ahead of this event.

"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



Adonai, My tears flow as I remember the outpouring of love you showed to the whole world as you suffered and died for my sins and those same tears fall as tears of joy for the miracle of Easter as you rose from the grave and conquered death. You won the victory, so I may receive the promised eternal inheritance.

Thank you for the hope given to me, and to those who live in fear, to those who are sick, to those who know only violence, to those who live in poverty and hunger, to those whose souls are burdened, and to those who are still seeking. Your arms stretched wide to envelop the whole world in your embrace and only you were able to bring me back into relationship with the Living God.

May I keep my eyes fixed on the way, the truth and the life, may my lamp burn brightly in anticipation of your arrival, and may I be ever vigilant as I wait, wait on you Lord so that I am ready when you call me by name.

In the precious name of my Almighty Saviour, Amen



Christian Response to Eastern Europe

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

Thank you for your prayers the lorry arrived safely, and all the aid is being distributed by our local partners (a Baptist church).

The next lorry is due to leave for Moldova on the 16th of April.

That will be the fourth one this year (2 each to Ukraine and Moldova). This is only possible through people's continued support if you think you can help in any way please contact Nick or Sarah, please also continue to pray.

Ukraine 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
- ▶ For a lasting peace

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.



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.

If you would like to become a befriender, or would like further information, please contact Tim Wigley, Debt Centre Manager at timwigley@capuk.org

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

Special events include: 17th May Town Crier Competition, and 26th 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 or go to the website www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events

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.

