

WEEKLY NEWS

Sunday 13th September 2009

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As a Church, we want to bring people to know Jesus, and into membership of His family; to develop, encourage and motivate them to worship God and to serve Him in the Church and the community

Welcome back to Pastor Kenny, after his time of study in Scotland. He writes:

“Well a hoooge welcome back to ‘Team Borneo!’ The jungle and village are still standing, we give thanks. Seriously though, we do thank God for their safe arrival home and for His Son’s witness through them both to those in Borneo and to us. Their willingness to serve has allowed us all to participate in the doing of God’s will (James 1: 27). Also it has been so pleasing to see people, whether going or sending, with a desire to make Jesus known; - more LORD!

We’ve spent several months now looking at the whole subject of ‘Introducing Jesus.’ So with all this pre-text, how would you answer the question, ‘Who is Jesus?’ The early church answered as follows ;

“We believe... in one Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, begotten from the Father, only begotten, that is, from the same substance of the Father, God from God, light from light, true God from true God, begotten, not created, [of] the same substance with the Father, through whom all things were made, things in heaven and on earth.”

Not too sure if that would have been your initial response. But the question remains, ‘who do you say that He is?’ As we study more of Mark this morning my prayer is that our hearts might readily respond with absolute conviction about the person of Jesus, saying ‘Jesus is....’

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Today

10.00am Prayer time for all
10.45am Pastor Kenny
6.30pm James Paton
Lord's Supper to follow evening service
(Mark Drury preaching at Wetherden all day)

Tuesday

9.45am Busy Bees
7.30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

Wednesday

10am Dot Regent's Funeral Service

Friday

6.30pm Junior & Inter Foy
8.00pm Seniors

Saturday 19th – BARN DANCE

Deb Stannard – Town Pastors

Next Sunday 20th Sept

10.45am John Mason (Whitton)
6.30pm - Youth Service

Stewards: am Pam & Tom
 pm Maureen & Brian

We give a warm welcome to James Paton and his family from Norwich. James will be speaking at our evening service from Psalm 103: 1-5. We look forward to our time of fellowship together.



Prayer Points:

- # Give thanks for the safe return of the Borneo Team
- # Pray for wisdom in seeking a new Co-Worker
- # Pray for Dot's family, especially at the funeral service on Wednesday
- # Pray for Tom Donalds who is visiting his Mum in the USA as she has not much longer to live
- # Pray for those experiencing family problems
- # Continue to pray for Daphne as she recovers from her hip operation
- # Pray for outreach opportunities such as the Barn Dance on 19 September and the Harvest Services on 27 September

**Welcome Home to
the Borneo Team !**

Challenge Text: "Go into the world. Go everywhere and announce the Message of God's good news to one and all."

Mission under the Microscope

Our mission theme for September is the work of TEARFUND and is centred around our Harvest Services.

On Tuesday 22 September we will have a TEARFUND evening looking at one particular aspect of their work and then praying for this and other aspects of the work of TEARFUND.

Then at our Harvest Services on Sunday 27 September we will again be featuring TEARFUND and there will be opportunity to give, via our offerings, to that work.

In addition, on that Sunday we are planning a '**hunger lunch**' after the morning service. This will consist of soup (choice of two) and a bread roll. There will be no charge for this simple meal but we would ask all who stay to make a donation to TEARFUND, based on what you would normally spend on your Sunday lunch.

To help with catering please put your name(s) up on the list on the notice board if you would like to join us.



Association Prayer Request: Sunday School Work

1. Please pray that churches will see a greater increase of children coming into the Sunday Schools from the week-night clubs and activities, as well as being able to recruit new non-churched children.

2. Pray that God will be pleased to bring many more to faith in the Lord Jesus while they are still children, so that they will be able to witness to their peers as they grow up.

3. Please pray for God to re-establish Sunday Schools in those churches where no Sunday School work exists.

Thank you!.....

"Daphne and Arnold thank you very much for your prayers, cards, emails, phone calls and visits following her recent surgery. It is great to have no pain!"

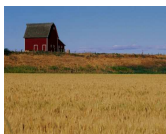
Harvest Services - Sunday 27th September

There will be a traditional Harvest Service at 6.30pm, an ideal opportunity to invite your friends and neighbours.

Light refreshments to follow the evening service.



Outreach close to home....



BARN DANCE

Rougham Sports Hall
19 September
7 - 11pm

Music from the Christian musicians
"Grass Roots"

Ploughman's Supper
Please provide your own drinks

Buy your tickets now! **£6 each**

Contact: Jan 01359 270369
Maggie 01359 270052
Linda 01284 386170

Please hand in all outstanding money for Barn Dance tickets to Linda today if possible, or Tuesday latest. There are some tickets still available from Linda, Maggie and Jan.'

Don't forget to speak to Robert if you would like to book a seat on the coach going to the Grace Baptist Mission Annual Meetings in London on 27th October 2009