

WEEKLY NEWS

Sunday 11th October 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

THIS MORNING: Jonathan writes: 'What are we actually meant to do when we sing the words 'whatever my lot, thou hast caused me to say, it is well, it is well with my soul'? This morning I want us to get to a point where our desire, as Christians, is to glorify God whatever our lot may be. My prayer is that as we learn how to do this, the One who restores our soul would minister to our needs this morning.'

This evening we will be hearing from the Borneo Team about what happened on their recent trip. We will start with a short time of worship, and will then focus on the experiences of the Team during their three week visit into the Borneo jungle. The talk will be illustrated with many of the photographs and videos taken by the Team and promises to be an interesting and informative time.

This will be a good opportunity to hear firsthand some of the exciting things that are going on in the 'Living Waters' village and how God is working in an amazing way in this very poor country. We plan to have a really good time together.



James is settling well at Capernwray Bible College. His blog address is jamesymartin87@blogspot.com where he has written some interesting thoughts. Pray for James that he might really benefit from his studies in God's Word.



"Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised!"

POINTS FOR PRAYER:

- Pray for Mary Hitchcock (see back for details)
- Please remember Cheryl who was taken into hospital this week
- Brian Burman was also taken into hospital on Wednesday, but we are pleased to hear that he is home – pray for his continued recovery
- Remember Pastor Kenny and Gillian in Scotland that they may be kept safe on the long journey
- Continue to pray for a pastoral worker to work alongside Pastor Kenny
- Pray that people will want to come to the "Big Issues" talks and learn more about Christianity

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
TUESDAY 13TH OCTOBER AT 7.30PM
ROMANIAN SINGING GROUP - IMPACT

will be singing and giving testimony. This is part of a short tour they are making in this country, presenting the Gospel, aiming to raise money for an orphanage in IRAD, and to help fund the purchase of a mini-bus for their own transport needs in Romania. An offering will be taken on Tuesday which will be divided equally between these two needs. Light refreshments will be available

WE GIVE GOD THE GLORY AND THE THANKS

THANK YOU for your support and giving at the recent Harvest Services. Including donations made at the hunger lunch, a total in the region of £1000 will be sent to TEARFUND.

**ASIALINK ASK THAT WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THE
INDONESIAN CHRISTIANS IN PADANG, AFFECTED BY THE RECENT
TSUNAMI**

Walking by Faith not by Sight!

Ladies Day at Garland Street Baptist Church on
Saturday 17 October : 10am – 3.30pm
Cost £5 (lunch included)

See Noticeboard for more details

Association Prayer Request:
Tunstall Baptist Church

1. We give thanks for the arrival of David and Cherys and ask for prayers for their welcome meetings on 7th November 3pm at Sudbourne.
2. Please pray for those we have contacted through outreach work that they may come to salvation.
3. Please pray that we may have guidance and wisdom as we now reach out to the Rendlesham area where David, Cherys and family are living.

"BIG ISSUES in a small room" – a series of talks by Pastor Kenny giving a basic introduction to Christianity. These will take place for 4 or 5 weeks, **beginning on Thursday 12th November**. Please be thinking about who you could invite to these talks – some of you already have friends who may be interested. **PRAY about it too!!** Then, following on from these talks, there will be a mini ALPHA course, starting in January. For more information, please speak to Pastor Kenny.

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Today 11th October

10.00am Prayer time for all
10.45am Jonathan Armstrong
6.30pm Borneo Reflections

Preachers out:

Robert Read at Eye Gospel Centre in morning
David S at Charsfield morning & evening

Tuesday

9.45am Busy Bees
7.30pm Romanian Choir - Pastor
Kenny to speak (see notice above)

Friday

6.30pm Junior & Inter Foy
8.00pm Seniors

Pastor Kenny on Town Pastors

Next Sunday

10.45am Pastor Kenny
6.30pm Pastor Kenny
Communion to follow evening service

Stewards: am Pam & Tom
pm Maureen & Brian

Latest news re Mary Hitchcock (from Michael)

We met up with Mary's Consultant on Tuesday 6th and he confirmed what had been in Mary's mind for some time - she has secondaries in her bones and her right hip is particularly fragile, no doubt stemming from the breast cancer she had some years ago. A separate problem of infection is being investigated and we await the Oncologist's advice.

Please refer any visit to ward G3 (Bury) to me first. Your prayers are greatly valued.

Sad, but not downhearted - THE BEST IS YET TO BE!

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We assure Michael and Mary of our prayers at this time.