

WEEKLY NEWS

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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

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES TODAY

MORNING SERVICE

CHAINED AND CHEERFUL

Phil 1: 15-18

Troublemakers

We saw last week that Paul held to two things that allowed him to experience joy in the midst of trials. Firstly a belief that 'God is God.' Knowing and believing that God works all things together for our good, even though we might not understand His ways at times! But also, secondly, that what is needed is a 'gospel approach' to life. The ability to turn a chain into a gospel opportunity. But sometimes people are just plain nasty, how are you supposed to deal with that and still rejoice? Well Paul opens up that for us in these next few verses. But the question that you will need to wrestle with is this one, 'What is the point of your life?'

EVENING

QUESTIONS, QUESTIONS, QUESTIONS

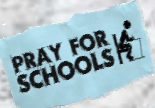
As was intimated some time back what we'll be doing in the evening services over the next few weeks is answering some of the questions that some of you have struggled with. Some questions from topics covered in Romans and others from different experiences of life. This evening we'll be looking at the whole question of the 'Desert island dilemma.' What about the person who's never heard the gospel?

'Pray for Schools Event' - Monday 26th April

St James' Middle School, Vinefields, Bury St Edmunds

Making every school a 'prayed for' school

See Notice Board for further details



BCY founded in 1990 to bridge the gap between Jesus Christ, represented by the local churches, and young people.



Message from Kath and Cyril Willetts

Thank you all for your Christian love, cards, phone calls and most of all your prayers during the time we were not well. We also want to thank the Church for the lovely flowers, good wishes and love for Cyril's 90th birthday and our 65th Wedding Anniversary – also for the many cards and those who visited us which made it a happy day and that Cyril was well enough to enjoy it. We love you all and miss you very much. God bless you.

God has been so good and blessed us in so many ways over the years. *Cyril and Kath*

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work

2 Timothy 3: 16-17



DIARY

Today 25th April

10.00am Prayer for all

10.45am & 6.30pm

Pastor Kenny

Tuesday

9.45am Busy Bees

7.30pm DNA Meetings

Wednesday

7.30pm SS Meeting

Friday

12.30 pm Pastor Kenny

Speaking at Senior Citizens

Lunch at Wetherden

6.30pm Junior & Inter FOY

8.00pm Seniors

Friday - Town Pastors

Pastor Kenny & Debbie Stannard

NEXT SUNDAY- 2nd May

10.45 am- Pastor Kenny

3.00pm- BAPTISMAL SERVICE

NO EVENING SERVICE

8.00pm Beetons Lodge

Stewards am Bruce & Charles

Prayer Meeting 4th May

7.30pm

"What it means to belong to BRBC."

CHURCH MEMBERS

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE AN IMPORTANT CHURCH MEETING AFTER THE PRAYER MEETING, AT WHICH A VOTE WILL BE TAKEN CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF DAVID & SHIRLEY ROMBERGER AS PASTORAL CO-WORKERS AND DAVID AS ELDER.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND, IF UNABLE TO COME, PLEASE OBTAIN PROXY VOTE

PAPER FROM DAVID H OR ALAN.

Please pray that we may know the Lord's will in this important vote

Nominations for Deacons—

Forms are available from David Hitchcock or Alan Drury for two places on the Diaconate. Jonathan Armstrong and Stuart Hitchcock have come to the end of their term in office

Prayer Items.

- 🌈 That we may know the Lord's will in the fulfilment of the Vision.
- 🌈 The teachers and helpers in the Sunday School as they instruct the children.
- 🌈 The development of the FOY meetings.
- 🌈 Those who work behind the scenes to ensure the good repair and safety of the buildings.
- 🌈 The Deacons in their consideration of the spiritual and material needs of the church.

WANTED

A Christian Host Family for a young Chinese student who will be studying at Culford School – please see notice board for more information or speak to Brian Burman.

Association Prayer Request - Whitton Baptist Church, Ipswich

- 1 Praise the Lord with us for the seven people who have applied for church membership.
2. Pray for people to come to our Christianity Explored course. So far we have one lady saying she definitely wants to come along; it would be great to have more! Please pray that this will be the time that she and others come to a personal faith.
3. We're coming up to crunch time for decisions regarding our building development. Please pray we'll be people of vision and wisdom, and have confidence in the Lord to make bold decisions that will enable us to continue to develop ways in which the Lord can reveal and display His glory in us and through us in our community

DO YOU REMEMBER THE FUN YOU ENJOYED AT CHAOS?

Another term has begun, and CHAOS is almost a distant memory! But remember Junior Foy is like a mini CHAOS every Friday night!



Warm Spring evenings and hot Summer ones allow for wonderful opportunities to spend time playing games on the grass at church. Stories, quizzes, and the occasional sweet are all part of an FOY night.

Why not give it a go - If you enjoyed CHAOS, you'll LOVE FOY.



Please pray:

- ✚ For Martin Lancaster's Mother who is very frail. Pray for the family as they visit.
- ✚ For Jean Gibbon, may she know the Lord's presence in a very special way.
- ✚ For those with family problems and concerns, may they feel His presence always near.
- ✚ For all school children as they enter the exam period of school life this year.