

**Please pray for:-**

Ruth Hooper who is very poorly.

Derek Martin who is preaching at Wellington Square Baptist Church in Hastings, this morning.

Lesley Proudfoot who had a cataract operation on her left eye 3 weeks ago. Unfortunately there were problems which means that she now needs laser surgery as soon as possible.  
Please pray that this treatment will be successful.  
She has also had a persistent cough for six months and recently had a chest X-Ray. She now has to see a doctor and a nurse next week because they found something on her chest x-ray.  
Please pray that it is nothing too serious.

All those going to Soul Survivor today.

Steve Willis who is still waiting to hear from the DVLA as to whether he can drive or not. Please pray that he will hear soon and it will be good news.

**Please continue to pray for the following:-**

Howard Chilton, Andrew Doherty, Peter Foord,  
Hilary Fortnam (Rachel Barton's Mum)  
Jane Green, Molly Upfield & Rose Waller

**The Persecuted Church** - To guide your prayers and support for our persecuted and often in poverty brothers and sisters in Christ, please go on the Barnabas Open Doors and NK and Beyond web sites.

# The Scroll

14 August 2011

Welcome Baptist Church

Minister - Rev Guy Partridge Youth Minister - Chris Roche  
Pastoral Worker & Administrator - Sue Lade

## Welcome Baptist Church

Our Vision Knowing Jesus - Making Him Known  
To know and make known the transforming love  
and salvation of Christ.

Our Purpose To make and unite followers of Jesus Christ,  
encouraging, equipping and releasing them for works of service.

Matthew 22:34-40 & 28:16-20 Ephesians 4:12-13

## *"Welcome to the Welcome Baptist Church Family"*

**TODAY @ WBC - 9.30 - 10.00 am** - Prayer Meeting for the Service.

**10.30 am** - The service leader and lead musician will be Phil Cole and the speaker will be Steve Willis.

**10.30 am** - Blackboys Family Service.

**6.30 pm** - Prayer Gathering - A time to wait upon the Lord.

**NEXT SUNDAY - 21/8/11 - 9.30 - 10.00 am** - Prayer Meeting for the Service.

**10.30 am** - John Goodway will be speaking.

**4.30 pm** - Blackboys Church Service.

**6.30 pm** - Prayer Meeting led by Harry Alston & Doug Prentice and we will be praying for Israel.

**6.30 pm** - Churches Together in Heathfield & District - United Service at St Catherine's Church, Heathfield.

Last Week's Offering including Standing Orders was £1,989.21  
The amount given to the Give Away Fund was £1,177.80

## **Soul Survivor - Sunday 14th August - Friday 19th August**

Please pray for the following people who are going to Soul Survivor today.

James Cole, Susannah Cole, Amy Mullen (James & Susannah's cousin), Amy Selby, Hannah Durrant, Lauren Bayly, Charlotte Nevitt, Chloe Rowlinson, Louise Birkbeck (Chloe's friend), Dan Selby, Josiah Coster & Holly Coster,

**Leaders:-** Malcolm & Mandy Love and Sally Di Fabio.

If you feel led to pray for one of the above, please put your name down on the sheet in the foyer.

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## **Summer Toddlers - This Thursday** at Welcome Baptist Church

1 pm - 3.30 pm. Ages 0 - 5 years old. Soft play, Outdoor play,

Bikes & Dolls, Craft and Messy things and Lots of Fun!

Plenty of tea and biscuits! £1 per child (max £2 per family)

If you can help with this group, please contact Chris on 07771 995877

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## **Gold D of E Expedition - 24th - 30th August**

Please pray for the following people who will be going on this expedition.

Tom Baird, Greg Ball, Luke Bodkin, Adam Davies, Daniel Miller, George Moody, Nathan Vince, Sophie Baxter, Lauren Bayly, Bryony Brooks, Susannah Cole, Hannah Mitchell, Vicky Morris, Sophie Young, Rebecca Hope, Joe Benians, James Davies, Daniela Hofer, Leon Manss, Nathan Masters, Christo Tsilifis, Quincy Clare-King, Oliver Derosa, Alex Goodsell, Robert Goswell, Sam Northwood, Robert Taylor & Jonathan Wood.

**Leaders:-** Roger & Mary Stevenson, Dave Caughley (and his children will also be going), Rafael Heeb and Dave & Beth Wright.

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**Thank You** - very much for the books you sent to Immaculate through Geraldine. We are busy reading them. Augustine has found the one about the Holy Spirit very informative. It answers a good number of questions. What is practised by different churches are just bits about the Holy Spirit. Now it is easy to piece everything together. We just love the books. They will not only have impact on our understanding and teaching but they will entirely transform our life. Thank you for your continued support.

*Augustine*

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**Refresh** - R T Kendall will be visiting Worthing Tabernacle for a series of meetings "REFRESH" on Tuesday August 30th 10 am & 7.30 pm, Wednesday August 31st 10 am & 7.30 pm and Thursday September 1st 10 am & 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome. Further details are available from the Worthing Tabernacle's website [www.worthingtab.org.uk/refresh.htm](http://www.worthingtab.org.uk/refresh.htm)

**Street Pastors/Prayer Pastors** - The riots in London and elsewhere this week serve to remind us of the need for Street Pastors. Police Officers in many of the towns where Street Pastors are working bear witness to the big reduction in crime that has resulted. Many of the Street Pastors have done much to gain the respect and friendship from young people who so often feel looked down upon. Here in Heathfield our Street Pastors go out at about 7.30 pm till 11 pm each Friday evening. They meet in the Union Church where the Prayer Pastors are on duty for the evening but we need more pray-ers. Could you drop in to join us for a while on a Friday evening? Not only is this God's work showing the love of Jesus to those around us, it gradually results in an improvement in the relationship between young and old on the streets of our town. The Heathfield Parish Council recognised this by awarding our Street Pastors a special certificate of thanks for their work. Is this a form of service God is calling you to join? Your town needs you, but - more important - God needs you in His service. So why not drop in for a few minutes on a Friday evening and join those on duty?

Arnold

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You have found it almost impossible to feed your family with your basic food - maize flour - at 18 pence/day. What happens when it goes up to 64 pence/day and your income stays where it is? Or your week's supply of sugar has gone from 2 pence/day to 20 pence/day? These may look like small figures to us but they are huge increases. Imagine your basic food prices going up by between 3½ to 10 times in the last three months and your income standing still or going down. How would you cope?

And with little rain your meagre crops aren't doing too well either. It won't be long before you are stripping leaves off bushes to boil up for your evening meal as you would have done in 2009. Oh, and as a tenant subsistence farmer you are likely to be forcibly moved from your home in the next couple of months as your already wealthy landlord can sell it to a developer for more than £4,500/acre (that's about 20 years of basic daily food for your family). So even the little bit of space round your rather derelict home in which you grow a little bit of food will have disappeared as well.

4,000 people in Kabubbu are facing this dilemma now - today!

Please pray for the Kabubbu Development Project under the leadership of Enoch Kagoda that he and his team will continue to be 'the arms of God's love around the poor and needy' as they seek to provide meals for the 1,000 children in school and help the wider community to have some basic food to eat and to keep their one or two roomed home to live in.

**Thank you. Geoff Booker, Quicken Trust**