

Please pray for:-

Roger & Lesley Dann who are going to Kenya this Thursday where they will be visiting all 3 projects (100 + children over all). Roger is there for 2 weeks and Lesley is there for 6 weeks.

Specific Prayer is that they get land for Meru to start the second build, as these children are still on the streets but being fed by Harambee. Also Lesley and Jackie (Trustee) are going to endeavour to get the 8 older boys set up with work and homes, thus moving them on into the world as young adults.

Peter Foord who is now on a new treatment. Please pray that this treatment will be effective. Please also pray for **June** who will be having her hip operation on 15th April.

Tony Pinfold who is now allowed to drive again much to his delight. He now has an appointment for an MRI scan in June and also to see the Consultant. Thanks for all your prayers.

Steve Willis who will be travelling up to Guy's Hospital in London on Wednesday to get the results of the 2 scans he had in March. Please pray that the results will show that he only has one tumour which will be treatable by radiotherapy, and that there will be no more delays and that they will get on with the radiotherapy by the end of April at the latest.

Please continue to pray for the following:-

Howard Chilton, Hilary Fortnam (Rachel Barton's Mum), Jane Green, Ruth Hooper, Serena Pinfold & 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

3 April 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 - MOTHERING SUNDAY - The service leader will be Phil Cole, the speaker will be Guy Partridge and lead musician will be Janet Cole. This service will also include Communion and Angela Morris and Paul & Jane Hunt will be brought into Membership.

5.00 pm - Blackboys Church Service.

6.30 pm - Prayer Meeting led by Maureen Saunders and Mick Wilding. We will be praying for our Missionaries.

6.30 - 8.00 pm - Lenten Reflections at Heathfield Community Centre - MEETING TOGETHER - A Significant Meal. Presented by Jacob Vince

NEXT SUNDAY - 10/4/11 - 9.30 - 10.00 am - Prayer Meeting for the Service.

10.30 am - David Bonnick will be speaking.

5.00 pm - Blackboys Church Service.

6.30 pm - Prayer Meeting led by Rob Kendall and Steve Willis and we will be praying for the Persecuted Church.

6.30 - 8.00 pm - Lenten Reflections at Heathfield Community Centre - MEETING IN OBEDIENCE - Watch and Pray. Presented by Canon Paul Cox

Ladies Coffee Morning - We will be meeting this Friday and we will be going out for lunch at the Beehive. We will meet there at 12.00. If any ladies who have not been to our coffee mornings before but would like to join us, you would be more than welcome but please let Sue Lade know **today** as we need to book tables.

Lunch Next Sunday - If you are on your own next Sunday, for whatever reason, you would be more than welcome to join with us for lunch following the morning service. For catering purposes, please let Sue Lade know if you would like to come.

5 May Alternative Vote Referendum - Do you know what you are voting for? In May we get to vote, and depending how we vote, it might change the way we vote. Christians hold strong opinions both for and against AV. As part of a national campaign to get people debating the Referendum, Charities Parliament is running an event at Gloucester Place Baptist Church in Brighton on Friday, 15th April 6.30 - 8.30 pm.

Auction of Promises - Saturday 30th April here at the church
Money raised will be put towards a new church mini bus.

**Ofsted Report for Pre-School under the heading of:-
The overall effectiveness of the early years provision**
Overall the quality of the provision is Good.

Children have fun as they play happily with their friends in the safe, welcoming environment. Their individual care and learning needs are very well recognised and addressed and, as a result they are making good progress in all areas. Effective self-evaluation supports the manager and staff team to identify the strengths and weakness of the provision and very positive relationships exist with parents, carers and other professionals encouraging a good exchange of information.

**Well Done to Sue Pinfold, Jessica Gadsden, Emelye Snowdon,
Sally Di Fabio & Rachel Collins-Wood**

Tesco & Sainsbury's Vouchers - Our Pre-School are collecting Tesco & Sainsbury vouchers. If you have any, please put them in the boxes in the foyer.
Thank You.

Quicken Trust - It may seem quiet at Quicken Trust but there is a lot going on behind the scenes.

CONGRATULATIONS - Our first group of 11 students recently received their A level results and 9 have high enough grades to go to University - not bad in a country where only 14% complete their education.

WINNIE will return to Uganda in July after completing O levels, she will then train as a State Enrolled Nurse.

ST BEDE'S have kindly extended their scholarship to a 3rd student and Dan will arrive in the UK in September for a 2 year O level course.

PESTALOZZI INTERNATIONAL VILLAGE has kindly offered a scholarship to Christopher and he will take the International Baccalaureate exams there (equivalent to, but broader based than A levels).

HELP NEEDED - A host family for 3 half terms a year is kindly requested.

SAD NEWS - On a very sad note, we have recently lost 3 young mothers in childbirth. The latest one was this week, who attended an antenatal clinic in Kabubbu Health Centre and was advised to go to hospital. Instead she listened to an unqualified nursing aide living nearby in the village centre, who offered her mumbo jumbo support and then realised too late that she could not help her dying neighbour.
PLEASE PRAY for 3 small children aged 7, 4 and 2 now without a mother.

There will be more news Easter week when the Quicken Trust newsletter will be posted out.

Geoff & Geraldine Booker

Free - Free - Free - 2 seater cane settee, four ft long and two and a half ft wide. If you are interested, please ring Peter & June Foord.

Last Week's Offering including Standing Orders was £1,593.73

Can you help? - The new shed which is used by our young people for the Norfolk Broads sailing holiday, needs clean, 2 feet 6 inch mattresses. If you can help, please speak to Mary Stevenson.