

Please pray for:-

Jen Betts who is in hospital. Please pray for her recovery and continue to pray for Steve & Ian (Jen's son).

Howard Chilton who has an appointment with the oncologist on Tuesday when they will decide what treatment to give him.

Holly Coster who is in Morocco with YWAM.

Hilary Fortnam (Rachel Barton's Mum) who is now home from hospital. Please pray for the strength in her legs to come back and pray for Rachel's dad as he cares for her.

Bryony Tanner who is doing well. She has a check up on 27th February to see how everything is progressing.

Molly Upfield whose latest test results have drawn a blank and she has been put back on a very low dose of thyroid medication which is making her unwell and she is already suffering the same side effects as before and cannot eat hot food again due to the burning reflux. **Lucy Upfield** who is still waiting for a decision from Kings hospital as to what to do about the pains in her head. Please also pray for Mark, Karen & George as it is really difficult for all the family.

Please continue to pray for the following:-

**Andrew Doherty, Peter Foord, Jane Green, Ruth Hooper,
Serena Pinfold, Rose Waller & Steve Willis.**

**Heathfield Street Pastors Prayer Team -
Caring, Listening, Helping**

Prayer Times - Friday nights 7.20 - 11.00 pm in the Union Church lounge.
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The Scroll

5 February 2012

Welcome Baptist Church

**Minister - Rev Guy Partridge, Schools & Children's Worker - Chris Roche
Pastoral Worker & Administrator - Sue Lade**

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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 speaker will be Guy Partridge and the lead musician will be Jonathan Tanner.
This service will include Communion.

4.30 pm - Blackboys Church Service.

6.00 pm - SAS at the home of Greg & Sue Durrant.

TOMORROW NIGHT - Prayer Meeting 8.00 - 9.00 pm.

We will be meeting every Monday night in the main hall.
See inside the Scroll for more details.

NEXT SUNDAY - 12/2/12 - 9.30 - 10.00 am - Prayer Meeting for the Service.

10.30 am - David Bonnick will be speaking.

4.30 pm - Blackboys Church Service.

6.00 pm - SAS at the home of Greg & Sue Durrant.

A NEW WAY to PRAY - At our recent annual communion & covenant service we made the promise *'to watch over each other & to walk together before God in ways known & still to be made known.'*

There are many ways in which we can practically do this but one way is to pray for one another. As someone called David Hubbard once said *'The purest form of love is given with no expectation of return.'*

Measured by that standard earnest prayer for others is a magnificent act of love.'

In our own church fellowship there are many people with urgent & pressing needs for prayer, including children & family, work & finances and physical & emotional health. Although we may have prayed for them both individually & in small groups I have felt convicted by God that we must now stand together corporately as well. Praying with & for those who are suffering & struggling (1 Cor. 12:26).

Therefore during February, March & April I am calling the church to pray together for one another. We will meet every Monday night* in the main hall at 8.00-9.00pm. During this period there will be no official Life Group meetings & the usual Sunday night prayer will also stop taking place. The meetings will be led by myself, they will be focused & will include some teaching & guidance on prayer. They will not be boring, they will not be dominated by one or two people praying & we will not be praying for Aunt Nelly's swollen big toe! We will pray in groups with a maximum of 12 people in.

So please make every effort to come as often as you can & please let me know of any specific requests you would like us to call out to God for where you need his breakthrough and blessing.

May God bless you abundantly, Guy

*There will be a **Members Meeting on February 27th** which will include a dedicated time of prayer.

There will not be a prayer meeting on Easter Bank Holiday, 9th April.

Last Week's Offering including Standing Orders was £1,300.13

Cedars - Thursday 16th February - 2 pm at the Church
With a return visit by the much enjoyed - **CROFTON CHOIR** from Orpington.

We will also be hearing about **GRANNIES IN UGANDA** from the Quicken Trust. More details about this exciting project next week. We will also be having our usual tea!!

Women's World Day Of Prayer - Friday 2nd March
St Richard's Church at 10.30 am - More details to follow.

Bible by the Beach - 4 - 7 May 2012 - The theme for 2012 is **'Christ in All the Scriptures'** and speakers include Stephen Gaukroger (Clarion Trust), Alec Motyer, David Jackman, Andy Hawthorne (The Message) and many others. Sung worship will be led by Stuart Townend. There are leaflets available in the foyer with more information.

Big Church Day Out - June 2nd & 3rd 2012
at Wiston House, West Sussex.

Featuring - Casting Crowns, Matt Redman, Worship Central with Tim Hughes, Newsboys, Martin Smith, Phil Wickham, Leeland, Gungor, Israel Houghton, Rend Collective Experiment, Muiywa, Lou Fellingham & Phatfish, Jahaziel, Newworldson, LZ7, Guvna B and many more.....
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Used Stamps - If you have any used stamps that you do not need, please can you give them to Doug or Rachel Prentice so they can sell them to raise funds for the 'Brittle Bone Society'.
Over £1,000 was raised last year.

Help Needed - We are in need of helpers for some of our church groups.

Minisorts need a helper for Sunday mornings.

Allsorts need a helper for Tuesday evenings and Sunday mornings.

Toddlers who are desperately in need of more helpers.

If you can help, please speak to Luci Partridge or Chris Roche.