

Prayer Points and Information

The season of Advent allows us to prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus and the celebrations of the Christmas period. Let's pray for each other, that this will prove to be a special time for us as individual disciples and in the life of the church as a whole.

Continue to pray for ongoing recovery and strength for all those who have been or are currently suffering in different ways.

Give thanks to God for the rich diversity of the church in Britain, drawn from so many ethnic and denominational backgrounds, seeking to serve faithfully the people in their area.

Remember in prayer, and be grateful for those in our communities who carry out sometimes unpleasant laborious tasks, including: recycling and refuse collectors and those on landfill sites, street cleaners, sewerage engineers, construction, demolition and agricultural workers, and operators of heavy machinery.

The history of BMS dates back over 200 years to William Carey leaving the UK to share the gospel in India. The flow of mission at that time was 'from the West to the rest', whereas now mission is 'from everywhere to everywhere'. Pray for the Mission Community – a group of mission leaders from across the UK that BMS is a part of – as they consider how to engage effectively in mission across the world, and see what they can learn from the experience of cross-cultural mission and the world church.

CONTACTS FOR CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday Morning Bible Study*Sue Blake*
Wednesday Fellowship*Hazel Gordon*
Breaking Bread*Charmaine Howard*
Girls' Brigade*Ruth Rego*
Focus For Men*John Howard*
Youth Group.....*Charmaine Howard*

Contacts for Pastoral Issues

Margaret Carey and Charmaine Howard

Please avoid contacting Charmaine on a Monday, as it is her day off.

www.npbk.uk.com

NPBC is a member of the Baptist Union of Great Britain

Northolt Park Baptist Church

Eastcote Lane, Northolt, UB5 4HN
020 8422 8446 • office@npbchurch.f2s.com



13 December 2015

Our congregation is made up of ordinary people meeting together to worship God. We are united in our faith in, and love for, the Lord Jesus Christ, and hope that you sense the presence and power of the Spirit of God as you worship with us.

Refreshments are served after the service, so please stay for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*'Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel,
because he has come to his people and redeemed them.
He has raised up a horn of salvation for us
in the house of his servant David
(as he said through his holy prophets of long ago),
salvation from our enemies
and from the hand of all who hate us –
to show mercy to our ancestors
and to remember his holy covenant,
the oath he swore to our father Abraham.'*

Luke 1:68-73

13 December 2015

10.30am **Family & Parade Service**
Speaker: Charmaine Howard

7.30pm **Prayer Meeting**

Regular Activities

Tuesday	10.00am	Tuesday Morning Bible Study <i>Meets at the church</i>
Wednesday	1.45pm	Wednesday Fellowship <i>Meets the first Wednesday of each month at the church</i>
	7.30pm	Breaking Bread <i>Meets at the church on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month</i>
Thursday	6.00pm	Girls Brigade <i>Meets at the church</i>
Friday	7.30pm	Worship Group <i>Meets at the church</i>
Saturday	10.00am	Focus For Men <i>Meets the first Saturday of each month for a walk and lunch</i>

20 December 2015

10.30am **Communion Service**
Speaker: Charmaine Howard

6.00pm **Carols by Candlelight**

Notices

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Tuesday Morning Bible Study restarts on 5 January 2016 at 10.00am

Other Notices

Sunday 13 December, 3.00pm
Start your Christmas in the lounge of Wimborne Court with the Dean Avenue Songsters!

Sunday 20 December, 6.00pm
Carols by Candlelight

Friday 25 December, 10.30am
Christmas Day Service

Please see the notice board at the back of the church for any forthcoming local events.



Sunday Services in December-January

20 December
Communion Service
Charmaine Howard speaking
6.00pm – *Carols by Candlelight Service*

27 December
Charmaine Howard speaking

3 January
Martin Hopwood speaking