

# Prayer Points and Information

Let's continue to pray for God's blessing on those affected by ill-health or who are struggling in other ways.

Pray for the church groups and organisations which take a break from their regular meeting over the summer weeks. Ask that God will bless the opportunity to pause and rest from the routine, and that they will resume with renewed energy and excitement.

Saturday 20 August is International Mosquito Day. Pray about the worrying spread of the Zika virus – described by the World Health Organisation as a 'public health emergency of international concern'. Ask God to help those working to stop the Aedes mosquito that spreads this disease and to find effective vaccines to fight it.

Pray that any future British Bill of Rights will unequivocally defend religious freedom. Pray for Christians to work effectively with those in Parliament and other places of influence.

Pray for Christians throughout the world who are being persecuted – that God would give them grace to endure injustice and ill-treatment with faith and patience. Pray for those in prison and their families to be protected and provided for.

Pray for justice to be done in different parts of the world: (1) for BMS access to justice work in Uganda, particularly for Linda Darby working on land and gender rights in northern Uganda; (2) for just outcomes and sustainable peace in Syria, particularly for the inclusion of refugees displaced by the Syrian conflict; (3) for BMS mission workers Annet Ttendo Miller, Damien Miller and Kathy Russell, working on access to justice programmes in Mozambique.

## CONTACTS FOR CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday Morning Bible Study .....*Sue Blake*

Wednesday Fellowship .....*Hazel Gordon*

Breaking Bread .....*To be confirmed*

Girls' Brigade .....*Ruth Rego*

## Contacts for Pastoral Issues

*Margaret Carey, Josephine Morris, Janet Yau*

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**14 August 2016**

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

*Teach me your way, LORD,  
that I may rely on your faithfulness;  
give me an undivided heart,  
that I may fear your name.  
I will praise you, Lord my God, with all my heart;  
I will glorify your name forever.  
For great is your love toward me;  
you have delivered me from the depths,  
from the realm of the dead.'*

Psalm 86:11-13

**14 August 2016**

10.30am **Family Service**  
*Speaker: Martin Hopwood*

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>
	8.00pm	Breaking Bread <i>Meets at the church on alternate Wednesdays</i>
Thursday	6.00pm	Girls Brigade <i>Meets at the church</i>
Friday	7.30pm	Worship Group <i>Meets at the church</i>

**21 August 2016**

10.30am **Communion Service**  
*Speaker: To be confirmed*

7.30pm **Prayer Meeting**

**Notices**

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study**

Next meeting on 6 September, 10.00am

**Wednesday Fellowship**

Next meeting on 7 September, 1.45pm

Sue Blake leading

Please share with us about your holiday and/or bring a poem or a short story

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



**Sunday Services in August-September**

21 August  
*Communion Service*  
*Speaker to be confirmed*

28 August  
*Bryan Smith speaking*

4 September  
*Antony Billington speaking*

11 September  
*Family & Parade Service*  
*Maureen Hider speaking*

18 September  
*Communion Service*  
*Martin Hopwood speaking*