

# Prayer Points and Information

Pray for strength and grace for those who have been suffering – physically, emotionally, and in other ways – that they would know the presence of God with them.

Pray for wisdom for Maureen Hider and the team from our church – Emma Billington, Sue Blake, Josephine Morris, and Paul Simpson – as they talk together and meet possible candidates in our ongoing search for a new pastor.

Ask God to grant wisdom to Caroline Nokes MP, responsible for Welfare Delivery within the Department for Work and Pensions. Pray that she will establish just and efficient ways to support the unacceptable numbers of vulnerable children affected by poverty.

Monday 20 February is World Day of Social Justice. Let's pray for Christian organisations like Compassion, Tearfund, Toy Box, Viva, World Vision and the thousands of smaller charities, church initiatives and other groups dedicated to helping vulnerable children and improving their life chances.

Let's pray for fellow Christians around the world who pay a high price to follow Jesus, that God would sustain them.

Give thanks for staff at the BMS International Mission Centre (IMC) who create a hospitable environment for BMS World Mission workers in training and other guests. Pray for community life at IMC, that it would be an expression of God's kingdom, BMS values, and a safe space for growth and reflection. Pray too for directors Claire and Mark Ord leading IMC, as their team develops it as a place of training, mission thinking, and hospitality.

## 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

*Josephine Morris and Janet Yau*

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# Northolt Park Baptist Church

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**19 February 2017**

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

*'The king rejoices in your strength, LORD.  
How great is his joy in the victories you give!  
You have granted him his heart's desire  
and have not withheld the request of his lips.  
You came to greet him with rich blessings  
and placed a crown of pure gold on his head.  
He asked you for life, and you gave it to him –  
length of days, for ever and ever.'*

Psalm 21:1-4

## 19 February 2017

10.30am

### Communion Service

*Speaker: Antony Billington*

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>

## 26 February 2017

10.30am

### Morning Worship

*Speaker: Olu Falowo*

7.30pm

### Prayer Meeting

## Notices

### In Memory of Dot Boylin

For any who would like to do so, the family have asked for donations to Alzheimer's research. These can be made online via [www.alzheimersresearchuk.org](http://www.alzheimersresearchuk.org), or via the undertaker (mentioning Dot's name): M. & J. Didcock Funeral Services, 15-17 Park Road, Didcot, OX11 8QL. The address for Dot's daughter is: Kathleen Webb, 65 Park Road, Didcot, OX11 8QT.

Wednesday 1 March, 1.45pm

Wednesday Fellowship

Led by Margaret Reynolds • The theme is water

Sunday 19 March, after fellowship lunch

Church Members' Meeting

Saturday 25 March, 9.30am onwards

Church Fabric Day

Please sign the job list at the back of the church, come for any part of the day, as long or as short as is convenient, to help out with cleaning, polishing, fixing, mending, weeding, etc.

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



### Sunday Services in February

26 February

*The Lord Reigns in the Lions' Den (Daniel 6)*  
*Olu Falowo speaking*