## **Prayer Points and Information**

Let's pray for ourselves and each other – that we will take new steps on our journey with Christ during 2014. Ask God that the good news of salvation will flood our lives and our church with life, love, hope, and a desire to see other people come to know him for themselves.

Pray for Christians whose beliefs about certain issues may result in dismissal from a job or legal action against them.

In the light of the increasingly toxic pollution of the air, oceans, lakes and rivers, pray that the relevant people within national governments, industry and agriculture, would agree to work together for a cleaner environment. Ask God to prosper the work of A Rocha and Christian Ecology Link, which address important environmental concerns from a Christian perspective, encouraging prayer and action – at local community and global level.

Over the Christmas period, what appears to have started as a political argument has descended into military rebellion in South Sudan, one of the world's poorest countries. This has resulted in heavy fighting with at least 1,000 people killed and a further 180,000 displaced. Pray that the peace talks due to take place imminently will result in real and lasting peace. Pray too for the many people who are fearing for their lives, and those who have left their homes or lost loved ones in the last few weeks because of the ethnic unrest and fighting.

#### CONTACTS FOR CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday Morning Bible Study	Sue Blake
Wednesday Fellowship	Margaret Carey
Wednesday Evening Fellowship	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.npbc.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



### **5 January 2014**

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 God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will – to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves.'

Ephesians 1:3-6

#### **5 January 2014**

10.30am Morning Worship

Speaker: To be confirmed

**No Youth Group** 

7.30pm **Prayer Meeting** 

## **Weekly Activities**

Tuesday	10.00am	Tuesday Morning Bible Study Meets at the church
Wednesday	1.45pm	Wednesday Fellowship Meets the first Wednesday of each month at the church
	8.00pm	Wednesday Evening Fellowship Meets at the church
Thursday	6.00pm	Girls Brigade Meets at the church
Friday	7.30pm	Worship Group Meets at the church
Saturday	10.00am	Focus For Men Meets the first Saturday of each month for a walk and lunch

#### 12 January 2014

10.30am Family & Parade Service

Speaker: To be confirmed

5.00pm Youth Group

7.30pm **Prayer Meeting** 

## **Notices**

Tuesday 7 January, 10.00am Tuesday Morning Bible Study Studying Numbers 15:32-16:50 • All welcome

Sunday 12 January, 3.30pm Short Service at Wimborne Court Led by Hope Community Church All welcome • Light refreshments afterwards

Tuesday 14 January, 7.30-9.00pm Open Meeting at St Mellitus Church, Hanwell (on the corner of Church Road and Uxbridge Road, W7 3BA) for anyone interested in finding out more about the Ealing Foodbank in Hanwell

Sunday 26 January, 2.00pm after lunch Church Members' Meeting Please sign the list at the back of the church if you are able to bring food or drink to share for lunch

Please see the notice board in the entrance foyer for any forthcoming local events.

