

## ITEMS FOR PRAYER WITH PASTORAL AND OTHER NEWS

4 June 2017

# Upton Vale

BAPTIST CHURCH

### This Morning

**10.30am: Morning Celebration**

**Preacher:** Joel Ward

**Bible Passage:** 1 Corinthians 14:26 & 2 Corinthians 5:19-21

*“Worship Through the Holy Spirit”*

**4pm: Songs of Praise with Communion**

**Preacher:** David Coffey

**Bible Passage:** John 7:37-39 & Acts 2: 1-13

*“Keep in Step with the Spirit”*

### Next Sunday, 11 June

**10.30am: Morning Celebration**

**7pm: Evening Celebration**

**Preacher:** Dianne Tidball

Dianne is the newly appointed President of the Baptist Union.

### An Office Goodbye & Hello

Judith Baker starts her maternity leave on 4<sup>th</sup> June. *“Thank you Jude for all the great work that you have done and for your inspirational leadership. You are a hard act to follow.”*

Pray for Martin Dean as he takes over from Jude. His email address here at Church Office is [martin@uptonvale.org.uk](mailto:martin@uptonvale.org.uk)

**Visitors** We give a warm welcome to all visitors. Please visit the Welcome Desk and pick up a leaflet which describes what happens here at UV for adults and children. The Welcome Team can be found wearing orange lanyards and will be happy to answer any questions, including guiding you to the correct group for your children. Please complete a blue visitors card if you would like to keep in touch and leave it at one of the coffee points or at the Welcome Desk.

### Student Prayer

Prayer guide available at the Welcome Desk  
Students still taking exams so please keep on praying.

Day	Psm	N.T .	Bible Reading and Prayer Guide
Sun	94	Jas. 5	Mayor, Councillors & Police in Manchester
Mon	95	1 Pet. 1	Other local Churches
Tue	96	1 Pet. 2	The South West Baptist Assn. team based in Exeter
Wed	97	1 Pet. 3	The work of the Samaritans of Torbay
Thu	98	1 Pet. 4	The General Election & New Government: Romans 13:1-7
Fri	99	1 Pet. 5	Torbay Drug & Alcohol service
Sat	100	2 Pet 1	Young people preparing for exams

#### UV Staff

Rich Webb (Senior Pastor)  
Joel Ward (Youth Pastor)  
Ele Hine (Families)  
Paul Hine (Children)  
Martin Dean (Premises/Office)  
Sue Maloney (Office)  
Mat Miller (Caretaking)  
Annette Harpham  
(Celebration Team Leader)  
Sally Parsons (CAP Manager)  
Lorna Day (Cook)

#### UV Elders

Martin Brace, Andrew Fordyce,  
Wendy John, David Jones,  
Becky Stockley, Sally Sutton.

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Our Church Office is normally open  
9am - 3pm  
Monday - Thursday  
and 9am - 1pm Friday

#### Useful Information

A radio loop exists for hearing aids.

Sermons can be downloaded from our website or purchased on CD for £1 from the Welcome Desk.

**Cottage Cafe** Open 11am to 2pm, Monday to Friday for tea, coffee, cakes, light lunches and Christian greeting cards. Run by volunteers, all profits go to overseas projects.

Our prayer team (blue lanyards) can be found at the front of the church after the service if you feel you would like prayer ministry.

## THE WEEK AHEAD AT UV

Small Groups meet on different days/times. For more info see notice board or contact Martyn/Sheila Wheeler on 463591 or email [martynandsheila@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:martynandsheila@yahoo.co.uk)

<b>MON</b> 5 June	12noon 1.30 - 2.45pm 6.30 - 8pm 7.15pm	Monday Lunches (65+) in the Main Hall CAMEO (65+) in the Main Hall Junior Boys Brigade in the Sports Hall CLT in the Beacon Lounge
<b>TUES</b> 6 June	7.30 - 8am 2.15 - 3.45pm 6.30 - 9.30pm	Prayer Meeting in the Beacon Lounge Daytime Small Group in the Beacon Lounge Senior Boys Brigade (11-18yrs) in the Sports Hall
<b>WED</b> 7 June	9.45 - 11.45am 6 - 7.30pm 6.15 - 7.30pm 7.30 - 9.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Coffee Plus & Parenting Course at the Greenwell's TOAST Youth Club (11-13yrs) in the Basement Ignite (7-11yrs) Main Hall - Uni Hoc Challenge Youth Night (13-18yrs) in the Basement Life Explored Course at the Stockley's Prayer for Persecuted Church in the Cottage Cafe
<b>THUR</b> 8 June	10am-12noon 10am-12noon 7pm	CAP Drop-In in the Beacon Lounge Morning Out Toddler Group in the Main Hall Lead to Change in the Main Hall
<b>FRI</b> 9 June	9.30 - 11am 5.45 - 7.15pm 7.15 - 10pm 8.15pm	Just for Women in the Beacon Lounge Gen 15,16 & 21 Anchors (Boys 5-8yrs) in the Sports Hall Senior Boys Brigade (11-18yrs) in the Sports Hall Men's Football at Torquay Boys Grammar School
<b>SAT</b> 10 June	8am	Prayer Meeting in the Riviera Room

### CAP

Pray for Jonathan Wise as he joins Sally Parsons in the CAP office. Pray for volunteers to be available and for new referrals to our CAP Debt Centre.

### For Ladies: Tuesday 13 June

**Ladies Social:** - Spa and Swim at Pentire, Dartmouth Road, Paignton.

Come anytime between 6-9 pm and enjoy a relaxing evening. You need to sign up at the welcome desk as places will be limited! For more info or to book call Kate Eaton on 01803 782728.

### For Men: weekend of 23 - 25 June

**Christian Vision for Men (CVM) Annual Gathering** at Swindon

For more info and to book go to [www.thegatheringformen.com](http://www.thegatheringformen.com)

## Church Membership

We are aware that becoming a member at Upton Vale has not been straightforward in the past. We are about to launch a new process which will make it simpler and easier. If you are a baptised believer or equivalent in another Church tradition (e.g. confirmed) and believe Upton Vale is your spiritual home, membership here could be for you!

We'll be running several brief membership sessions on Sundays: 11, 18 or 25 June from 12noon onwards. If you'd like to register your interest for one of these sessions (you only need to attend one) please email [community@uptonvale.org.uk](mailto:community@uptonvale.org.uk) or sign up at the welcome desk for further details.

## New Worship Song for June

Our new worship song, Pocketful of Faith, is a prayer song which ties in with our "All In" theme. In the Bible Jesus talks about the power of a small amount of faith - likened to the size of a mustard seed (Matt 17:20, Luke 17:6). When we bring even our small faith to Him, and commit to living wholeheartedly for Jesus, He honours that and great things happen. Here's a link to help us learn the song: -

: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kskdGovofTM>

## Claire Bedford - Home Assignment - Pray for Safety in Travel

Home assignment for BMS Missionaries means travelling the country visiting Churches that have promised to support them in prayer and other practical ways. Claire will be visiting the following churches: -

Thursday 15th June - 7.30pm - South Molton Baptist Church  
 Sunday 18th June - 11.15am - Kirkwall Baptist Church, Orkney  
 Friday 23rd June - 12pm - Lydbrook Baptist Church, Nr Gloucester  
 Sunday 25th June - 10.30am - Stroud Baptist Church  
 Sunday 25th June - 6pm - Moriah Baptist Church, Risca, South Wales  
 Sunday 2nd July - 10.45am - Robert Hall Baptist Church, Leicester  
 Sunday 2nd July - 6pm - West Hucknall Baptist Church, Nr Nottingham  
 Saturday 8th July - 6.30pm - Belle Vue Baptist Church, Southend-on-Sea  
 Sunday 9th July - 11am - Canvey Island Baptist Church  
 Sunday 9th July - 6.30pm - Westcliff Baptist Church, Westcliff-on-Sea  
 Tuesday 11th July - 2.30pm - Folkestone Baptist Church  
 Sunday 16th July - 10.30am - Penrallt Baptist Church, Bangor, North Wales