

ITEMS FOR PRAYER WITH PASTORAL AND OTHER NEWS

17 September 2017

Upton Vale

BAPTIST CHURCH

Those unwell or in need of prayer: John Hine, Ann Hughes, Jenny Green, Valerie Bailey and Linda Want.

In Ministry elsewhere: *Today:* Leonard Mason at Buckfastleigh Methodist, *Next Sunday:* Steve Cosslett at Stoke Gabriel BC. Leonard Mason at Hr.Teignmouth Fellowship.

Unable to get out regularly: Mavis Bumford, Myra Clapp & Gwenda Thomas.

Answers to Prayer – If you have seen answers to prayers (big or little) recent or on-going, we would love to know. Please write yours down on the testimony cards and post them on the board which is out in the Link.

Day	Psm	N.T.	Bible Reading and Prayer Guide
Sun	46	Rom 11	Elders with extra demands during interregnum
Mon	47	Rom 12	The people of Mexico following earthquake & tsunami
Tue	48	Rom 13	Christians working in the media - TV & Journalism
Wed	49	Rom 14	People of the Caribbean & USA following hurricane
Thu	50	Rom 15	Thanks for thriving work with children & young people
Fri	51	Rom 16	Torbay Council, The Mayor & MP Kevin Foster
Sat	52	Rom 17	Those starting new schools and at University

UV Staff	Contact Details	Useful Information
Joel Ward (Youth Pastor) Ele Hine (Families) Paul Hine (Children) Martin Dean (Administration) Sue Maloney (Office) Mat Miller (Caretaking) Annette Harpham (Celebrations) Sally Parsons (CAP Manager) Jon Wise (CAP Coach)	Upton Vale Baptist Church St Marychurch Road, Torquay, TQ1 3HY Tel: 01803 400403 community@ uptonvale.org.uk www.uptonvale.org.uk	<p>A radio loop exists for hearing aids.</p> <p>Sermons can be downloaded from our website or purchased on CD for £1 from the Welcome Desk.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>The Pastoral Action Team are able to facilitate prayer support at other times during the week. Contact – pastoral@uptonvale.org.uk or leave a message at the welcome desk or with the church office.</p>
UV Elders Martin Brace, Andrew Fordyce, Wendy John, David Jones, Rachel Martin, Becky Stockley, Sally Sutton.	Our Church Office is normally open 9am - 3pm Monday - Thursday and 9am - 1pm Friday	

This Morning

10.30am: Morning Celebration
Preacher: David Coffey
Bible Passage: Genesis 50:15-26
 & Hebrews 11:22
"God Intended it for Good"

This Evening

7pm: The Forge
Speaker: Joel Ward
Bible Passage: Isaiah 46:1-7
"He Who Sustains"

Next Sunday, 24 September

10.30am: Morning Celebration & Communion
7pm: Evening Celebration led by Ladies Action Team

Filming for New Church Video Next Sunday Morning, 24th September

The footage is intended to be used only within the church building. No footage will be used on social media or the website without the express consent of those featured. Filming will be taking place before the morning celebration as people arrive at church in the Link; and in the main church sanctuary before and during worship. We may ask some individuals if they are happy to be shown in close-up shots, but the majority of the footage is likely to be a 'crowd scene'. If you would prefer not to be filmed at all, please avoid the area where you see the filming taking place. If you have any concerns, please speak to Steve Cayley, Annette Harpham, or in the case of a safeguarding issue, Ele Hine our safeguarding officer or any other members of the safeguarding team.

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.

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

MON 18 Sept	12 noon 1.30 – 2.45pm 6.30 – 8pm 7.15pm	Monday Lunches (65+) in the Main Hall Cameo (65+) Nikki Dodd – Age UK, in the Main Hall Junior Boys Brigade in the Sports Hall CLT in the Beacon Lounge
TUES 19 Sept	7.30 - 8am 2.15 - 3.45pm 6.30 – 9.30pm	Prayer Meeting in the Beacon Lounge Daytime Small Group in Beacon Lounge Senior Boys Brigade (11–18yrs) in the Sports Hall
WED 20 Sept	6 – 7.30pm 6.15 – 7.30pm 7.15pm 7.30 – 9.30pm	TOAST Youth Club (11-13yrs) in the Basement Ignite (7–11 yrs) Volley Catch Challenge in Main Hall Fresh Hope in the Lymington Room. Youth Night (13-18yrs) Movie Night in the Basement
THUR 21 Sept	10am -12noon 10am–12noon	CAP Drop-In in the Riviera Room Morning Out Toddler Group in the Main Hall
FRI 22 Sept	10am – 12noon 5.45 – 7.15pm 7.15 – 10pm 8.15pm	Parentalk in the Chelston Room. See note on page 3. Anchors (Boys 5–8yrs) in the Sports Hall Senior Boys' Brigade (11–18yrs) in the Sports Hall Men's Football at Boys Grammar School
SAT 23 Sept	8.30am	Boys' Brigade in visit to Puxton Park as part of Junior 100 anniversary celebrations

Next Church Meeting: Sunday 1 October after Morning Celebration

Thanks for the encouraging attendance at previous meetings. We aim to keep the timings short so that families can stay without feeling pressurised. The agenda for this meeting consists of just two but nevertheless important items. Updates on the ministry journey of Steve Cosslett and an update on Upton Vale becoming a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO). We look forward to seeing you all.

Baptismal Service on 29 October

The next Baptismal Service is going to be on Sunday 29 October (morning). If you have been thinking about being baptised, please talk with Joel Ward or any member of the Eldership and Leadership Teams. If you are interested, it would be helpful to know this by the end of this month as this will help in preparing for this very significant event.

“Encounter” Ladies Weekend – 2^{to} 4 February 2018

Bookings now being taken for the Encounter weekend at Okehampton Youth Hostel. It's open to all ladies aged 18 and over. Total cost is £60. Places are limited so book early with your £20 deposit to secure your spot. (Final payment is due in November). Please see Becky Stockley for further information. There will be a sign up sheet at the Welcome Desk from Sunday 17th September with details on how to pay for your place.

Calling All Parents of Young children – “Parentalk”

Our six week Parentalk course starts on Friday 22nd September from 10am to midday. It's a relaxed and informal way of “helping parents do the best job they can at bringing up their children.” Sessions are: It's not just me, Love them and let them know, It's good to talk, Boundaries and Battles, Parenting with Elastic, Creating a Sense of Belonging.

If you're interested, speak to Ele Hine via the office on 400403.

Harvest – Sunday 1 October

We are collecting for Torquay Community Larder this year. The items requested are as follows: -

- Breakfast cereal, sugar, UHT or powdered milk, baked beans
- Tinned—fruit, vegetables, soup, tomatoes, spaghetti, rice pudding
- Coffee, tea bags, cup a soup, cartons of soup
- Fruit juice, pasta, jam, marmite, biscuits

New Interns

Welcome Ben Greenwell and Tommy Pratt, our new interns! Ben will be with us until Christmas serving in Children's ministry and Tommy until July 2018 as our Youth & Worship Intern. Please pray for them as they serve here at Church & train with the New Wine Discipleship Course up in Bristol.

Happening Elsewhere - See notice board in the link for more details:

Thurs. 21 Sept. KYB Ladies Pudding Evening at Brunel Manor - 7.30pm.

Sat. 30 Sept. LiNX 20th Anniversary Celebration: See notice board.

Sat. 30 Sept. Mental Health Awareness Day Exeter: Contact Penny Reed (by email reedtorquay@aol.com) or Sue Ellyatt (392026).

Sat. 30 Sept. Brunel Manor Ladies Day: For more information contact Brunel on 329333.