

6 January 2019

Upton Vale

BAPTIST CHURCH

Today

10.30am: Morning Celebration & Communion

Preacher: David Coffey

Bible Passage: John 6:1-15

"The Great Test" Re-commitment Sunday

4pm Songs of Praise

Preacher: Reg Walton

6 – 7.30pm: Youth Discipleship Groups in The Basement

Ministry themes in our other groups today

Sparks	(Under 5)	Bad Fruit - Genesis 2 & 3
Flames	(Yrs R – 2)	God has a plan – The Pursuit - Exodus 14
Laserlights	(Yrs 3 – 6)	Fruit of The Spirit – Galatians 5:22-24
B1	(Yrs 7 – 13)	Undivided Worship – Luke 10:38-42
B2gether		Bad Fruit – Genesis 2 & 3

Next Sunday 13 January

10.30am: Morning Celebration

Guest Preacher is Ian Bunce

Team Leader at Romford Baptist Church

12noon: Prayer for Claire Bedford in The Harbour Room

5 – 6pm: Drama Club in The Main Hall **6 – 7pm: Youth Band** in Basement

Interested in Baptism?

Steve Cosslett is leading a few sessions to prepare those interested in baptism over the next few weeks. If you would like find out more about baptism or join in with these sessions please contact Steve by email s.c.cosslett@gmail.com or speak to one of the church leaders.

Visitors: Welcome to Upton Vale. Please visit the Welcome Desk for a leaflet telling you all about the Church. Our Welcome Team will be wearing orange lanyards and will be happy to answer any question including guiding children to the correct group.

Please remember in prayer: Mary-Anne Muil, Christine Sengun.

In Ministry elsewhere: *Next Sunday:* Pat & Geoff Mitchell at the hospital.

If you feel in need of prayer please go to the front of the church after the service, our prayer team will be wearing blue lanyards. Elders are available and happy to pray with people on a Sunday morning or during the week. If you would like prayer, anointing with oil or to celebrate communion in your home because you are not able to get to church, please contact David Jones or any of The Elders to make arrangements via church office 400403.

Unable to get out regularly: Gladys Norman & Jean Tyler.

Our sympathies are with Will Reddaway on the death of his wife Heidi on 28 December. Remember also Malc and Jane and the Perring family.

Christians Together in Torquay Unity Service - Sunday evening 20 January to mark the World Week of Prayer.

Day	Psm	N.T.	'As you help us with your prayers' Paul 2 Corinthians 1:11
Sun	66	Rev. 7	To be faithful in prayer
Mon	67	Rev. 8	To be committed to daily Bible reading
Tue	68	Rev. 9	To be regular in attending Sunday worship
Wed	69	Rev. 10	To be a cheerful, generous giver
Thu	70	Rev. 11	To be involved in a local home group
Fri	71	Rev. 12	To be a good neighbour
Sat	72	Rev. 13	To be prepared to give a good account of your faith

UV Staff

Joel Ward (Youth Pastor)
Ele Hine (Families)
Paul Hine (Children)
Sue Sandeman (Children)
Sue Maloney (Administration)
Michèle Spear (Office)
Mat Miller (Caretaking)
Steve Hyde (Asst. Caretaking)

UV Elders

Laura Edwards, Andrew Fordyce,
Wendy John, David Jones,
Rachel Martin, Phyl Redwood,
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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.

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.

Upton Vale Baptist Church is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation
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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 7 Jan	6.30 – 8pm 7.15pm	Junior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 4 – 6) in The Sports Hall CLT Prayer in The Beacon Lounge
TUES 8 Jan	7.30 - 8am 10am – 12noon 6.30 – 9.30pm	Prayer Meeting in The Beacon Lounge Open Doors Prayer & Letter Writing at the Greenwell's Senior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 7 – 13) in The Sports Hall
WED 9 Jan	6 – 7.30pm 6.15 – 7.30pm 6.15 – 7.30pm 7.30 – 9.30pm 7.45pm	Toast Youth Club (Yrs 7 – 9) in The Basement Blaze (Yr 3) "Puppet Theatre" in The Lymington Room Ignite (Yrs 4 – 6) "Carousel Challenge" in The Main Hall Youth Night (Yrs 9 – 13) in The Basement Prayer for Persecuted Church in The Lymington Room
THUR 10 Jan	10am – 12noon 7 – 9pm	Morning Out in The Main Hall CAP Money Management Course in Lymington Room
FRI 11 Jan	9.30am 5.45 – 7.15pm 7.15 – 10pm 7.30pm	Just for Ladies in The Riviera Room Anchor Boys (R – Yr 3) in The Sports Hall Senior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 7 - 13) in The Sports Hall Quiz Night at Torquay Rugby Club. See note below

For all those helping with ToWNS Meet after Morning Celebration on Sunday 13 January

We will be meeting at about 12 noon in The Lymington Room (bring your coffee with you) for a short briefing and finalising of rotas. There will then be a short (30 minute) training session for those who haven't been able to make any of the other training sessions. We will be finished by 1pm.

Joint Women v Men Quiz Night Friday 11 January

At Torquay Rugby Club at 7.30pm. Teams will be from 4 to 6 men or women. Cost is £10 per team which includes food. Entry forms and more information are available from Paul or Kate Eaton 01803 782728.

Janine Turpin – Old Christmas cards for Taiwan

Janine is going to Taiwan on 17 January for 6 weeks and wants old Christmas cards to help her share the Christian message of love. She will be speaking in 5 schools to students aged between 6 and 24 years. Please leave cards at The Welcome Desk marked "Janine".

Induction of Andy Hickford. Sunday 3 February at 10.30am

Welcome: We are looking forward to welcoming Andy and Cerys Hickford as they move to Torquay during January, and the induction service for Andy as our Senior Pastor. The preacher will be Andy's long standing friend Phil Wall. There will be a shared lunch following the service.

Shared Lunch: There will be a shared lunch in The Main Hall after the service. If you are planning to come, please sign up at The Welcome Desk.

Prayer and Encouragement: We encourage you to remember Andy and Cerys and their family as they say farewell to Maybridge Community Church in Worthing, a church fellowship they have served and loved for the past 22 years.

Church Meeting: There is a church members' meeting on Tuesday 29 January when we plan to devote a major part of the meeting to praying for the induction service and the commencement of Andy and Cerys's ministry.

There will be no Songs of Praise on Sunday 3 February

CAP Money Management Course Thursday 10, 24, 31 January 7 - 9pm

Would you like to get your finances back on track after your Christmas spending? Want to be able to do more with your money or save up for something special? If so, we are running a FREE course at UV. Booking is essential - you can sign up in The Link or book via the church office (01803 400403 or community@uptonvale.org.uk). For further information see Mandy Guy, Mick Jones, Nigel Pearce or Cathy Davis.

Youth Weekend Away 15 – 17 March 2019 at Heatree You need to book NOW!

Cost is £85 per person but you can secure a place for a £25 deposit. Booking forms are available from The Basement, Welcome Desk in The Link or by contacting cathy@uptonvale.org.uk. Volunteers also needed. For more info. contact joel@uptonvale.org.uk. If finance is an issue, please speak to Joel. **NB:** It would be very helpful to have all bookings in by the end of January as we need to advise Heatree of the numbers coming.

History of Upton Vale

Please contact David Scott if you have any information that you think may be of interest – 01803 293021 or email dscotttorq@aol.com