

27 January 2019

Upton Vale

BAPTIST CHURCH

Remember in prayer: Christine Sengun, John and Karen Wilson and Karen's sister Dena

In Ministry elsewhere: *Today:* Brian Bunce at Ide Congregational. *25/27 January:* David Coffey at Methodist Evangelicals Conference Torquay. *Next Sunday:* John Lipscombe at Hebron Chapel. Leonard Mason at Southfield Ave. Methodist Paignton.

Our sympathies are with John and the family of Mary-Anne Muil who died last Sunday 20 January. The Thanksgiving Service will be held in the church on Saturday 2 February at 3.30pm.

World Leprosy Day is today Sunday 27 January. To help with your prayers why not look up leprosymission.org.uk

Christians Together prayer at Central Church, Saturday 2 February at 8am.

Brunel Manor Ladies Retreat - "Women of The Bible" 11-15 February, £220 half board or £10 day visitors, £5 for half day. See notice board

Day	Psm	N.T.	Use Ephesians 3 for prayer for the following: -
Sun	87	Matt 6	Preachers v.8. To preach the unsearchable riches of Christ
Mon	88	Matt 7	Leaders v. 7. As servants of The Gospel
Tue	89	Matt 8	Church v. 10. God's intention to do great things through the Church
Wed	90	Matt 9	Small groups v. 17. Helping to be rooted and established in love
Thu	91	Matt 10	Alpha v. 18 Grasping knowledge of the love of God in Christ
Fri	92	Matt 11	Church Office v. 9. To facilitate making Christ known
Sat	93	Matt 12	Visionaries v. 20. Thinking outside the box to make Christ known

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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 Information Point.

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 Information Point or with the church office.

Upton Vale Baptist Church is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation
 The charity number is 1176425

Today

10.30am: Morning Celebration & Communion
Preacher: Paul Friend, *Director of South West Youth Ministries*
Bible Passage: Matthew 20:20-28 - "A Mother's Request"
New to Upton Vale? Join us after the Morning Celebration
 Come along to The Lymington Room to meet some of the elders and staff team and find out more about our church. Refreshments will be served. It would be great to see you there!

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

Ministry themes in our other groups today

Sparks	(Under 5)	David in Trouble - 1 Samuel 20
Flames	(Yrs R - 2)	Moses & 10 Commandments - Exodus 10
Laserlights	(Yrs 3 - 6)	Jars of Clay - 2 Corinthians 5:7-10
B1	(Yrs 7 - 13)	Worship is War - 2 Chronicles 20
B2gether		A Loving Father - Luke 15:11-24

Church Meeting: Tuesday 29 January at 7.30pm
 Agenda and Minutes now available at The Information Point

Next Sunday 3 February

10.30am: Morning Celebration
 Induction of Andy Hickford as Senior Pastor
Preacher: Phil Wall
Look online for "Phil Wall we see hope" for a very interesting read

NB - No Songs of Praise

6 - 7pm: Youth Discipleship Groups in The Basement

Visitors: Welcome to Upton Vale. Please visit the Information Point 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.

THE WEEK AHEAD AT UV

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

MON 28 Jan	12noon 1.30 – 2.45pm 6.30 – 8pm	Monday Lunches (65+) in The Main Hall CAMEO (65+) <i>Quiz</i> Junior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 4 – 6) in The Sports Hall
TUES 29 Jan	7.30 - 8am 6.30 – 9.30pm 7.30pm	Prayer Meeting in The Beacon Lounge Senior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 7 – 13) in The Sports Hall Church Meeting in the church. Come early for parking
WED 30 Jan	6 – 7.30pm 6.15 – 7.30pm 6.15 – 7.30pm 7.30 – 9.30pm	Youth Alpha (Yrs 7 – 9) in The Basement Blaze (Yr 3) <i>"Spinners"</i> in The Lymington Room Ignite (Yrs 4 – 6) <i>"Rapidough Challenge"</i> in Main Hall Youth Alpha (Yrs 9 – 13) in The Basement
THUR 31 Jan	10am – 12noon	Morning Out in The Main Hall
FRI 1 Feb	5.45 – 7.15pm 7.15 – 10pm	Anchor Boys (R – Yr 3) in The Sports Hall Senior Boys' Brigade (Yrs 7 – 13) in The Sports Hall
SAT 2 Feb	3.30pm	Thanksgiving Service for Mary-Anne Muil in the church

Youth Alpha Courses for 7 weeks from Wednesday 30 January In The Basement - Times as above

Looking at questions of the Christian faith. The evening will include food and the opportunity to discuss what the young people think about various aspects of the Christian faith. It is the perfect opportunity to invite non-Christian friends to come and explore faith. Flyers available in the link.

New Alpha Course starts at "Hamiltons" Thursday 31 January at 7.15pm

Every Thursday until 11 April (except 14 February). Please fill in a registration form from the Information Point to secure your place as numbers will be restricted. Book by phoning The Church Office 01803 400403 or sending an email to Kate Eaton at eatoncatherine79@gmail.com. The first evening will be an introduction so please encourage friends to sign up for at least this first week. Can we please ask church members to only book if you are bringing someone as we only have limited spaces.

Baptismal Service Sunday 10 February

If you are thinking about baptism, please speak to Steve Cosslett by email s.c.cosslett@gmail.com or one of the Church Leaders.

Induction of Andy Hickford - Sunday 3 February at 10.30am

There will be a shared lunch in The Main Hall after the service. If you are planning to come, please sign up at the Information Point indicating the food you will bring and number attending. **Last chance to sign up today!**

Ladies@UV Breakfast - Saturday 9 February 9.30am at Occombe Farm

Must be pre-booked! Menus can be collected from the Information Point and must be returned with choice and payment by Sunday 3 February. If you want bank details to pay, text 07718 219860. More information from Kate Eaton eatoncatherine79@gmail.com (01803 782728)

Help needed for ToWNS (8 February to 8 March)

- We are putting a box out in the Link today for ToWNS donations and ask that all donations are in by Sunday 3 February - we are putting slips out so we only get the donations we need.
- We are still looking for a few people who would be willing to wash the bedding each week. Even if you can only help with this for one week or perhaps some of the bedding each week. Please contact Becky by email becky@uptonvale.org.uk or Cathy at cathy@uptonvale.org.uk for more details or offers of help.

Calling all parents of younger children! Parentalk Course

We are running another course for five weeks on Fridays, 10.45am (started 25 January), for parents of children aged 0-11. Topics covered are: It's not just me; Love them and let them know; It's good to talk; Boundaries and battles; Parenting with elastic. The course will be informal and informative. Please ask Ele Hine for more information. **It's not too late to join!**

Connect with UVyouth on Social Media

Upton Vale Youth is on Facebook and Instagram - why not follow us and stay informed about the exciting ministry going on? It's also the easiest way for us to communicate any last-minute changes to the programme.

Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/uvyouth

Instagram username: [uptonvaleyouth](https://www.instagram.com/uptonvaleyouth)

Youth Weekend Away 15 – 17 March 2019 Book by end of Jan.

Total cost is £85 per person and you can secure a place with £25 deposit. For more info contact joel@uptonvale.org.uk. Booking forms available from Basement or Information Point. **A Cook is needed** to head up cooking team. Please contact Joel if you would like to help.