

15 December 2019

Upton Vale

BAPTIST CHURCH

Today

10.30am: Morning Celebration

Preacher: Andy Hickford

Bible Passage: Luke 2:1-7 & Matthew 1:18 - 2:3

Other Groups Meeting This Morning

- ◆ **Sparks** – The Shepherds Luke 2:8-21
- ◆ **Flames** – Jesus is born Luke 2
- ◆ **Laserlights** – Visiting Jesus Luke 2 & Matthew 2
 - ◆ **B1** – Kings Matthew 2
 - ◆ **B2gether** – The Nativity Miracles

Christmas at Upton Vale



Sunday 22 December *(N.B. No Morning Service)*

Carol Service at 5pm

Why not invite friends and family?

You can use a flyer which is available at the Information Point.

Mince pies or shortbread still needed

Please bring them to the Information Point by *this Sunday*. Thank you.

Wednesday 25 December

Christmas Day Service at 10am

Small Groups

If you are new to Upton Vale and would like to part of a small group please give your contact details at the Information Point in the foyer.

We will then get in touch with you.

Here for the first time? *Welcome to Upton Vale. For further information please contact one of our Welcome Team who will be wearing orange lanyards.*

Contact Details: Tel: 01803 400403 Email: community@uptonvale.org.uk

Website: www.uptonvale.org.uk

THE WEEK AHEAD AT UV

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| MON 16 Dec | 6 – 8pm | Anchors & Junior Boys' Brigade Christmas Party in Main Hall |
| TUES 17 Dec | 7.30 – 8am 2.15 – 3.45pm | Prayer Meeting in the Riviera Lounge Daytime Small Group in The Basement |
| WED 18 Dec | 6 – 7.30pm 7.30pm – 9.30pm | Toast Youth Club (Yrs 7 – 9) in The Basement Youth Night (Yrs 9 – 13) in The Basement |

Church Office Christmas Closure

The office will be closed from 3pm on Monday 23 December and will reopen on Thursday 2 January at 9am.

New CAP Life Skills Group Starting 15 January

We will be meeting in the Cottage Cafe from 10am to 12noon on Wednesday mornings until mid March. More details are available at the Information Point or you can talk to Nick Waller, Esther Deakin, Nigel Pearce, or Mick Jones in the foyer after the service.

New Year CAP Money Management Course at UV

Do you feel you would like to get your finances back on track after Christmas or simply want to be able to do more with your money? If so, we are running a free 3 week course at UV on Thursday evenings starting on 16 January from 7 – 9pm. Booking is essential by contacting Claire Walton (CAP Centre Manager for Torquay) on 07860 847026 or clairewalton@capuk.org. If you want further information please see Cathy Davis.

Used Stamps To Raise Money for BMS Projects

Please save all used stamps with a ¼ inch surround and place in the container at the Information Point.

The Bereavement Friendship Group

The group will meet on Wednesday 8 January at 10.30am in The Basement and not on the usual first Wednesday of the month.

The Community Larder Needs ...

... sugar, jam, tinned fruit, tinned meat, jars of coffee, tea, washing powder, cleaning products and toiletries. Donations can be placed in the box by the front door in the foyer.



Ministry elsewhere: *Today:* Leonard Mason and Giojoso at Loddiswell Congregational. *Next Sunday:* Leonard Mason at Stoke Gabriel BC.

Bible reading plan: Start with Psalm 105, 1 Thessalonians 5, 2 Thessalonians & then 1 Timothy.

Please pray for John Gibbings, Ben Davis and Nigel Pearce.