

BULLETIN

Forest Fold Baptist Church

London Road Crowborough TN6 1TD www.forestfold.org.uk

12 September 2021

Worship Times

Sunday 11.15 am & 6.30pm at FF & Livestream via website

Worship services can be accessed from our **website** <https://forestfold.org.uk> by live video streaming. Use the "Listen Live" button. Video recordings are now available on the "Video" tab and sound recordings on the "Sermon Download" button or from the Forest Fold App. For friends **without internet access** services can now be heard through the telephone. To join our live streamed services dial 01892 335466.

Our Church approach to Covid precautions is available on the FF website. Face masks are requested in the socially-distanced seating area but optional elsewhere.

For messages, prayer and praise points for the Bulletin please email bulletin@forestfold.org.uk

Forthcoming Services

Sun 12 Sept am - John Cowley "Wise Words" Various Proverbs

Sun 12 Sept eve - Mark Philpott "In Christ" Ephesians (Various verses)

Tues 14 Sept 7.30pm Testimony Meeting

Sun 19 Sept am - Baptism of Corrie Hitchcock during the morning service.

Thurs 23 Sept - Update & prayer time for Cyprus

Sun 26 Sept 11.15 am - James Swanson preaching

Other Meetings

Ladies Bible Studies - starting for the Autumn term. Please speak to Esther if you would like to join one.

Sat 2 Oct 9.00am-3.15pm - The Southern Women's Convention at All Saints Church, Crowborough. A day of teaching, fellowship, worship & seminars. Flyers in entrance. For more info: southernwomensconvention@gmail.com

Tues 5 Oct - Men's training on friendship and evangelism. Take away meal at half time. Speaker Rob Pickering from Selhurst.

Thurs 7 Oct 7.30pm Communion Service (Hoping soon to resume on the first Sunday afternoon of each month)

Sat 16 Oct - Ladies Retreat Day - Speaker Lizzy Smallwood Please book your place by 19 Sept.

News from Romania

There will be special services today to welcome Ovidiu Drimbea as a pastor to the churches we support in the Cristul Valley, Romania.

Ovidiu, and his wife Ramona, have been helping in the churches and running the kindergarten for many years and George is pleased to get support in the pastoral work.

Proclaiming the Truth
Honouring the Lord
Serving the people

"Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer" Ps 19v14

Prayer for:

- ◇ John and Mark as they preach and lead us in worship at our services today
- ◇ Sunday School, Rooted and First Steps as they start again after the summer break
- ◇ Jackie and Amber May as they go into Evelina for ECG recordings on 14th, 15th & 16th Sept, and a kidney stent operation on the 17th requiring 2 surgeons. Also re tiredness, overwhelming paper work and ongoing funding issues.
- ◇ Peter Turner as he takes a Good News for Everyone (formerly Gideon) assembly for 300 year 7 pupils at Bennett School tomorrow and speaks at Milward on Thursday morning.
- ◇ Those soon heading to college or university or starting new jobs.
- ◇ Older friends who unwell or who are finding life increasingly hard

Praise for:

- ◇ The well attended and encouraging times at First Tuesday Cream Tea and First Steps.
- ◇ Times of united worship, prayer and praise.

Sussex Gospel Partnership

Bible courses (weekly Tuesdays & monthly Saturdays) New leaflets available in entrance hall.

LOST PROPERTY a mixture of clothes, plates and bowls are on the table in the library. Please have a look and take what is yours. Whatever is left at the end of September will be disposed of.

Mission -

Please pray for God to bless Dr Rosie Crowter and her work in Papua New Guinea and the church in Lefkosa Cyprus.

Finance

Charity of the month for September . Cyprus Fund Collection in August . General Fund :Received £8510.32 Expenditure £7349.06

Practical safeguarding arrangements still discourage cash giving. For alternative ways of donating please contact Roger by email or phone: rog.d@talktalk.net

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