

BULLETIN

Forest Fold Baptist Church

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www.forestfold.org.uk

21 November 2021

“Give thanks to The Lord for He is good, for His steadfast love endures for ever”

Ps 136 v1

Regular Worship Times

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

Thursdays 7.30pm

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 rear seating area but optional elsewhere.

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

Forthcoming Services

Sun 21 Nov 11.15am - John Cowley “Faith in Frightening Times” Heb 11 v23-28

6.30pm - John Cowley - “Handling Criticism” 2 Cor 10

Thurs 25 Nov 7.30-8.45pm - “Identity Matters” Christian Institute Meeting at Forest Fold

Sun 28 Nov 11.15 am - John Cowley **Baptism of Izzy David** during morning service.

Sun 28 Nov 6.30pm - Mark Philpott preaching

Sun 5 Dec 4.00pm - Communion Service All welcome to the tea afterwards at **5.00 pm** (Jacket potatoes provided, bring your own cakes etc) Please sign up on the notice board so that we have numbers for tea.

Other Meetings

Wed 24 Nov 7.30 pm Ladies Book meeting at FF

Fri 3 and Sat 4 December Ladies Holly Wreath Outreach. Booking is essential as places are limited. Information and booking via the Forest Fold Website www.forestfold.org.uk

NB Our events can now be booked through our website using a dedicated icon (and payment made in the few cases where a small charge is made to cover costs).

Proclaiming the Truth
Honouring the Lord
Serving the people

Prayer for:

- ◇ John as he preaches and leads us in worship at our services today.
- ◇ The work of Christian Institute who will be speaking at our meeting on Thursday evening.
- ◇ Connect as they meet tomorrow evening (the last one before Christmas) in Alderbrook. Pray for children will come and listen to the talk and enjoy the activities.
- ◇ Peter Turner as he takes two RE classes about the Bible at St Gregory's School Tun Wells on Wednesday via Zoom through Good News for Everyone (formerly Gideons)

Thanks and Praise for:

- ◇ Those who preach the Gospel of grace and peace and for those who hear to come to faith or have their faith strengthened

A Passion for Life

A Passion for Life is helping churches in the UK to prepare for a month of mission in March 2022 leading up to Easter.

As part of this they have produced a series of 21 training videos (15-20 Mins) which can be accessed through their website apassionforlife.org.uk

The fourth one, for this week, is “**Sharing hope in today's world**” Previous videos still accessible. You and a friend at Church may like to watch one a week and then discuss the highlights and encourage each other in sharing the gospel with others.

Mission - Message from James Swanson in Cyprus

“Tafaozwa, one of our members from Zambia, lost her believing mother late Thursday evening. She is 25 and has not been home for 6 years but, God willing, is travelling home to be with her family. Please pray with us for them. She is totally shocked and hurting but the Lord is clearly comforting and helping her”.

Finance

Charity of the month for November: The Christian Institute.

October Collection : Cyprus Fund Received £2798 Support Given £4023

Practical safeguarding arrangements still discourage cash giving. For alternative ways of donating please contact Roger by email or phone: rog.d@talktalk.net (01892) 652028.

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