

Praise God:

- 🔊 For the baptism of Sarah Veal today. Pray God's blessing and peace for her on this special occasion and in the weeks to come.
- 🔊 For the safe arrival of a 5th Great Grandchild for Irene & Campbell Kinnon. Rhys David was born on 1st February weighing 5lb. Many congratulations to all the family.
- 🔊 For all those who are leading and attending our Alpha, Called & Sent and Influence Courses. Please pray that they might encounter God as they learn more about Him and how they can serve Him in our church family and in the wider community.
- 🔊 For all the children who are attending the We Eat Elephants Course. Please pray for wisdom and effective communication for the leaders and that the children would learn valuable skills.

Please Pray:

- 🔊 For Chris, Jackie, David, and Josh who are away at the SCBA Leaders Conference from Monday-Wednesday. Also Kay is away at a MIT Conference in Wales all week. Please pray that they will all be inspired and refreshed during their time away.
- 🔊 For Chris & Ginny Balchin as they are in Ngora, Uganda visiting the Edith's Home charity until Tuesday 25th February. Please pray for their health and wellbeing during the trip and also that they will be able to serve and encourage the folk out there.

Rev Chris Brockway (Team Leader)**Kay Boulton** (MIT & Pastoral)**David Ruilova** (Equip/Evangelism Lead)**Jackie McGregor** (0-18s Ministry Lead)**Josh Vallance** (Moorlands Student)**Julie Dynan** (Administration)**Mark Coleman** (Caretaker)

Next Sunday, why not give the car a 'day of rest' and walk or cycle to church?

Here for the first time...? You are very welcome! Today we have groups for children up to 14 years old in our 11am service. Please collect your children from the downstairs of the Christian Centre at the end of the service. We'd also be so pleased if you would fill in one of our Welcome Cards whilst you are here if you are new to the church.

During our time of worship, an offering for the work of God's Church will be taken. If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give or any embarrassment to let the bag pass you by. If you would like to give and pay any form of Income Tax, please complete one of the Gift Aid envelopes or pick up the relevant forms from the Welcome Desk area at the back of the church. The forms are also available to download from our church website: www.christchurchbaptist.uk/giving.

Sunday

8.30am:

9th February

A Time for Prayer

9.15am:

Morning Worship - Stop Worrying, Start Living: 'Fearing Judgement' (Romans 8:1-17, 1 Pet. 5:7) Chris Brockway

10.30am:

Refreshments in the Christian Centre

11.00am:

Morning Worship - As 9.15am and this Service will Include the Baptism of Sarah Veal

1.00pm:

We Eat Elephants Course

7.00pm:

Thirsty Gathering

Today we give an especially warm welcome to the family and friends of Sarah as we celebrate her baptism. We hope you enjoy your time with us this morning.

Memory Verse - 1 Peter 5:7

'Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you.'

Tuesday 11th February
12.30pm: Lunchtime Prayer Gathering
2.30pm: Barnabas Fellowship - Dan Pile - 'Keep off the Grass'
7.30pm: Alpha Course
7.30pm: Called & Sent Course
7.30pm: Influence Course

Thursday 13th February
9.30pm: Women's Bible Study - details opposite
10.30am: Open Doors Coffee Morning
6.30pm: Connect (10-12 yrs)
7.00pm: Connect (13-15 yrs)
7.45pm: Connect+

Friday 14th February
10.00am: Stepping Stones Parent & Toddler Group
6.30pm: Trailblazers
7.45pm: Ignite

Sunday 16th February
8.00am: A Time for Prayer
9.15am: Morning Worship - Stop Worrying, Start Living: 'Fearing Rejection' (1 Samuel 15:1-25, John 14:18) Christine Tremain
10.30am: Refreshments in the Christian Centre
11.00am: Morning Worship - As 9.15am

Engagement Announcement! - Many congratulations to Naomi Ridgeon who got engaged to be married to Jonny Hodges (Minister of Iford Baptist Church) earlier this week! Please pray for them as they prepare for married life together.

Homemade Marmalade - Marian's delicious homemade marmalade is now on sale at the back of the church. Give generously - all proceeds for the 20/20 fund.

New Phone Number - Trica White's phone number is now 01425 278683.

Women's Bible Study - The next Women's Bible Study is on Thursday 13th February from 9.30am until 10.30am in the Christian Centre. All women are warmly invited to join us as we continue the series studying Proverbs 31.

Jonathan Veira Concert - There are still tickets available for this concert on 21st February at 7.30pm. Tickets are £10 each and are available to purchase online at www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/jonathan-veira-concert with all proceeds going to the 2020 Vision Build Project.

Men's Breakfast - The next Men's Breakfast is on 29th February, 9.00-10.30am. There will be excellent food (full English or cereals & toast) with great friendship. Suggested donation £3 per person to cover costs. Please let Andy Renshaw (07855 692436) know if you're coming, and why not bring a non-Christian friend or family member.

Scalextric Race Morning - Join us on Saturday 29th February from 10:30am to 12:30pm for a mega Scalextric car track party with computerised timing system which numbers laps completed and positions on the big screen. We might even use the fuel control system too! Great morning for adults with school-aged children following the Men's Breakfast.

Christchurch Foodbank+ - This week the needs are fruit squash and UHT milk. The Foodbank respectfully ask for **NO** baked beans please.

Are You Interested in Supporting the Homeless? - Bournemouth Christians Alongside Rough Sleepers (BCARS) now has 6 projects to help rough sleepers get off the street, stay off the street and find the love of Jesus. And so they need a bit of extra help! Faithworks the charity supporting the BCARS projects, is advertising for 3 new posts. If you or someone you know has that amazing ability to mix compassion with resilience and skill, then to find out more go to www.bcars.org.uk/vacancies or www.faithworkswessex.org.uk/news/vacancies or call 01202 429037.

Derek Stringer Update - January was spent preaching at churches in Dorset as well as speaking at church leadership meetings. Every weekend in February, and some weekdays, Derek is preaching and teaching at Welcome Evangelical Church, Witney in Oxfordshire. The Senior Pastor has retired and this growing church is looking for a new Pastor. They have asked Derek to assist them in the search for the person with God's calling. Please pray for wisdom.