

October Prayer Focus: Shoebox Appeal

This year WBC will once again be participating in Operation Christmas Child, organised by Samaritan's Purse. We are all encouraged to pack a shoebox with items to go to a child in need somewhere around the world. We are also encouraged to pray for the work, as follows:

PRAYER POINTS

- Pray for every child who will receive a shoebox gift this year – that they may know God's comfort and protection at this time.
- Give thanks for so many wonderful project leaders all over the UK who facilitate their church, school, workplace or community group getting involved with Operation Christmas Child each year.
- Give thanks for everyone registered as drop-off locations and Church Collection Centres

UK STAFF & VOLUNTEERS

- Please pray for Operation Christmas Child volunteers and staff, that we would be of one vision and that we would give God the glory for all that we do in and through the ministry of Operation Christmas Child.
- Pray that volunteer teams will grow in relationship with one another and that there will be a spirit of unity across all teams.
- Pray that God will rise up new men and women keen to serve Him and further His kingdom through the ministry of Operation Christmas Child and The Greatest Journey.

OUR GLOBAL OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD FAMILY

- Pray for the staff and volunteer teams in each Operation Christmas Child sending country: US, Canada, Germany, Australia & New Zealand, Finland, Faroe Islands, Japan and Spain.
- Pray for Operation Christmas Child and The Greatest Journey volunteer teams and ministry partners in over 100 countries worldwide!
- Praise God for over one million teachers trained to deliver The Greatest Journey since the programme began.
- Give thanks for the 30.9 million children that have taken part in The Greatest Journey follow-up bible discovery programme since 2009.



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Vision Verse: 'Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back; lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes' – Isaiah 54:2

Verse of the Year - "If we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord. So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord." Romans 14:8

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Member of the Leadership Team responsible is Jason O'Dell.
Please refer all queries to Jason.

We welcome you to our service this morning. This week we will be continuing our theme of 'Jesus speaks in modern life' looking at Pride - Neil Starling will be bringing God's word to us, looking at Luke 7 verses 36-50. Paul and Emma and family are away this weekend.

As well as joining together in the church building we also live stream our service through Zoom and the log in details are:- Meeting ID - 81280104638 Passcode - worship

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- Oct. 17th - Roots Community Café at WBC
10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
 - Oct. 18th - Rosedales Bereavement Course - 10.00a.m.
 - Oct. 18th - Thrive@Roots - 2.30p.m.
 - Oct. 19th - Home from Home - 2-5.00p.m.
 - Oct. 19th - Ketts Books using premises - 6-8.30p.m.
 - Oct. 20th - Home from Home - 2-5.00p.m.
 - Oct. 21st - Roots Community Café at WBC
10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
 - Oct. 21st - Friday Night Youth
 - Oct. 23rd - Worship at 10.30a.m.
 - Oct. 24th - Roots Community Café at WBC
10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
 - Oct. 25th - Rosedales Bereavement Course - 10.00a.m.
 - Oct. 26th - Home from Home - 2-5p.m.
 - Oct. 27th - Home from Home - 2-5p.m.
 - Oct. 28th - Roots Community Café at WBC
10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
 - Oct. 29th - Prayer for Wymondham - 9.30-11.30a.m.
 - Oct. 30th - Worship at 10.30a.m. - Shoe Box Sunday

OUR VISION - To be 'An authentic church with a place for everyone'



Remember in your prayers, thoughts and actions:- Jenni and family, Brian and Jeanette as they settle into their new home, Henry, Vernon and Daphne, Penny's daughter Fiona. Remember also Christine's grandson Joshua as he recovers from surgery. Pray for our country and our leaders that they will seek God's guidance in these difficult times.

Home from Home meeting has started and will run each Wednesday and Thursday afternoon, between 2 and 5.p.m. Please pray for those who come along that they may experience the warmth of God's love as they share our warm space. We would also welcome more volunteers.



Pray for Wymondham - 9.30 - 11.30a.m. Saturday, 29th October at WBC. This is a prayer morning all about Wymondham. There will be prayer stations covering some key areas of Wymondham life - schools, churches, town leaders and governance, people in need/difficulty and those who help them. Please put the date in your diary and plan to come along and pray together for our town and wait on the Lord to work wonders here in Wymondham.

Thank you to all those who regularly give to the work of WBC. If you would like to make a donation to Wymondham Baptist Church, there is an offering box available at the rear of the church or if you would like to make a regular donation, please ask Cathy for a Standing Order form/Gift Aid form (if you are able to Gift Aid your donation, HMRC will contribute an additional 25p for every £1 that you give), or you can make your gift to Wymondham Baptist Church, Sort Code 30-99-08, Account No. 22019560.

The Rooted Life, October/November issue is now available, make sure that you collect your copy. Please think about what you might be able to contribute to the next issue - December/January.

Shoe boxes are available for you to use for our Samaritan's Purse Shoebox appeal. Please either speak to Neil or to Cathy if you would like to use the prepared boxes (50p each) - leaflets about the shoe boxes are also available. Collection day will be any time from 6th November onwards.

Please remember Neil Starling in your prayers as he visits churches on behalf of the Falconer Trust as follows:- 20th October – Waterford House Church, Strood, and on 27th October – Belvedere Baptist Church, Kent.