WYNTERFEST this year is to be held on 26<sup>th</sup> November. WBC will be sharing in this event. If you don't feel able to take part in Wynterfest at WBC and would like to share in a time of worship, can we encourage you to join together in one another's homes and pray for all those who visit WBC that they may feel God's presence there and in particular understand more of the Christmas story as Paul leads a Christingle Service at the end of the day.

## Prayer Focus - November 2023



Tearfund is a Christian charity that partners with churches in more than 50 of the world's poorest countries. They tackle poverty through sustainable development, responding to disasters, and challenging injustice. They believe an end to extreme poverty is possible.

- Please pray for the work of Tearfund in bringing relief to those caught up in natural disasters around the world, including the recent earthquake in Afghanistan, where the death toll had risen to over 2,400, with the number of injured being 'more than 2,000'. 1,320 houses had been either damaged or destroyed by the quake.
- Pray also for their work in Morocco, where an earthquake struck on 8<sup>th</sup> September, killing over 3,000, and affecting over 6.6 million people.
- Pray for Tearfund's Harvest Appeal, which seeks to raise funds to help those in extreme poverty to generate an income through local farming projects.

Find out more at <u>www.tearfund.org</u>



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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 – 'Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go.' Joshua 1 verse 9

## Notice Sheet - 12.11.2023

MINISTER: Paul Smith 07808816432 <u>pjdsmith72@gmail.com</u> TREASURER: Finance Team - Mary Wright and Cathy Finch SECRETARY: Co-opted - Cathy Finch (07792711407)

## LEADERSHIP TEAM:

 Elders:
 Gill Price (07796274037)

 Vic Wright (01953850617)

 Deacons:
 Neil Starling (07881202513)

 Jason O'Dell (07990014396)
 Vera Cooke (07709766007)

Member of the Leadership Team responsible for today is Vera Cooke. Please refer all queries to Vera.

**THE BIBLE COURSE** at Carleton Rode Baptist Church - October 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and November 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> at 6.30p.m. - FREE - All welcome contact <u>chris@jaggard.org.uk</u> - 01379677279

We welcome you to our service this morning which will include communion. We are continuing our series entitled 'Journeying with the God of Jacob', this morning considering 'School of suffering', looking at Genesis 34-37.

As well as joining together in the church building we also live stream through Zoom and the log in details are:- Meeting ID 81280104638, Passcode - worship. We are having some technical issues with our live streaming so please bear with us while we try to resolve them.

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Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> - Leadership Team Meeting - 7.30p.m. Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> - POWER HOUR in the Prayer Room - 10.00a.m. Focus - Wymondham:peace, prosperity, shalom Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> - Thrive@Roots - 2.30p.m. Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> - Roots Community Café @ WBC 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m. Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> - Ukelele Gp using premises - 1.30p.m. Nov. 17th - Roots Community Café @ WBC 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m. Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> - Friday Night Youth - 6.30p.m. Nov. 19th - Café Church - Ratatouille - 10.30a.m. Nov 19<sup>th</sup> - CHURCH MEETING - 12.30p.m. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> - POWER HOUR in the Prayer Room - 10.00a.m. Focus - Wynterfest, Roots, witness Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> - Thrive@Roots - 2.30p.m. Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> - Roots Community Café @ WBC 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> - Home from Home - 1.30p.m. - 4.30p.m. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> - Ukelele Gp - 1.30p.m. Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> - Roots Community Café @ WBC 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.

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



Remember in your prayers, thoughts and actions:- Jason and Katie O'Dell and family, David Fisher and his family, Daphne and Vernon, Jan Hodges, Paul and Emma and Alana.

HAVE YOU STARTED YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING - DO YOU SHOP ON LINE? - If you do, please sign up to 'Shop and Give' (The Giving Machine) and easyfundraising.org.uk and elect to support Wymondham Baptist Church - if you do your grocery shop on line, Tescos, Sainsburys are also enrolled, so please sign up and help us raise funds at no cost to yourself - see more instructions in The Rooted Life.

Today is the last day for the collection of shoeboxesWe have started to collect our shoeboxes. - Ready prepared shoeboxes can be purchased from the Office for 50p. You can also fill a shoebox on line or support Samaritan's Purse in other ways - check out their website.

**ECO CALENDARS** - If you would like to order our ECO calendar, please add your name to the order list which is by the side of the sample calendar. Calendars already ordered are now available from Cathy. Suggested donation £6.

**CHURCH MEETING - 19<sup>th</sup> November** - 12.30p.m. after our morning worship - It is the responsibility of each church member to attend. If you are not a member but would like to know more about the church please join us. Bring your lunch and share in fellowship together.

CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT - Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup> - 2.30p.m. -Come and listen to St. Mary's Singers Hemsby. Refreshments available. Tickets available from the office/ Cathy - Price £10 proceeds to Church Building Fund.

**The Rooted Life** Magazine - Can you contribute something to our next issue? Do you have a favourite Christmas recipe, traditional activity - share it with us all. Copy to be in the Office by 26<sup>th</sup> November please.