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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:** 'Rejoice always, Pray continually, Give thanks in all circumstances for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus'—1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

## Notice Sheet - 22.12.2024/29.12.2024

**MINISTER:** Paul Smith 07808816432  
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### LEADERSHIP TEAM:

**Elders:** Gill Price (07796274037)

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Member of the Leadership Team responsible for today is Gill Price. Please refer all queries to Gill. On the 29<sup>th</sup> the member of the Leadership Team responsible will be Keith Hilton.

Please note Paul and Emma are on holiday from after our Christmas morning service until 4<sup>th</sup> January 2025. All pastoral matters should be referred to Gill Price.

We welcome you to our church today. This morning our worship will be led by our children and young people under the leadership of our pastor Rev. Paul Smith. This evening at 6p.m. we are holding our Carol Service. Next Sunday (29<sup>th</sup>) we will meet at the church at 10.30a.m. as usual and then take a prayer walk together.

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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| Dec. 25 <sup>th</sup> | Christmas morning worship - 10.00a.m.                      |
| Dec. 29 <sup>th</sup> | Worship Prayer Walk starting at the church at<br>10.30a.m. |
| Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup> | POWER HOUR - 10.00a.m.                                     |
| Jan. 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | Home from Home - 1.30p.m. - 4.30p.m.                       |
| Jan. 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | Menscraft - 3.00p.m. - 5.00p.m.                            |
| Jan. 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Worship at 10.30a.m. including communion                   |
| Jan. 7 <sup>th</sup>  | POWER HOUR - 10.00a.m.                                     |
| Jan. 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Thrive@Roots - 2.15p.m.                                    |
| Jan. 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Roots Community Café - 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.                |
| Jan. 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Rosedale Bereavement Group                                 |
| Jan. 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Home from Home - 1.30p.m. - 4.30p.m.                       |
| Jan. 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Menscraft - 3.00p.m. - 5.00p.m.                            |
| Jan. 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Day of Prayer and Fasting                                  |
| Jan. 10 <sup>th</sup> | Roots Community Café - 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.                |
| Jan. 11 <sup>th</sup> | Litter Pick from WBC                                       |
| Jan. 12 <sup>th</sup> | Worship at 10.30a.m.                                       |

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



**Remember in your prayers, thoughts and actions:-** Daphne and Vernon. Nicki and Tom, Kate and Keith Kinsey, Barrie and Frances, Jeanette Ellse, Carole Mansfield, Pam Loveday, Kathleen Garlish and Lara Boucher. Please continue to pray that the grant applications that have been sent will be successful and that we will look forward with excitement to what God has in store for us in 2025. Remember too those in places like Ukraine and Syria - pray for peace.

**SCHOOL UNIFORM BANK** is always available to anyone who needs to access it - please ask at the Office.



**GIVING** to the work at WBC - Can you help us? There is a box at the back of the church, together with a digital collection plate. Further information about how you can give is shown on the website or ask at the Office. If you are able to Gift Aid your donation, please ask for a Gift Aid form for completion. Thank you

If you are an on-line shopper, please consider signing up to **easyfundraising** or **giveasyoulive** and support Wymondham Baptist Church at no extra cost to you - this includes booking a holiday and doing your weekly grocery shopping - there are hundreds of retailers that will donate a percentage of your shop to WBC. All these donations help to raise funds for the building project.

**ANNUAL REPORTS** - As we approach the end of the year can I ask everyone who has responsibility for an area of our church life to start to think about writing an annual report for inclusion in the church annual report - I would be grateful to receive all the reports by 2<sup>nd</sup> March. Thankyou.

Please remember Neil Starling and the work of the Falconer Trust in your prayers and remember Neil in particular as he speaks at Quebec Hall Dereham on 8<sup>th</sup> January.

We are always looking for volunteers to help in a variety of ways around the church. Can you help, please let Cathy in the office know if you can help serve refreshments after the service, help in the garden, help at Roots etc. etc.

The next issue of The Rooted Life will be issued at the beginning of February, please let me have your contribution by January 26<sup>th</sup>. Think about what you can contribute while you are enjoying the Christmas festivities.

*Happy Christmas and a Blessed New Year*

*Remember to thank God for all He has done in 2024 and look forward to 2025 and all that He has in store for us at WBC.*

