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In Touch

29th October 2023

Speaker

Rev Paul Stein

Elder

Pam Annison

Joint Service



A member Church of the
United Reformed Church

Weekly message from Pam. A



Hello Everyone.

This week we will be welcoming our friends from St George's to the joint service at 10 am on Sunday 29th October.

The Cubs celebration that took place last Thursday in our building went very well.

At Friday Prayers last week, we completed the prayer walk and blessing of our building that

was begun on the prayer morning. Thanks to everyone who took part.

Friday prayers happen every week from 1-2. Everyone is welcome.

At the moment we are praying for our children and youth.

The enlarged play area in the new eatery is coming along beautifully thanks to the men in the Blastock family. We are still looking for a name. Put your idea on the list.

We need a cook for the eatery. Look for the advertisement for details.

Have you secured your ticket for the wreath making afternoon in November? Tickets available from the office.

Have you spoken to Penny about a ticket for the Christmas meal on 10th December?

The clocks go back one hour this weekend. So, we can enjoy an extra hour in bed before coming to worship.

Have a blessed week. Pam

Rainbows

1 week to go!

New Club! For 3-6yrs

Sunday mornings

Starting 5th November

New club starting in Sunday service for 3-6 year olds. Speak to Sue Grimsdale or Christine Smith for more details.

... coming up next week

	Church Information	Other activities
Monday 30th	Office hours 1.30-3.30pm	Fingerprints 8.30am-3pm Beavers 5.30pm-6.30pm
Tuesday 31st	Office hours 9am—1pm	Tai Chi 7.00-8.00pm Fingerprints 8.30am-3pm
Wednesday 1st	Office hours 1.30pm-3.30pm	Fingerprints 8.30am-3pm
Thursday 2nd	Office hours 9am—1pm	Little Fish 9.45am-11am Fingerprints 8.30am-3pm
Friday 3rd	Meditation group 12.15pm Weekly prayer meeting 1.00pm-2.00pm	Cubs 7.15pm-8.30pm
Saturday 4th	Alpha Away Day	
Sunday 5th	Service at 10:00	

To book onto an activity or to find out more, contact Admin on 01442 260 175
or admin@adeyfieldfree.org.uk

There are also affordable Counselling sessions running throughout the week, with both male and female counsellors available. For more information contact: counselling@adeyfieldfree.org.uk / 07960 431 274

Walk Marshalls and Car parking Helpers

needed for the annual Hemel Scouts

“Countryfile Ramble”

in aid of **Children in Need**

Phasels Wood, Saturday 4th November: 1 - 4pm

Please speak to Brian for more information



Pastoral & Prayer

**“Come near to God and he will come near to you.....
Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.”
James 4:8a & 10 NIV**

Many thanks to all who use this prayer page during your regular prayer times.

Let's engage our faith in God's power and mercy. As we lift names and situations in faith, God deals with the details.

We thank you Lord.....

For every blessing

For the gift of time

For the beauty of Autumn

We lift those who need healing or support to God and thank Him for His action as we pray

For those we know and love needing healing including Shirley, Liz, June and Mark

For all living in Israel and Gaza

For all involved in the war in Ukraine

For all suffering from abnormal weather and natural disasters

For believers persecuted for their faith

Also bring to the Lord our prayers for.....

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For those who worship at Holy Trinity Leverstock Green

For those who worship at St Barnabas

Please continue to pray for all who have been on the list recently. Bless you.

Jesus Christ, our living hope.

The elders appreciate your prayers for them. The days set aside for each elder:

**Everyday: Rev Paul Stein Sunday: Sue Monday: Brian Tuesday: Shirley
Wednesday: Heather Thursday: Dave Friday: Pam Saturday: Penny**

Events

Alpha



Thank you once again for your prayers for Alpha last week- the course is going well. It was very encouraging to see one of our guests at church on Sunday. This week the subject is 'How & why do I read the Bible? The guests will be offered a Bible to keep - please pray they accept the gift and enjoy reading it with open minds and hearts.

Please continue to pray that everyone will be well for the Alpha day on 4th November and be able to attend this important part of the course.

Please keep all aspects of Alpha in your prayers. If you are able to join the prayer time on a Thursday afternoon it would encourage us all. Details below.

Alpha Prayer

Will be each week Thursday 3.00 – 4.00 pm until 7th December.

at 6 Green End Gardens, (off Gravel Terrace) HP1 1SN

Jane Ward 07973823409 – 01442 212999

No need to let us know if you are coming, just come and go whenever during that time.

Wreath Recreation



Sat 25th November, 3-6pm

Adeyfield Free Church Centre

£20 from church office (£25 on the day) incl. cake & tea

Gifts on sale – Cash only

Age 12+

0793971 6691 / admin@adeyfieldfree.org.uk



Information

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes



AFC is once again packing shoeboxes:

Join in by:

- Bringing in some items for our young people to pack - collection box in reception and hall
- Pack your own at home
- Pay for a packed shoebox online
- Donate money for the delivery (£5 per box)
- Help receive boxes during Collection week Monday 13th - Monday 20th November
- Be part of our Blessing service - 19th November

Meditation Group

Fridays 12.15 - 1pm in the Lounge at AFC

Our new Website and App:

<https://adeyfieldfree.org.uk> Our new website is public! It is updated weekly with Sunday Sermons and details of what is happening on a calendar. Please let Admin or Penny know if you would like something added. The members only area is not yet ready so please be patient....but there is an AFC App which can be downloaded from www.adeyfieldfree.org.uk/hubb

Facebook:

We have a public page [Adeyfield Free Church Hemel Hempstead](https://www.facebook.com/groups/19413144568/) to advertise all our events and activities so please like and share these onto your pages. We also have a closed group so people can write freely and encourage one another - join us at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/19413144568/>



TUESDAY 7th NOVEMBER 7.30PM
(doors open from 7pm)
AT ST BENEDICT'S CHURCH
BENNETTS END

It's not Christmas yet!

But it is time for Churches to get ready.
Come and swap ideas and resources
and invite others to your events.



We hope there will be a stalls on the night
for Christmas gifts and Church resources.
Email secretary@cthh.org.uk if you wish to have
a table to sell resources.
Bring your money for food and gifts.

Information

Update on the Cafe

- **The new play area** will be installed this weekend ... if you are handy with a paintbrush then we will need your help with painting the fence panels ASAP please! Speak to John or Penny.
- We still need a **NAME** ... Thank you for some great suggestions... the form is still available in reception or on Sunday mornings ...
- **Please pray** for the team who are working hard to get our cafe up and running soon - most importantly for a cook/manager and volunteers.



COOK/MANAGER

Our church-based eatery, serving our local community on Maylands Plaza, is looking for a cook - manager
We need a good, all-round cook capable of producing home-made, fresh, nutritious, and varied meals quickly and efficiently

You will be working alongside a team of volunteers initially working Wednesday - Friday 8.30am - 3.30pm

For more information and a job description please email admin@adeyfieldfree.org.uk