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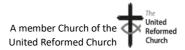
5th May 2024

Speaker Paul Bradford

Elder Penny Stuart



# Encounters with Jesus: The Angel appears to the women



## Weekly Message from Serving Elder Pam A.



Hello Everyone.

It's May, we are hoping for Spring to finally arrive and this week we have a Bank Holiday to enjoy.

This Sunday we have Paul Bradford preaching for us.

The Worship Focus Group will be putting the final touches to the Praise Event that is to

happen at the end of the month. It will be part of our Prayer Week which will run from 20th to 26th May. Details will soon be available.

The Elders have been working on a potential help to our fundraising and ask for your prayers and support as the work progresses. You can all help by creating regular fundraising events. If we do the little things God will do the big things.

As summer approaches?? [What faith we have] The MDM group will be planning our Summer Services soon.

Have a great week everyone. God bless you.

Pam

# Meet & Eat Community Space Open Wednesdays & Thursdays 9.30-12.30

Serving Teas, coffees, cakes, savouries

COME & ENJOY







| Coming up next week |   |  |
|---------------------|---|--|
|                     | Church Information  | Other activities   |
| Monday 6th          | Office closed –Bank Holiday   |  |
| Tuesday 7th         | Office Hours 9.00am-1.00pm<br>Seniors @Meet and Eat 10am                                  | Fingerprints 8.30-3.00<br>Tai Chi 7.00pm-8.00pm  |
| Wednesday 8th       | Office hours 11.30am - 3.30pm<br>Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:00pm                             | Fingerprints 8.30-3.00   |
| Thursday 9yh        | Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:00pm<br>Office Hours 9.00am-12.30pm                               | Fingerprints 8.30-3.00   |
| Friday 10th         | Office hours 8.30am-12.30pm<br>Meditation Group 11.30am-12.15pm<br>Prayer meeting 12.15pm | Fingerprints 8.30-3.00<br>Squirrels 5.00pm-5.45pm<br>Beavers 6.00pm-7.00pm<br>Cubs 7.15pm-8.30pm |
| Saturday 11th       |   |  |
| Sunday 12th         | Service at 10:00am  |  |

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

# **Young People on Sunday Mornings**

We join together for the start of worship Before the young people meet in their groups



Rainbows (3-5 year olds) in the playroom downstairs
Primary school aged in the Games room upstairs

Secondary school age in the Youth room upstairs

The Creche is available for babies/toddlers during the sermon

PLEASE SUPERVISE YOUR CHILDREN WHEN NOT IN ORGANISED GROUPS

### **Pastoral & Prayer**

"Keep trusting in the Lord ...... Fix your heart on the promises of God, and you will dwell in the land...... Find your delight and true pleasure in the Lord, and he will give you what you desire the most."

Psalms 37:2-4 TPT

Many thanks to those 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 your presence among us.

For all those willing to serve as volunteers

For those you are sending to become part of our congregation

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

For Chris Baylis' Grandad as he approaches the end of life and for Chris, Elijah and Chris's mum in their sadness.

For Liz, June P. Mark, Shirley,

For those bereaved recently

For those approaching stressful or upsetting life-changing events

For those struggling with long term sickness

Lord, help us if we are to be an answer to these prayers.

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

**Tear Fund** 

Those we know revising for exams

**Our Local Police Force** 

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

# There is no-one like you Jesus.

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

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

#### Coming up

# **JESUS, OUR LIGHT & HOPE**

# COME AND JOIN US TO PRAISE HIM ALL ARE WELCOME

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 6:30 – 8pm Adeyfield Free Church Centre



Cove each other

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never extinguish it. John 1:5

# LTR Update & Vision Evening



Time:

7pm - 9pm Refreshements served after Location:

Adefield Free Church
Mayland Avenue, HP2 4GZ

After 17 years as a CAP debt centre we are becoming Liberty Community Money Advice Come and find out more







#### **Information**



# THAMES NORTH & SOUTHERN SYNODS YOUTH RESIDENTIAL

The United Reformed Church Youth

Thursday 30th May - Sunday 2nd June 2024

Join other young people for 4 days of outdoor activities, games, creative workshops, and biblical discussions.





Age: 11 (must be in Year 7) - 16 years.

Including transport available from London.

Limited spaces available until Friday 3rd May

To register a space contact cydo@urcthamesnorth.org.uk



# **Squirrels**



Monday: 15th April

Squirrels: (4-6yrs) 4.30 - 5.15pm Beavers: (6 - 8yrs) 5.30 - 6.30pm



Scan the code to sign up!





Friday: 26th April

**Squirrels:** (4-6yrs) 5 - 5.45pm

Beavers: (6-8yrs)

6 - 7pm

Cubs: (8- 10yrs)

7.15 - 8.30pm









#### Information



Do you love God and love your country?
Do you grieve at the state of Christianity in Britain?
Do you want to do something about it?

The Church is called to uphold the faith and be a beacon of light in a fallen world. It is called to provide a moral compass, and seek after the lost. It is called to guard the flock. This, it is failing to do and, as result, our nation is in a mess.

As a society we have become increasingly self-focussed, decadent and corrupt while, by and large, the Church stands idly by.

# Battle for the soul of our nation!

We will not see the nation change until the Church regains its vision and voice. It is time for Christians to wake up and once again make a stand for our faith and for the land that we love.

# Join us Saturday, 11th May

Venue: The Old Mill, London Road, Berkhamsted HP4 2NB Time: 10 am -12 pm

Speakers: Lynda Rose, VFJUK & Philip Quenby, Followers of the Way



https://vfjuk.org









#### Information

# **Pray Hemel**

Good evening (or morning or afternoon if, like me, you don't have your computer on all the time).

The venue for the next **Pray Hemel** on **Saturday May the 4th** is **St Paul's Church**, **Highfield**, **Solway**, **Hemel Hempstead**, **HP2 5QN** 

There is parking on site and on the road.

As we are approaching Pentecost Sunday (and possibly because of the date) we are homing in on the guidance and gifts of the Holy Spirit and looking forward to a powerful, spirit inspired worship and prayer session.

As ever, refreshments from 8 and worship from 8.30 a.m.

Have a great w/e. Bob, pp your PH team.



We are now full with 15 families, praise the Lord.

We have started a waiting list, with **5** families on. Is it time to start thinking about opening another session?

Please pray to see if the Lord is calling you to lead or be part of a second group.

We currently run from 9.45-11am on Thursdays, an easy option would be to set up a second group, 11.15-12.15pm on Thursdays as well. The first group would set everything up and the second would put everything away.

Please speak to Zem or Christine if interested.

