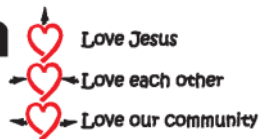


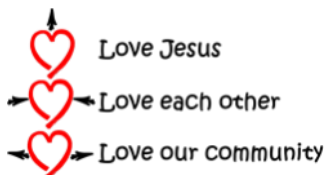


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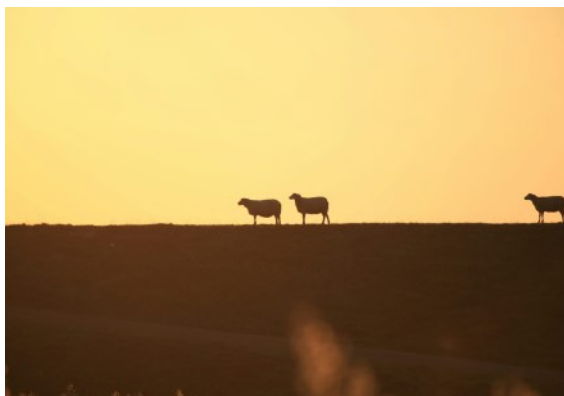
27th October 2024

Preaching: Rev. Paul Stein


Duty Elder: Pam Annison

All Age Breakfast

I Am the Good Shepherd



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Weekly Message from Serving Elder Pam A.



Bob Dyson brought a very clear message to us last Sunday. Many thanks to him and Audrey for being with us. **This week we have a special all age breakfast service beginning at 10 am and Paul will be with us.**

It's time to get our shoeboxes organised. We have the boxes available. Some of us may want to fill a box at home and bring it in, some can collect items and donate them for the boxes that will be packed by our young people. Some of us go on line to donate. We are a collection point for Dacorum again and will be having a blessing service in November.

Please let me know if you wish the church magazine to continue. Over the past few months donations of articles have been very sparse. If we continue in the present format we need articles from within the congregation as well as events happening. Otherwise we could just have a monthly events sheet.

If you are using an area of the building for a meeting or an event please don't forget to book the space in advance from Admin.

Many thanks to the team who go in to St Paul's Care Home every month to share prayer and praise with them. If you would like to join us and see what happens contact me or speak to Heather or Pat Gosling for details. The staff are wonderful and the residents really enjoy the half hour we are with them.

God has been speaking into Friday prayers with very clear messages. Join us at 12.15 in the worship room on Fridays and read the flip chart in the worship room to see what has been going on. He emphasises the importance of putting Him first and central in everything we do.

This month we have been asked to remember prisoners and prison staff in our prayers.

Don't forget to put the clocks back one hour this Saturday night.

Have a lovely week.

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 next week

	Church Information	Other activities
Monday 28th	Office hours 8.30am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-3.30pm	Half term week
Tuesday 29th	Senior Pals @ Meet and Eat 10am Office hours 9:00am –1:00pm	
Wednesday 30th	Office hours 11.30am- 3.30pm Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:30pm	
Thursday 31st	Meet and Eat 9:30am-12.30pm Office hours 9:00am –1:00pm	
Friday 1st	Office hours 8.30am-12.30pm Meditation Group 11.30am– 12.15pm Prayer Meeting 12.15pm	
Saturday 2nd		
Sunday 3rd	Service at 10:00am.	

Coming up at AFC..
7th November: More Little Fish begins
10th November: Extra Church meeting after service
15th November: Men's Curry Night

Coming Soon

More Little Fish **Baby & Toddler group**

Our second group is starting on 7th November



Pastoral & Prayer

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

"Because you loved me, delighted in me, and have been loyal to my name, I will greatly protect you. I will answer your cry for help every time you pray, and you will feel my presence in your time of trouble. I will deliver you and bring you honour."

Psalms 91:14-15 TPT

We thank you Lord.....

**For Liz and Dave and their service among us
For our Laptop team as they serve each week
For your desire to direct and instruct us**

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

**For June R as she has had a recent procedure on her eyes
For George as he continues to receive treatment on his eyes while he fulfils his church commitments
For Mark as he waits for a kidney
For those who struggle with their general health
For the elderly among us who are suffering from ill health connected to the passing of years
For those still enduring the results of long covid**

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

We also bring to the Lord our prayers for.....

CAP

**The shops and businesses situated around us
Those who worship at St Barnabas church**

We pray for these up-coming events at AFC

**Our all age breakfast service
Our Remembrance service
Our shoebox blessing service**

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

Blessed be the name of the Lord

Information

PRAY HEMEL

The next Pray Hemel is on Saturday 2nd November

St John's Church

Boxmoor

Light refreshments served from 8am, worship and prayers from
8.30am

SENIOR PALS

..A friendly group for seniors where all are welcome.

We meet Tuesdays from 10.00am until 11.45am in the Meet & Eat.

Why not pop along, meet new (or existing) friends, enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and enjoy our weekly quiz?



We have raised £26.45 in the last few months with Recycle4charity.

Recycle your ink cartridges with us so we can raise more. Bring in your cartridges, put them in a plastic bag to avoid leakages and drop them into the box at

reception and we will do the rest.

We are registered as a **public collection point**. So tell your friends, anyone can drop them in. **No Toner or laser cartridges please**. Any questions contact admin.



Wreath Recreation

Sat 30th November, 3-6pm
Adeyfield Free Church Centre

Creative Wreath Making
£22 incl. cake & tea
Hand made gifts on sale
Age 12+

More info: 0793971 6691



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FRIDAY 22ND NOVEMBER - 9PM-7AM
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Information

Curry night at The Sitar in Boxmoor: RSVP by 6th November

Ian is organising a 'Social' at the Sitar, the Indian restaurant in St. John's Road in Boxmoor, at 7.00pm on **Wednesday 13th November**. It is currently booked for 25 people and we need to pre-order as we are a large party. There is a banquet menu on a Wednesday at £16.95 per person. This gives you a starter, main course, vegetable dish and a rice (or naan). Prawn dishes are excluded from the offer. Please can you look at the menu online and let Ian have your choices. He will collate the orders and liaise with The Sitar. Could you please email carolandian44@hotmail.com **Food** order needed by Wednesday 6th November so please get back to Ian asap. We will pay individually on the night. Poppadoms, drinks and any tip will be in addition to the £16.95 set price. Please let Ian know if you are coming.

Safeguarding Training Hi All. Following the technical issues in September, this session will be repeated on **Wednesday 6th November** from 1-3pm on Zoom. I suggest that this time we all sign in individually from our homes or workplaces or any other site with a reliable internet connection.

If you are interested in doing this training please email emma.pearce@urc.org.uk with your name, Adeyfield Free Church as your home church and a description of your role in the church e.g children's worker or counsellor etc. For more information contact Sue.

Window Hearts People have said what a comfort it is to put a heart in our window for a loved one. Sadly, many were faded, so with respect and care we have gone over them with a dark pen, to honour your loved one. Some were hard to read and a few no longer showed a message, we did our best to recreate them. Please come and check you are happy with yours and if you aren't, or yours is missing as it faded to blank, we would like to invite you to make a new one in memory of your loved one. The faded-to-blank hearts are in the office, should you like to re-write your message on your original heart. Admin.



Information

Youth Get Together Saturday 26th October



A GATHERING FOR YOUNG PEOPLE FROM URC
THAMES NORTH & SOUTHERN SYNODS

FOOD

SCAVENGER HUNT & CHALLENGE

WORSHIP

10:30AM - 4:00PM

THE LUMEN COMMUNITY, LONDON WC1H 9RS

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN SECONDARY SCHOOL (Y7) TO AGE 25

CONTACT YOUR CYDO TO BOOK

Thames North - Lorraine Downer cydo@urcthamesnorth.org.uk

Southern - Tom Hackett cydo@urcsouthern.org.uk



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 11th - Monday 18th November
- Be part of our Blessing service - 17th November

