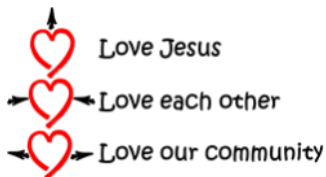




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# In Touch

## 23rd February 2025

### Unity

### Speaker: Rev Paul Stein

### Elder: Yvonne Davis



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## Thoughts from the Elders

### Message from Pam

Hello Everyone,

Last Sunday Penny helped us to see how we can copy Apostle Paul in his walk with the Lord. This week we have Pastor Paul with us in his last talk on Philippians after which we will have one more

Sunday to study that letter before we begin our Lent course.

Thank you, Chris, for your delicious Valentine biscuits with our coffee last Sunday.

If you would like Penny to get a copy of Rick Warren's Purpose Driven Life for our Lent course, please let her know as soon as possible as she will soon be sending the order off.

If you are coming to the pancake fundraiser there is only one week left to sign up or tell Zem Taylor or Pam Annison. We need numbers so that we know how many pancakes to make.

*Have a good week.*



# Meet & Eat

## 1 year Celebration

### Wed 12 & Thurs 13 March

*Including an opportunity for a prayer walk*



## Coming up

	<b>Church Information</b>	<b>Other activities</b>
<b>Monday 24th</b>	Office 8.30—12.30; 1.30—3.30pm Sue and Pats group 1:15-3:00pm	Fingerprints 9:00am-3:00pm Leap Dance 4:00-7:00pm
<b>Tuesday 25th</b>	Office 9—1pm Senior Pals 10:00am-12:00pm Chris's small group 10:00-12:00pm	Fingerprints 9:00am-3:00pm Tai Chi—7:00-8:00pm Squirrels 4:30-5:15pm
<b>Wednesday 26th</b>	Office 11.30 - 3.30pm Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:30pm U3A 10:15am-12:15pm Wednesday Home Group 2.00pm	Fingerprints 9:00am-3:00pm Fitsteps 7.45pm-8.45pm
<b>Thursday 27th</b>	Meet and Eat 9:30am-12:30pm Little Fish 9:30-10:45am Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:30pm	Fingerprints 9:00am-3:00pm
<b>Friday 28th</b>	Meditation 11.30am-12:10pm Prayers 12.15pm-1:00pm	Fingerprints 9:00am-3:00pm Squirrels 5:00-5:54pm Beavers 6:00-7:00pm Cubs 7.15-8:30pm
<b>Saturday 1st</b>		Leap Dance 9:00am-12:00pm
<b>Sunday 2nd</b>	Sunday Service: 10am	

## Coming Up...

**Pancake fundraiser: 4th March 6.30pm**

**Church Meeting: Sunday 9th March**

**Meet & Eat Celebration 12th & 13th March**

**Art Social: Friday 14th March**

**Bible Journalling: Tuesday 18th March**

**AGM: Wednesday 30th April**

**Ladies Day: 3rd May**

**Worship Event: Saturday 31st May**



# Notices



As part of our new project 'One Year of Eco Arts' funded by Dacorum Borough council and our local councillors, bring along old or unwanted items and make it into something new!

## T-SHIRT

**SCRUNCHIES, BAGS AND PLANT POT HOLDERS**

Please bring an unwanted tshirt with you.

**FRIDAY 14TH MARCH 7:30-9:30PM**

## SCRAP FABRIC

**GIFT TAGS, BOOKMARKS AND KEY RINGS**

Please bring any unwanted materials you have.

**FRIDAY 16TH MAY 7:30-9:30PM**

## TINS

**DECORATIVE TINS, VASES AND POTS**

Please bring unwanted tins of any size.

**FRIDAY 13TH JUNE 7:30-9:30PM**

## REUSABLES

**BOWL COVERS, KITCHEN ROLL AND FACE WIPES**

Please bring unwanted cotton material.

**FRIDAY 11TH JULY 7:30-9:30PM**



Location:

**Adeyfield Free Church Centre,  
Maylands Avenue, HP2 4GZ**



One Year of

**ECO  
ARTS**



**Price: £5**

Please bring items with you to reuse in the workshops. Price includes refreshments.

Book via our website:  
[www.expressions.academy](http://www.expressions.academy)



## Pancake Day Fundraiser

March 4<sup>th</sup> between 6.30pm and 8.30pm: In the Meet and Eat

You are invited to a Shrove Tuesday Pancake Fest. Pancakes and Scotch Pancakes with a variety of delicious toppings, teas and coffees.

Have a go at a quiz or join the pancake race! Donations go towards our work and mission. Please RSVP using the sign up sheet on reception or email Pam by Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March. [pamramannison@gmail.com](mailto:pamramannison@gmail.com)





## Notices

# THE Mix HEROES UNLEASHED

SUNDAY 9TH MARCH 2025

### VENUE

Christ Church Baptist,  
The Nap, Kings Langley  
WD4 8ET

### DATE & TIME

Sunday 9th March 3pm – 5.30pm

### FREE ENTRY

For young people aged 11 – 18

Bring a friend  
or two!

### HIGHLIGHTS

Toxic Inflatable Obstacle Course  
Hero Training Academy including

- Spidey sticky hands
- Captain America dodgeball
- Captain Marvel dexterity
- Wolverine dictionary
- Antman manoeuvres
- Superhero refreshments

### TALK

Jesus, The Ultimate Superhero  
by Mary Purkiss



This event has kindly been sponsored by Casino UK



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## LENT COURSE

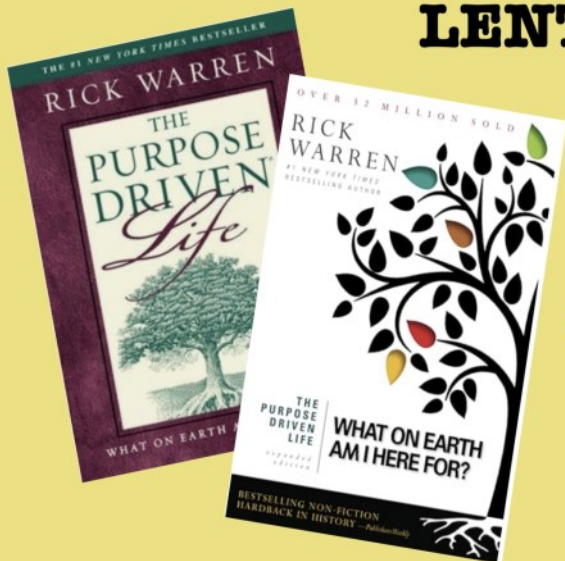
You are invited to join us  
In a Lent study  
“The Purpose Driven Life”

Starts on the 5th March  
Please sign up if you need  
us to order your book

£10 - 12 each

To order your own:  
Zondervan, 2012

ISBN-13: 978-0310335511



## Weekly Prayers

**Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others : Phil.2 v 4**

**We thank you Lord.....**

That Shirley seems a little better

For the children and youth in our church family

The funding we have been promised

**Help us if we are to be an answer to these prayers.**

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

For Shirley that improvement will continue

For Mark, June P, June R, Clive and Shaz

For those still suffering from chest complaints and colds

For those going through family discord

**We pray for these up-coming events at AFC**

The Pancake Event and other fundraising events in the near future

The start of our Lent course

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

**Bless you.**

**Lord you are more precious than silver**

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

**Everyday:** Rev Paul Stein **Sunday:** Sue **Monday:** Yvonne

**Tuesday:** Rev Paul Stein **Wednesday:** Potential New Elders

**Thursday:** All Elders **Friday:** Pam **Saturday:** Penny



## Pray Hemel—1st March

Next Pray Hemel is at the Liberty Tea Rooms, 12 Bank Court, HP1 1BS. It is good to meet at that this venue on March 1st as it means that any of you who want to attend both PH and the Ladies Day at the South Hill Centre can do so.

Refreshments from 8 am, prayers from 8.30 am. .

If any ladies are coming to the Restored conference at South Hill there is a relaxed start. Registration and refreshments are from 9am And worship starts at 9.30am. So plenty of time to do both Pray Hemel and conference. Please pray for us all.

Pray Hemel Team



**Should we have a Church Camp this August?**

**Speak to Penny or email admin**

**if you are interested**

**Possible dates: 1-4th August**

## Safeguarding at AFC

**Safeguarding Training 2025** To book a place on any of the zoom training listed below, please email [safeguarding@urcthamesnorth.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@urcthamesnorth.org.uk)

### E Learning

Foundation training and safeguarding Coordinators training are available as e-learning courses. Simply follow the links below to access the courses.

#### Foundation Safeguarding Training

<https://www.urclearninghub.org.uk/course/view.php?id=24>

#### Safeguarding Coordinators Training

<https://www.urclearninghub.org.uk/course/view.php?id=70>

#### ZOOM Intermediate Safeguarding Training

Tuesday 25th March 2025 - 6.30pm - 9.00pm

Tuesday 22nd April 2025 – 12.30pm-3.00pm

Monday 12th May 2025 - 6.30pm- 9.00pm

Thursday 5th June 2025 - 12.30 – 3.00pm

Saturday 2nd August 2025 - 10.30am – 1.00pm

Tuesday 16th September 2025 – 6.30pm – 9.00pm

#### ZOOM Advanced Safeguarding Training

Part 1 - Tuesday 16th September 2025 - 6.30pm – 9.00pm

Part 2 - Tuesday 23rd September 2025 - 6.30pm – 9.00pm

**ALL people working/volunteering with children & vulnerable adults need to attend an intermediate & advanced course. For any queries, please ask Sue Grimsdale or [safeguarding@adeyfieldfree.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@adeyfieldfree.org.uk)**

