

# Prayer Pointers for this coming week

- Pray for the shoeboxes as they make their way to the children over the next few weeks.
- Continue to pray for those that are unwell in our church family.
- Pray for Paul Davies as we have his induction service next Sunday.

### Advance dates for your diary

• Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December Nativity Service 10.30am

• Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December Ladies Reading Group 7.30pm

The book they are reading this month is 'Isaiah's Daughter' by Mesa Andrews

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December Carol Services 4pm and 7pm
 Please note there will be NO morning service on 23<sup>rd</sup> December.

• Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Day Service 10am

### **Weekly Activities**

Young Youth Mon, 6.30pm – 7.45pm in the Back Hall - ages 11-14

Prayer Meeting Mon, 8.15pm in the Back Hall
Toddle In Tues, 9.30am – 11.30am in the Back Hall

Tuesday Club Tues, 5.30pm – 6.30pm in the Back Hall - ages 6 -11

Senior Youth Tues, 7.30pm in the Back Hall for ages 14 -18

Life Groups Tues/Wed evening and Fri morning at various locations

Prayer Meeting Wed, 6.30am – 7.30am in the church

### **Contact Details**

For more information about our Church and activities please contact:

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Pastoral Care Team: Our Pastoral Care Team is available to help please contact

Maureen Cornell

Emergency Prayer Chain: Send text to Jackie Wardell

### Notices for the Next Edition of the Church Newsletter:

Deadline Tuesday please email to: <a href="mailto:admin@bournebaptistchurch.org">admin@bournebaptistchurch.org</a>



# A very warm welcome to our Sunday Service

# Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2018

10.00am Morning Prayer Meeting

10.30am Morning Communion Service led by Paul Davies

Nick Humphreys is speaking today on 'An Invitation to

Adventure' Mark 1 v 14 - 20

There is a Sunday Club today for primary aged children and years 7 to 9. They will go out during the service to the hall at the rear of the church. Parents are asked to collect their children during the final song.

There is a crèche room available in the back hall, with a live video link of the service, for use by parents of young children during the service if needed.



Tea and coffee will be available in the back hall after the service, where you will also find our Welcome Desk to obtain more information about our church.

### 153: On Your Knees

'153: On your knees' is our initiative to pray for those that are not yet saved.153 days of daylight saving time, 153 payers for someone you would like to pray for to be saved. We are 21 days into this, its not too late to start if you haven't already. Pick up a leaflet from the Welcome Desk for further details.

### **Friday Prayer Meetings**

On Fridays, between 11.30am and 1.00pm, we will be holding a 'Drop in for Prayer' in the church. We are doing this to focus on those suffering from illness and those experiencing difficulties, such as those battling cancer, dementia, worry and depression, work and home difficulties, other illnesses and problems. If you wish to be prayed for or anointed with oil, there will be provision for this. How long you stay is up to you? You will be able to sit quietly and pray or visit prayer stations around the church.

### **November Bible Readings**

Continuing with the challenge to get to know God's word better, the November list of suggested Bible readings is available to collect from the Welcome Desk.

# **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD (SHOEBOX APPEAL)**



# Thank you for giving this Christmas away

### 113 Shoeboxes collected

This year, together with Bourne Elsea Park School, Willoughby School, Westfield Primary School and Langtoft Primary School we have collected a fantastic 113 shoeboxes. A HUGE thank you to all who have donated shoeboxes to this year's appeal. Thank you for making 113 childrens' Christmas a very special one. Please continue to pray for the safe passage of the boxes as they start the journey to the children this week.

### **Paul Davies Induction Service**

As part of our morning service next Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> November, Paul Davies will be inducted into the ministry at Bourne Baptist Church. Afterwards we will be sharing a sandwich buffet and cake. If you wish to stay for food, please sign up and if you can help with baking cakes please sign up at the Welcome Desk.

# Together Prayer Meeting Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December

There will be a Together prayer meeting in the church on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm, where we will be praying for our Christmas services.

### An Evening of Glitz and Glamour

'An Evening of Glitz and Glamour' is a ladies event taking place this Friday,  $23^{rd}$  November, 7.3opm in the back hall. A three-course meal is provided by Clark Catering. Tickets cost £15 and are available from Carla Luxford

HELP - Male helpers are wanted to help with serving on the evening. If you are able to help, please let Carla know.

#### **Bourne Christmas Market**

We have booked a stall at the Bourne Christmas market on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December, where we will be asking people to decorate stars to include in our Christmas decorations in the church. This will give us an opportunity to share our faith and invite people to our carol services. Sign-up sheets are on the Welcome Desk for helping, as well as volunteering at the CTIB Living Nativity between 1pm and 2pm.

# **Holly Wreath for Christmas**

Help raise funds for Brighter Future by purchasing a handmade Holly Wreath with festive bow. Orders must be placed by Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November for collection or delivery on 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Price £9.50 each, all orders to Leigh Smith. Order forms are available on the Welcome Desk.

# Access to toilets during the service

Please can we kindly ask that during the service on a Sunday morning, if you need to use the toilets, that you use the disabled toilet in the back hall just inside the doors, so as not to disturb the Sunday School.

### Who let the Dads Out

Who let the Dads out continues on Saturday 8th December from 10am to 12pm in the back hall. This is a Dads/male carers and toddler group taking place the second Saturday of each month.

# Chill 'n' Chat Thursday 13th December

Chill 'n' Chat, the Christmas special, takes place on Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> December, 10am to 12pm, in the back hall. This is for anyone within our church and the local community to meet with others, gain support etc. For further details, speak to Maureen Cornell.