

Prayer Points and Information

Give thanks that Jesus, 'the bread of life', has given his life for the world, and that all who believe in him will have everlasting life.

Give thanks and pray for continuing strength, grace, and wisdom for Charmaine Howard as she moves into her fourth year as pastor of Northolt Park Baptist Church.

As World Food Day is marked this Sunday, 16 October, almost a billion people will go to bed hungry this night as escalating prices put staple foods beyond their budget. Tearfund encourages Christians to pray, perhaps using these words: 'Lord, the scale of global poverty is beyond our understanding. Give bread to those who are hungry and a hunger for justice for those who have bread. Grant us the faith and persistence to sow seeds of righteousness that might take years or even generations to bear fruit.'

Pray for those who have suffered from the escalation of sectarian clashes in Egypt over recent months. Pray that God will strengthen local churches so that they can be a light in their communities.

Last week marked ten years since British and American forces invaded Afghanistan, starting a period of political and military intervention that has resulted in strong emotions, heavy fighting and many casualties. The Baptist Missionary Society asks us to pray for their workers and partners in Afghanistan as well as for change, peace and equality for all people in that country.

CONTACTS FOR CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday Fellowship*Joyce Bungay*
Wednesday Fellowship*Margaret Carey*
Wednesday Evening Fellowship*Charmaine Howard*
Girls Brigade*Ruth Rego*
Focus For Men*John Howard*
Youth Group.....*Charmaine Howard*

Contacts for Pastoral Issues

Margaret Carey and Charmaine Howard

Please avoid contacting Charmaine on a Monday, as it is her day off.

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16 October 2011

Our congregation is made up of ordinary people meeting together to worship God. We are united in our faith in, and love for, the Lord Jesus Christ, and hope that you sense the presence and power of the Spirit of God as you worship with us.

Refreshments are served after the service, so please stay for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

'Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." "Sir," they said, "always give us this bread." Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty".'

John 6:32-35

16 October 2011

- 11.00am **Communion Service**
Speaker: Antony Billington
- 5.00pm **Youth Group**
- 7.30pm **Prayer Meeting**

Weekly Activities

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| Tuesday | 10.00am | Tuesday Morning Fellowship <i>Meets at the church</i> |
| Wednesday | 1.45pm | Wednesday Fellowship <i>Meets the first Wednesday of each month at the church</i> |
| | 8.00pm | Wednesday Evening Fellowship <i>Meets at the church</i> |
| Thursday | 6.00pm | Girls Brigade <i>Meets at the Church</i> |
| | 8.00pm | Focus For Men <i>Meets the first Thursday of each month at various venues</i> |
| Friday | 7.30pm | Worship Group <i>Meets at the Church</i> |

23 October 2011

- 11.00am **Morning Worship**
Speaker: Charmaine Howard
- 5.00pm **Youth Group**
- 7.30pm **Prayer Meeting**

Advance Notices

Thursday 10 November, 8.00pm
Prayer & Worship at Greenford Baptist Church

Sunday 20 November, 2.00pm after lunch
Church Members' Meeting

Thursdays – 1, 8, 15, and 22 December
Advent Course

Saturday 17 December
Christmas Party

Sunday 18 December
Carols by Candlelight Service

*Please see the notice board in the entrance foyer
for any forthcoming local events.*



Sunday Services in October-November

23 October
Morning Worship
Charmaine Howard speaking

30 October
Morning Worship
Speaker to be confirmed

6 November
Morning Worship
Olu Falowo speaking

13 November
Remembrance Sunday
Family & Parade Service
Antony Billington speaking