Update

Sunday 5th – 12th January 2014



- A very special **welcome** to the first church service in the year of our Lord, 2014. May 2014 be a Happy & Blessed New Year for you all!
- Our New Year starts with a **Covenant Service**. It is based upon John Wesley's recognition that people must accept and also grow in relationship with God through Christ. He believed that God's grace and love constantly prompts and seeks to transform us, and so we should continually seek and pray to grow in holiness and love.
- This is our year of **Jubilee**, celebrating 50 years as a Nazarene church in Brooklands. Our celebration will be rolled out over the year.
- Please note, there is no evening service tonight. The next one is Feb' 2nd.
- Apologies, our **AGM** is on Sunday 9th February, not 16th as previously announced.
- We encourage everyone to join us in <u>reading</u> through the New Testament (see back page), praying for one another and seeking the Lord's will.

This Week:

Today	10.30 am	Covenant Service: 'The Beginning'
Monday		Home Group at Isobel's
Wednesday	10.00 am	Toddle-in Group
	7.30 pm	Home Group at Frank & Peggy's
	7.45 pm	Home Group at Mike & Marion's
Thursday	7.00 pm	YP at Church
Friday	7.30 pm	Board Meeting at Pastor's house
Sunday	10.30 am	Morning Service: 'The Calling'

For your Calendar:

- **Ladies Retreat** Friday 24th January
- Kidz Church Prize-giving 2nd February
- **Church AGM** Sunday 9th February

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Prayers & Daily Readings for this week:

- Pray for Sandra's son, Simon, in hospital following one week of chemo'.
- Jean & Albert ask that we prayer for Doreen, Jean's cousin, very ill just now.
- Pray for MP Paul Goggins, who has suffered a stroke (Paul has been very supportive of our work in Brooklands). We have informed him of our promise to pray for him.
- Also pray for Sue & her step dad, Lawrence, Wayne. & those at University

Monday Reading Rom 4:13-5:21

Pray for Herbert & Jeanne McGonigle & family

Tuesday Reading Rom 6

Pray for Fines Mejeh

Reading Rom 7:1–8:11 Wednesday

Pray for Sigrid Nwator & Family

Thursday Reading Rom 8:12-39

Pray for Myra O'Hara and family

Friday Reading Rom 9:1-10:4

Pray for John & Vera Packard

Saturday Reading: Psalm 119 verses 97 - 112

Pray for Christian, Angie and Dennis

Sunday Reading Psalm 119 verses 113 - 128

Pray for Sandra & Mike Pitt Family

2014: OUR YEAR OF JUBILEE, A YEAR OF HOPE, FREEDOM IN CHRIST AND GOOD NEWS!

The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind. . . ' (Luke 4: 18)