# **Update**

# Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> September 2014



Brooklands Nazarene Church – Manchester M23 9FN

- It is great to see you all at our morning service. A special welcome to any first time visitors.
- Our **Christianity Explored Course** starts this Wednesday; doors are open at 6.45pm with the meal starting at 7.00pm. If you are planning to come, please let the Pastor know for catering purposes.
- Our season of Celebration and Invitation is upon us, so please use the invitation slips to invite someone to our 'Back to Church Sunday'. Please offer to come with them or pick them up if you can.
- Our **Harvest Service** is on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October. We will confirm next week what our plans are regarding foodstuff etc.
- Please pick up your booking form for the annual ladies' Retreat, £15. See below.
- This week is orientation week for new students at NTC. Best wishes to **Lucy & Luis** returning for their second year.

#### This Week

| Today                     | 10.30 am | Morning Service: 'The Turning Point' |
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| Monday                    | 7.30 pm  | Home Group at Isobel's               |
| Tuesday                   | 12.00 pm | Dinnaz                               |
| Wednesday                 | 10.00 am | Toddle-in Group                      |
| _                         | 7.00 pm  | Christianity Explored Course         |
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| Saturday                  | 4.00 pm  | Induction: Rev B Hall at Leeds South |
| Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept | 10.30 am | Morning Service:                     |

## September starts our Season of Celebration & Invitation:

- Invitation slips are at the back of Church
- Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September, All Age Back to Church Sunday, 10.30am
- Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October, BLT Ladies Retreat at NTC, Didsbury
- Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October, Harvest Celebration, 10.30am
- Looking ahead; the College Graduation is on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> October

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### Our Readings and Prayers for the coming week

- Pray for all attending the Christianity Explored Course
- Pray for the person you are 'inviting' to our Back to Church Sunday
- Pray for Lucy & Luis returning to NTC
- Pray for Scotland and the vote this week
- · Our Diner is full these Tuesdays, please pray for all who attend

Monday Reading Luke 15:11–32

Pray for Theresa Baker & family, and Oliver

Tuesday Reading Luke 16

Pray for Vivienne and family

Wednesday Reading Luke 17

Pray for Connie Betts

Thursday Reading Luke 18:1–30

Pray for Mark, Joanne, Jack & Tom Bolton

Friday Reading Luke 18:31–19:10

Pray for Audrey Bolton & family

Saturday Reading: Psalm 68

Pray for Annette

Sunday Reading Psalm 69

Pray for Robert Bond

'Jesus said, If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me' (Mark 8: 34)