## **Update**

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb – 1<sup>st</sup> March 2015

Manchester Brooklands Nazarene Church – M23 9FN



- We have come here today to worship the Lord! We have prayed that you will be blessed in our service.
- We have a full church programme running this week. Next Sunday brings in the first Sunday of March the beginning of spring!
- If anyone **lost money** last Sunday, please see Bill Graham.
- This week our **Toddle-in Group** and **Discipleship Explored Group** will resume again.
- The funeral service for **Betty Flanagan** will be held at Stockport Crematorium on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 11.15am.
- We will leave the envelopes for Victoria Hong's half marathon (raising money for Cancer Research) at the back of church for today. If you would like to support her please take one and write 'Victoria' on it and put it in the offering.
- Melissa is running a **coffee morning** on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February in the back hall for a children's charity, from 10.00am.

## This Week:

Today	10.30 am	Morning Service: Our speaker is Jaime
		Filoteo
Monday	7.15pm	Home Group at Isobel's
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Diner
Wednesday	11.15 am	Funeral of Betty Flanagan
	7.30 pm	Discipleship Explored Group
	7.30 pm	Home Group at Viv's
	7.45 pm	Home Group at Mike & Marion's
Saturday	10.00 am	Coffee Morning (for children's charity)
Sunday 1st	9.30 am	Men's Prayer Group
March	10.30 pm	Morning Service: 'The Long History', Lent
	6.30 pm	Evening Communion: John Packard

- The **Auditor's Report** for the AGM statement is on the notice board.
- Mother's Day coming up on Sunday 15th March, with Mrs V Packard

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## Readings and Prayers this week:

- We continue intercede for Simon Pitt, Wayne Hallsworth; we also pray for every researcher involved in the fight against cancer
- We pray for those recently bereaved
- We pray for our Bible College at NTC and all the students, especially Lucy, Kingdom and Jez

Monday Reading Mark 1:35–2:28

Pray for Enid & James Collins & family

Tuesday Reading Mark 3

Pray for Heather & Elouise Critchley & Mum

Wednesday Reading Mark 4:1–29

Pray for Simona Ciufu

Thursday Reading Mark 4:30–5:20

Pray for Jean Davidson

Friday Reading Mark 5:21–43

Pray for Bill & Sue Ellis

Saturday Reading Psalm 116

Pray for Phil Evans and family

Sunday Reading Psalm 117

Pray for Ian & Estelle Felstead, Karina, Hannah &

Amy

Interesting: 'The Lord detests dishonest scales, but delights in accurate weights' (Proverbs 11) The Fairtrade mark is now recognized by 80% of people in the UK. Many Fairtrade products are now available – after all, it's only fair that we help poor third world farmers and traders in order to enable them to get a fair wage!