

# Update

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015

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- It's great to have you worship with us this morning! Welcome to our morning service.
- Next Sunday is, of course, **Mothers' Day** and it will take the form of an all-age family service. The children will be able to stay in and have something to do during the message. We hope you can join us for this special occasion.
- We continue with our **Lent Series** entitled, *Aspects of the Cross: See it Afresh, Serve Him Anew*. This morning we are thinking about 'The Question of the Ages'. We do pray that this Easter series will be both a guide and a blessing to you in your life right now.
- Next Sunday, a lady called Flo who attends Isobel's home group is **100 years old!** There is a card to sign, if you wish, at the back of church.

## This Week:

<b>Today</b>	10.30 am	<b>Morning Service:</b> <i>'The Question of the Ages'</i>
<b>Monday</b>	7.15pm	<b>Home Group</b> at Isobel's
<b>Tuesday</b>	12.00 pm	<b>Diner</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00 am	<b>Toddle-in Group</b>
	7.30 pm	<b>Discipleship Explored Group</b>
	7.30 pm	<b>Home Group</b> at Viv's
	7.45 pm	<b>Home Group</b> at Mike & Marion's
<b>Friday</b>	7.30 pm	<b>Board meeting</b>
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>	10.30 pm	<b>Mothers' Day Family Service:</b> <i>Our speaker is Mrs Vera Packard</i>

- Young Peoples' **NYUK House Party** at NTC (ages 11-18), 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> March.
- Various holidays** advertised on the church notice boards, namely: **Kids Summer Camp** at the end of July, and **Breakthru** in August
- Next month: Good Friday Communion Service** (3<sup>rd</sup> April) at 10.00am; **Easter Sunday Service** (5<sup>th</sup> April). All welcome.

## Readings and Prayers this week:

- Pray for those you sit beside in church today
- We especially pray for Simon Pitt awaiting results of a recent scan
- We pray for areas of the world where there is conflict. Ask God to call those in our generation who will bring about reconciliation.
- We pray for a national leader in the coming elections who will be the right person for this day

Monday	Reading Mark 9:30–10:12 Pray for Brenda & Keith Hambleton & family
Tuesday	Reading Mark 10:13–34 Pray for Diane Hallam
Wednesday	Reading Mark 10:35–11:14 Pray for Nat & Christine Herbert & family
Thursday	Reading Mark 11:15–12:12 Pray for Michelle, Stephanie & Victoria Hong
Friday	Reading Mark 12:13–44 Pray for Marjorie Hopwood
Saturday	Reading: Psalm 120 Pray for Sebastian, Claudia & Nathan Ianos & family
Sunday	Reading Psalm 121 Pray for Claire & Chloe Silverton & Family

**Interesting:** The Christian Embassy comes alongside diplomatic staff and their families from all over the world, hosting receptions and other events, offering personal support and spiritual guidance. See [www.ce-london.org.uk](http://www.ce-london.org.uk)