

# Update

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> March 2015

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- It's great to have you with us today to worship the Lord. This Update completes the one year Celebration of our Golden Jubilee! With our weekly worship and Jesus life-style, we seek to honour God.
- We had a **great service** for Mothering Sunday last week, with a full church. It is good to express our gratitude to God and our mums for their wonderful gift of love to us.
- If anyone is interested in enquiring about church **membership**; *please have a word with our pastor.* We are planning to take people into membership in May. We will plan time to discuss its meaning and significance.
- Don't forget to put your **clocks forward one hour** on Saturday evening.
- Did you lose a pair of leather gloves? (They're in the back hall.)

## This Week:

<b>Today</b>	10.30 am	<b>Morning Service:</b> 'It Gets Personal'
<b>Monday</b>	7.15 pm	<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>		<b>NYUK House Party weekend (NTC)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>		<b>Clocks go forward one hour!</b>
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March</b>	10.30 pm	<b>Palm Sunday Service:</b> All welcome! Lent Series: 'The Last Day'

## Easter Services

- Good Friday Communion Service** (3<sup>rd</sup> April) at 10.00 am
- Easter Sunday Service** (5<sup>th</sup> April): All welcome

## Various holidays

- Kids Summer Camp** at the end of July
- Breakthru family holiday** in August

## Readings and Prayers this week:

- We continue to pray for Simon, Wayne, Doreen, Estelle's parents, Dorothy and Bill Ellis's niece - Sue, amongst others
- Pray for Rita, a church neighbour, and her treatment at Christies
- We were sorry to hear that Diane's brother-in-law & David Walkers father both passed away last week. Pray for *all* who bereaved recently
- We pray for Mike who has not been well recently
- Pray for Joshua Savu, Ada and Nick's son who has broken his leg.

Monday	Reading Mark 16 Pray for Kingdom, Debi, David, Sarah & Faith Matsetlo
Tuesday	Reading Luke 1:1–38 Pray for Mary Waterfield
Wednesday	Reading Luke 1:39–66 Pray for Sue McKenzie & family
Thursday	Reading Luke 1:67–2:21 Pray for Herbert & Jeanne McGonigle & family
Friday	Reading Luke 2:22–52 Pray for Fines Mejuh
Saturday	Reading: Psalm 124 Pray for Sigrid Nwator & family
Sunday	Reading Psalm 125 Pray for our Easter Services

**Water** – We almost take it for granted. One day it may be a lot more precious than we think it is today. 2.5 billion people lack access to improved sanitation. Each year 3.4 million (including half a million children) die from water, sanitation and hygiene-related causes.

Let's pray for those charities that help provide clean drinking water to needy communities. And thank God for the water of life (John 4: 13-14).