

# Update

## Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2017

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- ▶ **Welcome** to our Mothers' Day Service! We give a special welcome to our guest speaker for today, Sophie Peel-Yates who lives in Sheffield. I am glad to see you all remembered to put your clocks forward one hour last night.
- ▶ Last weekend's **Dare to Dream Conference** was a very timely challenge to all who attended. Our keynote speaker was Alan Hirsch. If you can read any of his books you will find them very relevant for today's 'post-modern' society. The church board will consider some good aspects of this Conference and hopefully implement forward thinking actions.
- ▶ Many of you will have received an email inviting you to make use of **RightNow Media**. Next Sunday we will outline a few helpful aspects of this.
- ▶ Our very special **Birthdays wishes to Audrey** who is 80 years old today. I really ought to say '80 years young', as she continues to be youthful in spirit, alongside her faithful ministry in music of over 60 years. **We welcome all the family** present today for this special celebration!
- ▶ We were so sorry to hear that Les Hoolihan died on Thursday. Gladys & Les faithfully attended our evening meetings and Tuesday Diner.
- ▶ Our congratulations to Jez on receiving his first **District Licence**.

### Coming up:

Today	10.30am	Mothers' Day: Speaker – Sophie Peel-Yates
Monday	7.00pm	Home Group at The Grange
Tuesday	12.00pm	DINNAZ
Wednesday	10.00am	Toddle-in Group
	7.30pm	Home Group at Viv's
	7.45pm	Home Group at Mike & Marion's
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	9.30am	Men's Prayer Group
	10.30pm	Morning Service: 'The Two Endings' Our pastor is speaking

### Reading and Praying Together:

- ▶ Terry's operation went very well and will need a couple of months to convalesce
- ▶ We continue to pray for Lucy and the first Life Skills Course
- ▶ We remember all the mums today and those who are our adopted mums too
- ▶ Our prayers are for those families who are suffering anguish following the latest terror attack in London; we also pray for our police and security forces both locally and nationally
- ▶ We pray for Mike T, Annette J, Albert C and Connie B etc

**Monday** Reading Luke 1:1-25  
Pray for Mike & Marion Tewkesbury & family

**Tuesday** Reading Luke 1:26-56  
Pray for those who have been missing

**Wednesday** Reading Luke 1:57-80  
Pray for Jean & Dave Walker & family

**Thursday** Reading Luke 2:1-24  
Pray for Margaret White & family

**Friday** Reading Luke 2:25-52  
Pray for Norma Whyte & family

**Saturday** Reading: Gen 15  
Pray for Mary Waterfield and family

**Sunday** Reading Gen 16  
Pray for Nikki & Mathew Armett, Antony Jessica & family