

JESUS CHRIST OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST

Friends

"The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for the thousandth generation, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin" - Exodus 34:6-7a.

One of my favourite appearances of God in the Scripture can be found in Exodus 34. God places Moses in the cleft of a rock and passes by. But what Moses 'sees' often strikes me. Instead of bright lights or thrones or fire or unexplainable visions (see Isaiah, Ezekiel, John in Revelation) Moses catches a glimpse of God's character. And he finds that God is good and compassionate and loving!

Next week we will celebrate God's goodness to us in a Thanksgiving service. There will be a guest speaker, a Harvest display (late, I know), and multiple opportunities for us to give to worthy causes connected to us as a church.

Our guest speaker will be Chick Yuill. Chick is no stranger to us as Brooklands Nazarene and we have enjoyed his preaching on many occasions before. As well as preaching, Chick will be promoting his new book and if you wish to purchase it at £9.99 royalties from Chick's sales go to Compassion UK (www.compassionuk.org).

You will have noticed that supply chain issues in the country have resulted in stocks running low in a number of supermarkets. This has created a knock on effect for local food charities running foodbanks etc. Please come prepared to contribute to our Harvest display by providing non-perishable items. These will be distributed locally.

There will be a special cash offering as we as a church look to partner with Tearfund's wonderful Toilet Twinning project. Details of what Toilet twinning entails can be found here: www.toilettwinning.org

Finally, I want to remind us of our agreement to care for each other in response to the Covid 19 Pandemic. I have noticed that less and less people are opting to wear masks in the sanctuary as we worship together. Please continue to be mindful that there are vulnerable people in our community and that as we enter into winter with colds and flus things will likely become more complicated. This is not something that we will police but simply appeal for us to do our best at. Thank you for considering others.

Peace,

Mick



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Church Calendar



MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Date	Event
Wednesday 20 October 2021	Toddle-In at church, 10am to 11:30am
Wednesday 20 October 2021	FoodCycle free community meal at church at 7:00pm
Thursday 21 October 2021	Community Café, 11am to 2pm
Sunday 24 October 2021	Morning Service at 10:30am—Chick Yuill speaking, including Harvest Thanksgiving
Sunday 12 Dec 2021	Children's Christmas presentation
Sunday 19 Dec 2021	Church Christmas Banquet
11-13 February 2022	Ladies' Weekend - Created to Create



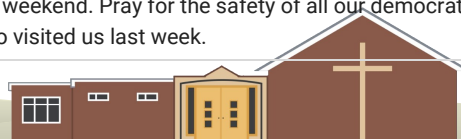
DAILY BIBLE READING AND PRAYER GUIDE

Date	Reading	Pray for
Monday 18th October	Colossians 1:1–23	Josh, Molly, Miley-Rose, Jonah and Ezra Jenkinson
Tuesday 19th October	Colossians 1:24–2:23	Katie and Scott Cameron
Wednesday 20th October	Colossians 3:1–4:1	Isobel Cave and Family
Thursday 21st October	Colossians 4:2–18	Christine Clarke
Friday 22nd October	1 Thessalonians 1:1–2:16	Enid and James Collins and Family
Saturday 23rd October	Catch up	Luis, Miriam and family
Sunday 24th October	1 Thessalonians 2:17–4:18	Elouise Critchley



PRAYER REQUESTS

- John Beattie has decided not to continue with this recent chemotherapy due to the impact of the side effects. He has a meeting with his consultant this week to discuss what options are left for him. Continue to pray for both him and Anne.
- Pray for Bill Ellis as he awaits the results of blood tests.
- Pray for Pastor Mick's dad, also Mick, who needs a lot of prayer at this time.
- Steve and Jean Boyd would like to give thanks for the prayers of the church. They are out of their isolation period and feeling well.
- Pray for Chris Hoolihan who continues to experience arrhythmia of the heart. She is in working with her doctor as to how to resolve this. Pray too for their Son Philip, in Vietnam, who has been in hospital recently.
- We continue to pray for Annette and Mike Jones and give thanks that Annette's condition is improving.
- Continue to pray for Brenda Cawley and family as her granddaughter's partner, Owen is very ill with cancer.
- Continue to pray for Alan Roberts, son-in-law of Val Batty, who has cancer.
- We continue to pray for others in our congregation who need healing. Including, Jon F, Colin Dunbar, Claire.
- Pray for the safety of our church as we continue our journey out of restrictions, and as we plan for the Autumn and Christmas seasons.
- Pray for those we have recently come into contact with, and who are showing an interest in church.
- Pray for the continuing work of the church in the local community.
- Pray for the family and friends of Sir David Amess, the MP who was killed this weekend. Pray for the safety of all our democratically elected representatives, including our own Member of Parliament, Mike Kane MP, who visited us last week.



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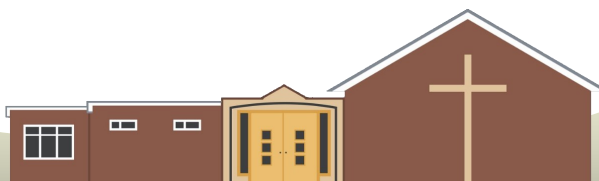
**Sunday#17
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Sunday 17 October: Mick Kane

Sermon: Jesus our Great High Priest

Text: Hebrews 5:1-10

1. Every high priest is selected from among the people and is appointed to represent the people in matters related to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins.
2. He is able to deal gently with those who are ignorant and are going astray, since he himself is subject to weakness.
3. This is why he has to offer sacrifices for his own sins, as well as for the sins of the people.
4. And no one takes this honour on himself, but he receives it when called by God, just as Aaron was.
5. In the same way, Christ did not take on himself the glory of becoming a high priest. But God said to him, "You are my Son; today I have become your Father."
6. And he says in another place, "You are a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek."
7. During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.
8. Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered
9. and, once made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him
10. and was designated by God to be high priest in the order of Melchizedek.





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