

## Service details

### *This Sunday*

10.10am – Prayer in the Gale room.

The service this morning will be led by Simon Burgin. Mark will preach.

**Title:** *Grace in our Giving*

**Reading:** *2 Corinthians 8:1-15 and 9:6-15*

There is no Christianity Explored session this week.

### *Next Sunday*

The service will be led by Bob Sullivan and include communion. Mark will preach.

12 noon – All are welcome to gather for 45 minutes to discuss the future of the UBC Ministry Team.

3pm – Christianity Explored Session 6.

### *Personal strategy actions*

This week we encourage you to:-

*Commit to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide UBC to the most appropriate person to assist within the Leadership Team.*

## Notices

### *Church meetings*

#### **All of the church**

There will be a meeting following the service on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June at 12 noon to which everyone is invited. This will be an opportunity for the Deacons to share their vision for the future ministry of UBC.

#### **Members AGM**

This will be in Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm.

### *Thank you - AWM*

Thank you so much for making me so welcome Sunday morning. It was a real privilege to be with you and to be able to share something of what God is doing in the Arab world – and at Pentecost too!

We have just heard this morning of a young man by the name of Hani from North Africa who has made contact with our media team. He is very open and ready to accept Jesus, but he is very afraid. One of our workers is now in correspondence with him. Please do pray for Hani and the Arab worker at this time - Chris Binstead AWM.

### *Self discovery and relaxation group*

This group starts in the Gale room for an eight week trial on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June from 2–4pm. If you, or you know anyone with mental health problems that would benefit from this wellbeing group please take a flyer from the table at the back for more information. Many thanks Lisa Hallett.

## Notices

### *Playgroup 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday*

The playgroup has been running for 50 years this year and to celebrate we are holding an Open Day on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July from 11am–4pm and a celebration service on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July at 10.30am. Anyone who has been involved in the playgroup over the years, either attending as a child or parent of a child, helping out or working as an “auntie” are invited to come along and join in the celebration. We would like to have a display of photographs, memories etc so if you are able to provide any of these please speak to Caroline Kinder or Alison Bennett.

### *Lighthouse gospel festival*

LGF is an evangelistic outreach program where we reach out to people in our communities. We are planning a three day evangelist event in Hornchurch leisure centre from 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> June. Please see blue notice board for further details.

### *EBA Gathering*

On 7<sup>th</sup> July at Histon Baptist Church. Full details are on the notice board in the foyer, together with a sign-up list. It would be good if we could go together as a group this year.

### *Musical meander*

United singers will be commemorating the Great War 1914-18 at UBC on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 6.30pm with songs from popular musicals. Tickets are adults £8.00 and concessions £5.00. See blue notice board for more information.

### *Finance*

Offerings ..... £353.86  
Stand by Me ..... £20.00

## Notices



### Network course

We hope to run another Network course over three Sunday afternoons, beginning on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July. This is an opportunity to explore your gifts and talents and how you might use them in God's service. If you would like to attend, please let Mark know.

## Prayer



- Pray that God the Holy Spirit will direct us as we consider the future of the Ministry Team at UBC.
- Continue to pray for Muslims across the world during Ramadan. As they seek to draw closer to God through fasting and prayer, may they encounter Jesus the Saviour.
- Continue to pray for our young people sitting exams at this time of the year.

## Vision statement



### We aim to:

*Learn from Jesus*  
*Walk with Jesus*  
*Love like Jesus*

### Learn from Jesus

Our desire is to grow daily in our personal relationships with God as the Holy Spirit works in us.

### Walk with Jesus

Our desire is to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, worshipping and walking, together in ways that are known and yet to be made known.

### Love like Jesus

Our desire is to be a loving, worshipping, caring, proclaiming, community of God's people, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, reaching out into the wider community.

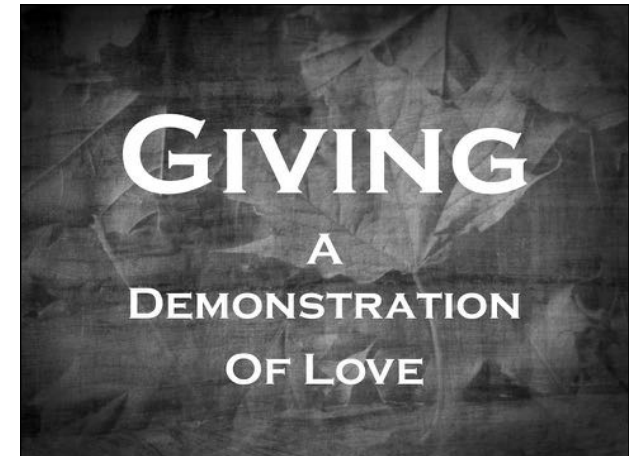
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## ubc update

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### Welcome to our Sunday Service

If you are visiting or new here, we hope that you will feel at home. For further information about our weekly activities please ask a person sitting near you or check our website or noticeboard.

