

Service details

This Sunday

10.10am – Prayer in the Gale room.

The service this morning will be led by Mark.

Title: *The Christian's Hope*

Reading: *2 Peter 3:3-15 and Rev. 21:1-5*

3.30pm – Network Course: session 3.

Next Sunday

The service will be led by Mark.

6.00pm – Cafe communion in the hall.

Personal strategy actions

This week we encourage you to:-

Pray for the work of UBC on a regular basis.

Notices

Thank you

On behalf of all at Springfield Playgroup I would just like to thank all those from the Church who were involved in anyway with the 50th Birthday celebrations last weekend. I think we can safely say it was a huge success. With over 300 people attending on Saturday and everyone commenting on what a lovely event it was and how much they enjoyed their time at playgroup it was quite overwhelming! Thank you also to Mark for letting us take-over the morning service, again a very happy morning hopefully adding a little Christian input into many families lives.

Our donation box on Saturday received over £280 of which half will be sent to Stand By Me and the other half will go towards a new climbing frame for the playgroup garden.

Upminster baptist football club

At the start of next season, we celebrate 21 years of football on behalf of the church. We have a reputation in the community for the way we conduct and train the children.

John and Derek are looking for additional help with the training on Saturdays. If you like football and can offer up some time on Saturdays to help, please speak to John or myself. We train on Saturday mornings and would need people from about 9.00 to 11.15am. Age is no barrier, John and myself are good examples and you don't have to be male. One thing I do know is you will be helping to mould young children in the right way to behave.

Sunday school

There will be no Sunday school during the summer holidays until 9th September.

Notices

Preachers for August

As follows:-

5th – Mark (including communion).

12th – Sandra O'Neal, Romford Baptist Church.

19th – Mike Simpson, Romford Baptist Church.

26th – Rev. Alison Horncastle, Chaplain, Queen's Hospital, Romford.

First Wednesday

Apologies, but there will be no First Wednesday in August. The next session will be on Wednesday September 5th – we hope to see you then.

Mark's holiday

Mark will be on leave 23rd to 24th July, and 12th to 27th of August. During these times, please contact one of the deacons in an emergency.

Cafe communion

There will be a cafe-style communion on Sunday 29th July at 6pm.

New growth group

We are hoping to start a new daytime growth group in September. If you are interested in attending, please speak to Alison Bennett.

Need to write a will?

The Baptist Union have produced a pack to assist you in writing your will, including a free offer to write your will if it is simple. Please take a pack entitled 'Your Kingdom Legacy' in the foyer.

Monday lunch club

Do you have some spare time on a Monday? The lunch club needs a few more volunteers to join the rota of helpers. If you would like to get involved please speak to Alison Bennett.

Notices & prayer



Richard Shorter

Richard is a pioneering Baptist minister, working in Harold Hill. His latest newsletter can be found on the table in the foyer.

Windows

In the warm weather, please remember to close all windows before leaving.

Data protection

Thanks to everyone who has completed the consent form. Please note that if you have not done so, you will not be included in future editions of the Church Handbook, even if you are a member.

EBA new regional minister

The Council and Trustees of the Association are delighted to announce the appointment of Revd Graeme Ross as the new Regional Minister in succession to Revd Simon Goddard. Graeme will take up the appointment in October 2018 and will reside within the central sector.

Finance

Offerings £2,005.63
Stand By Me £20.00

- Pray for our Prime Minister, Theresa May and her Government.
- Pray for our MP Julia Lopez as she seeks to represent the constituency
- Pray for our local Councillors, Ron Ower, Linda Hawthorn and Chris Wilkins (Upminster) and Gillian Ford, Clarence Barrett and John Tyler (Cranham)

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.

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.

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Please send your comments or content for the update sheet to: ubcupdate@gmail.com or speak to Martin Riley no later than the preceding Thursday.

