

New Life CHURCH

Notice & Information Sheet

NEW LIFE CHURCH DIARY - 2018

Today

Sunday 28th January

**Prayer 10.15 am followed by
Morning Service 10.30am**

Leading: Ben Troughton

Speaking: Andy Jelfs – Cultivate:Patience

Worship: Ben

Set Up: Wayne

AV: Malcolm

Welcome: Brian & Vivien

Prayer: Anna & Alison

Junior Church 11.00am

Matt, Claire & Matt A

Young People – Stuart (Louise, Mel/Eleni)

Refreshments: Conny, David & Rita

This Evening: Youth Café 7 -9pm at Eden's

Tuesday:

Cornard and Waldingfield Life Groups 7.30pm

Wednesday:

Mid-Week Meetup at Agape Café WHOS from 10am

Sudbury Life Group 7.30pm

Thursday: Leader's Meeting

Sunday 4th February

**Prayer 10.15 am followed by
Morning Service with Communion
10.30am**

Leading: Anna Troughton

Speaking: Chris Ryall – Cultivate:Goodness

Communion: Brian Pearson

Worship: Ben

Set Up: Wayne

AV: Alan

Welcome: Andy & Jan

Prayer: Linda, Kerry & Matt W

Creche - Louise & Claire

Junior Church 11.00am

Jude, Alison & Matt A

Young People - Stay in

Refreshments: Conny, David & Rita

Prayer & Praise 6pm (Sun 4th Feb)

**Focusing on Local Mission & Bulgaria
Update**

A BIG Thankyou NLC family for your generous giving to the Mackies and to Sam and Pam. They are delighted and so thankful and praising God for His timing.

First Timers... Thank you for joining us this morning... if you have any questions about the church or would like to know a bit more about what we do and what we believe, then our Community Worker would welcome the opportunity to come and see you or answer a call/email. If you would like to contact Ben, his number is 079344 32286 and his email is ben@newlifechurch.community

We run a variety of classes on Sunday morning for our Junior Church. **Crèche** is for the 0-3's with some toys and some structured colouring/stories, you will need to stay with your child. **Junior Church** is for 4 to 11's and **Y:Sunday** is for 12's to 16's where a combination of games, stories and activities are focused around a Bible story or Biblical theme. If you are new please speak to the one of leaders and they will assist you, and show you in which rooms these groups take place.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN AND AROUND SUDBURY AND GREAT CORNARD

NOTICES from Churches Together in Sudbury & District www.facebook.com/CTiSudbury

CtiS&D Weekly Prayer Breakfast On **Saturday 3 February** we are at 98 Melford Road, Sudbury, by kind invitation of Malcolm & Judith Offord, on behalf of All Saints, Sudbury. **8am to 9.30am**

NLC Community



Baptism Introduction Course, please see Ben if you're interested and would like further details.

Take a Moment Book Group:

A small group of book lovers meet every 6 weeks to share what we loved or disliked about a recent read. It's been a chance to talk about stories that have captured our imagination or touched our emotions. We have each taken time to recommend reads and try some 'wild card' books too. It isn't about how fast you read a book or how many, just enjoying taking a moment and then talking with friends about the experience. Our favourite reads have been those with a historical background and often telling the story from the perspective of 2 or more different characters. Tracey Rees is particularly good at this, we'd recommend trying Amy Snow or The Hourglass. This month we will be reading Jodi Picoult – Small Great Things and taking a look at one perspective on racism and how this is seen in the small things of life.

If you would like to join us, do let me know, we'd love to have you. Our planned groups (subjective to last minute changes) are: 10 March, 21 April, 9 June, 14 July – 6pm, Guy Cook Close. **Anna Troughton**

The Marriage Sessions start on the 6th March. Please see Ben and Anna for more information and details on the course.

Save the date - The Italians are visiting:

4-6th May is the weekend when a group from Reggio Emilia will be visiting us here in Great Cornard. They will be arriving about 8.30pm on the Friday evening and with us till approx 5pm on the Sunday. Gill, Sophie and Anna are working on the arrangements. There will be lots of things to help with from driving them about, helping with trips out, catering on the Sunday for a shared lunch and spending time with them to make them feel welcome. We currently have enough offers for hosting our visitors for bed and breakfast, however, numbers could change, so if you are able to host – or assist with any of the tasks over the weekend, please speak to Gill, Sophie or Anna.

Family Business Meeting: Minutes and a Finance update are available from Kerry. If you have any questions regarding the FBM, please speak to Matt and Ben.

Easter Bash: The holiday club is live on 9th – 12th April. It will be 4 mornings of games, craft, stories and a film for primary school aged children. If you are able to help as a pair of hands in group activities, doing refreshments, registration, set up or tear down for all or part of the week, please speak to Anna as soon as possible. The planning is already under way and having lots of help makes it all so much easier! We are really keen to have a few people to commit to prayer for the preparations and the week itself, if you are willing to support in this way, pass your name to Anna and we'll get updates out to you as the event draws ever nearer.