



Woodley Baptist Church

***United in knowing Jesus and making Him known
In 2010, to see the church grow through people coming to
faith in Jesus Christ***

Sunday 18th, 2010 Week 3

WELCOME

Welcome to the service today. We hope that you will feel at home with us, and experience the presence of God as we worship together. If this is your first visit, please sign the visitor's book. On Sunday mornings we warmly invite visitors to make use of our crèche, children and young people's activities - please ask for the group relevant to your child's age. We serve tea & coffee between our two morning services and again after the evening worship and we hope you will join us. There is an opportunity to receive personal prayer at the close of each service, whatever the request or need and one of our Prayer Team will be pleased to meet you.

An induction loop is fitted in the main worship area for the benefit of hearing aid users.

OUR SERVICES TODAY

9.00am	Prayer time in the prayer room
9.15am	Reflective Service led by Judy Breavington. David Barter preaches on 'True Christian Freedom' – 1 Corinthians 10.
10.15am	Refreshments and fellowship time in the hall.

11.00am Celebratory Service with communion led by David Barter who preaches from 1 Corinthians 10 – 'Idolatry- a thing of the past?'

6.10-6.20pm Prayer time in the Prayer Room, seeking God for the evening service.

6.30pm God's Story – Our Story. an evening of sharing & worship together, led by Pete Evens

6.30pm N:GAGE Worship

Children's Ministry

Children's Groups

We are taking a look at Gideon's story this morning, following our theme of 'Judges Rule God's people' (Judges 6). God uses all types of people to do wonderful things and the story this morning shows that very clearly, as Gideon was the smallest and least important in his family, but God chose him to lead his people. Are you ready for what God is calling you to do?

SHOUT

Shout has now stopped for the summer, Shout will be back on Friday 10th September 2010 at 6:30pm.

David Fitzgerald (Children's Worker)

WEEK AHEAD



Café Piazza
Monday to Friday
10.00am – 1.45pm

Monday 19th

SMALL GROUP

8.00pm Imagine Group, 24 Haddon Drive

Tuesday 20th

SMALL GROUPS

7.30pm Unlocking the Bible Group, 38 Colemansmoor Road.

8.00pm Young Adults, 6 Raleigh Close

Wednesday 21st

7.00pm Church Leadership Team meet at the Church Centre

8.00pm N:Gage Wednesdays in the Venue

Thursday 22nd

9.30am Pre-school

12.15pm Lunchtime Service led by David Barter, open to all in Room 2

1.00pm Soup & Sweet lunch for the retired in the hall.

2.30pm Afternoon Break meeting in the lounge.

Friday 23rd

6.00pm Youth Team BBQ

NEXT SUNDAY – 25TH JULY

9.00am Prayer Time in the prayer Room

9.15am Reflective Communion Service led by David Stillman. Andy Partington preaches on 1 Corinthians 11 – 'Issues of Christian Worship.'

10.15am Refreshments and fellowship time in the hall.

11.00am Celebratory Service led by John Lawrence with David Stillman preaching on 'The Glory of God – Headship and

Head Coverings' (1 Corinthians 10³¹ - 11¹⁶)

6.10-6.20pm Prayer time in the Prayer Room, seeking God for the evening service.

6.30pm Evening Service with Will & Judith Sawers (Central African Republic)

8.00pm N:Gage Afterchat at 24 Haddon Drive, Woodley

Church Preparation: Tuesday 3 & Imagine

Crèche:

9.15am: J Russell

11.00am: K Jesty, E Hatrick, K Lloyd-Roberts

GENERAL NOTICES



URGENT HELP NEEDED WITH THE CHILDREN OVER THE SUMMER

If you would be willing to help with craft, serve drinks and play games with the children over the five Sundays in August please sign up today at the welcome desk for the Sunday/Sundays you are available. Many thanks David Fitzgerald

YOUTH MATTERS

The Youth department are looking for someone able to drive a mini-bus and who is available to ferry young people to Soul Survivor in Shepton Mallet. Dates are Wednesday 11th August & Monday 16th August. If you can help please speak to **Steph Pickles**.

The latest **Newsletters from Joel Upton, the Hydes and Dauda Suna** are now available from the rack in the foyer.

ACCOMMODATION URGENTLY NEEDED

The Leadership Team are aware of an urgent need for accommodation for someone (professional male) within the church family. If you are able to offer help in this regard please speak to David Barter or Pete Evens.



RADAR –August-September

As our holiday is coming up at the end of July it would be really helpful to have any contributions through a little earlier this time. The edition will then be ready for Sunday 1st August, 2010. Love, grace and peace – **Mike Royston.**

Barnabas Fund Update

Barnabas Fund is a Christian organisation that seeks to meet practical and spiritual needs of the persecuted church. I am aware that many of you are individual supporters of Barnabas. Having recently attended their Church reps training and supporters day I would like to say thank you on behalf of Barnabas Fund for your financial and prayerful support. You may know that Barnabas Fund is one of the two causes (along with Wells for India) that we support through the WBC Men's Breakfast group. This month we were able to send a cheque to Barnabas for £50 from Men's Breakfast for two projects - supporting Christians in Niger and Uzbekistan.

I'd also like to highlight a new campaign recently initiated by Barnabas Fund, grounded on the firm conviction that the UK has largely forgotten the Christian faith. Operation Nehemiah will address issues that affect the whole of the country and will monitor the impact of secularism and Islam on UK society, and engage in education, lobbying, and ministry in various ways. Look out for an article about Operation Nehemiah in the forthcoming edition of RADAR. In the meantime if anyone would like to receive the bi-monthly magazine

Barnabas Aid, please let me know. Many thanks - **Colin Bailey, WBC church rep for Barnabas Fund**

ADVANCE NOTICES

21st Century Women BBQ Tuesday 20th July

If you are interested in coming please sign the list on the Information Desk.

SUNDAYS IN AUGUST

Please note that on all the Sunday mornings in August we will be holding just one morning service starting at 10.00 with tea & coffee to follow. We will restart the two services at 9.15am and 11.00am on September 5th.

BRING & SHARE LUNCH

There will be a bring and share lunch on Sunday August 1st as part of the Commissioning Morning for the Sawers and Hoskens. Dana from the kindergarten in Romania will also be with us that day.

FAMILY MATTERS

CONGRATULATIONS to **Doug & Beth Mulunda** on the birth on Thursday of their baby daughter Sophia Mae Chevukwa, a sister for Rosylena and Evella.

NEW ADDRESS:

My new address from Monday 12th July is:
14 Battys Barn Close, **(really!)**
Wokingham,
Berkshire. RG40 2HJ

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has been praying for me – **Audrey Fuller.**

CONGRATULATIONS: to **Tim Hill** on passing his driving test (HGV 1).

Martyn Ayliffe would like to thank everyone who prayed for my unemployment situation over the last few weeks. I started work at Kellogg Brown & Root on Tuesday 13th July.

PRAYER

For **the family of Gill Gracey** following her funeral on Monday;

For members who are undergoing minor surgery this week – **Gordon Anderson** (Monday), **Sylvia Saunders** (Tuesday) & **Moira Atkinson** (Friday);

For **Chris van Es** following knee surgery last week;

For **Rosemary Allen, Steph Pickles, Abi Burns, Elaine Debney's step-mother, Simon Debney, Steve Goodman, Pam Mullin, Mick New, Rosemary Allen, Lena Trotman, Anne Hill, Allan & Mandy Dodd, Paul and Angela Roberts;**

For **Matt Bell** our year-outer on his last Sunday with us before returning to Ireland;

For **Pete & Michal Evens** as Pete comes to the end of his year at WBC as Minister in Training and as they look to God for the future;