



Woodley Baptist Church

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'United in knowing Jesus and making Him known'

SUNDAY - 7th April 2024

10.15am Service with Howard Ballard leading and Becky Sumbler preaching.
'Living as resurrection people'.

The service is also available from <http://www.woodleybc.org/sunday-service/online> or <https://www.facebook.com/WoodleyBaptistChurch>. You should be able to access the stream from about 10:05, with the Service beginning at 10:15am.

Please continue to be vigilant about COVID, staying away if you are unwell or if you have been in close contact with anyone with the virus in the previous week.

Prayer Ministry: John & Sylvia Saunders will be available for prayer after the service.

Serving Tea/Coffee: Jacky & Ray Crossman

6.30pm Informal Service of Worship and Praise with Grahame White leading.

SUNDAY 14th April 2024

10.15am Communion Service with Julie Russell leading and Grace Hope preaching.
- 'How does the Spirit work today?'

6.30pm Sunday Evening Prayer Hour

Everyone is welcome to join via Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87827308029?pwd=Vi9wTldoejV0bjNwd2xnc3pwK3NyUT09>

Meeting ID: 878 2730 8029

Passcode: 503411

PRAYER MEETINGS

MONDAY MORNING

Please join us for the Monday morning prayer meeting in the lounge from 10-10.30am when we will be praying for activities in the church during the coming week.

THURSDAY EVENING

On the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month (next meeting will take place on 11th April). Please join us as we seek the Lord for the future direction of WBC, 7.30-9pm.

GENERAL

FOOD BANK NEEDS

Products that we are running low on this week:

Tea Bags	Coffee
Tinned Meat Meals	Pasta Sauce
Tinned Veg Meals	Tinned Tomatoes
Baked Beans	Tinned Fruit
Custard	Any Desserts
Long Life Milk	Squash

For those of you who would prefer to make a monetary gift, the Food Bank has an online stewardship page – <https://www.give.net/20181094>

Thank you so much for your continued support.

Please can I encourage you to rise to Dot's challenge of bringing one item of food with you as you come to worship on a Sunday morning.

The latest **Prayer Diary for JAC** is now available from the rack in the foyer to the right of the office door.

ADVANCE NOTICES



Transforming Fire Sunday 19th May 7pm Pentecost Sunday

Join with people from other Churches in Reading on Pentecost Sunday for worship, teaching and an opportunity for prayer at the Globe, 12 Portman Road, Reading, RG30 1AH.

Please see the poster on the notice board in the foyer for further information.



Please pray for the conflicts in Israel & Gaza and in Sudan, and the ongoing situation in Ukraine.

Please also pray for Jean Haanstra, Pat East & Paul Tyrell (Cameo Members), Sheila Stokes, Jean Prince, John Perry, Mandy and Allan Dodd.



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SISTER CHURCH IN ROMANIA



Please pray this week for our sister church in Romania. Cristi, their Pastor, has contacted me to say that he will be leaving Hidisel to become Pastor of the church in which he grew up at Tulca, about an hour away from Hidisel.

He has been at Hidisel for 19 years and he said that it was a hard decision to make.

He will be leaving around September time.

He had been offered this pastorate two years ago but felt it was right before God to decline at that time as he wanted to help the Kindergarten through the accreditation process. He has been appointed already at Tulca but will delay his start while the church house is refurbished.

This summer there will be a special event in Hidisel to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the Kindergarten. I hope to take a small group to join the celebration. Please let me know if you might be interested.

Please pray for:-

Our sister church at Hidisel as they come to terms with their much loved Pastor and his family leaving.

Cristi and Oana and the family as they prepare to move from the church they have loved and served.

Dana as she will miss the day to day support which Cristi has given – including driving the minibus to fetch the children for the Kindergarten.

The church as in due course they will seek a new Pastor. Meanwhile Pastor Cociubei, the Senior Pastor, will assist them but he also has a number of other churches to care for.



Cristi and family with Dana

Our financial support for the Kindergarten will not be affected and I know that our prayers for all concerned over these coming months will be much appreciated.

Upcoming Social Events

FEB

TUE 13

5 - 7:30 PM

Pancake party

MAR

SAT 09

10 AM - MIDDAY

*BIG breakfast
(come hungry!)*

APR

SAT 27

10:30 AM

*Walk at Dinton
Pastures plus coffee*

MAY

SAT 25

7 - 9:30 PM

Ladies Night

MAY

FRI 31

7 - 9:30 PM

Mens Night

JUN

SAT 22

3 - 5 PM

Afternoon tea

JUL

SAT 20

4 - 6:30 PM

*BBQ in the
church garden*

AUG

TBC

Picnic in the park