



Steeple Bumpstead
Congregational Church
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Church Secretary: Christine Blyth – tel: 01440 762066
Worship for all ages, everybody welcome

Sunday Service:
28th April 2024 at 10.30 am
Rev. Oliver Kinchin (current President of the
Congregational Federation 23/24) speaking on

“Jonah”
Jonah; Chapter 4

(Refreshments; Sun. 28th April 24; Ann and Linda)

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING Held between 11.00 am and 12 noon on **Tuesday**
30th April 2024 in the Lecture Hall, at SBCC.

COFFEE AND CHAT; First and third Wednesdays every month;
WED. 1ST MAY from 10.00am to 11.30am
in the Lecture Hall of SBCC.

PILOTS CLUB FOR CHILDREN
Meeting Thursdays during term time 5.15 - 6.15pm

AGM WEDNESDAY 15TH MAY at 7.30pm
Voting papers for election of Church Secretary are on the table in the entrance
lobby of the Church.

PRAYERS

Please continue to pray for the leadership team (Annie, Sheila, Wayne, Colin and Chris) as they work together with the Church to seek God's mind for the way ahead in the future. Still important to remember God's Word to us, as a fellowship; ***"Forget the former things, do not dwell on the past. See I am doing a new thing !" Isaiah 43.18/19***

For members of our fellowship and people connected to us. Pray for the compassion, peace and the healing of God, for all those in our congregation, and in the wider community, suffering pain, loss and illness or going through adverse times; including:

David Hale's family and friends. Please continue to pray for David's family (daughter Michelle & son Mark) and all his family and friends in coming to terms with his passing.

Danny and Rachel; It's good to know that Rachel and Danny are doing well, and we hope to catch up with them in due course.

Sue Dare. Please continue to hold Sue and her family in your prayers following the loss of her husband Fred.

Jill Vaughan's family: Please continue to pray for God's peace and comfort for Jill's family and friends.

Charlie and Emma; Continue to pray for Mary as she continues to care for and support the health needs of Charlie having made good recovery from a heart attack and for daughter Emma.

Angela; Request from Mary asking for prayer for recovery of Angela following a recent heart attack.

Andrew; Please continue to pray for Andrew's health and ongoing wellbeing. He is currently under treatment for high blood pressure and tests in relation to low sodium levels.

Sue Preston Suffering from Sjogrens (body dries out); please continue to pray that the Lord would intervene and bring healing to her body including healing of her foot following a recent operation.

Roger; Please continue to pray for Roger's health and wellbeing and that of his brother and sister in law who have been seriously ill but who thankfully continue to make health progress.

Colin and Margaret; Please pray for improvement of health issues being treated at the present time. Colin's operation on his ear will be on Wed. 1 May.

Geoff; Geoff's treatment has been completed but please pray for his ongoing health and wellbeing.

Roy. Would value prayer for his health and something that will help with treatment of the tingling and shaking that he has to cope with. Thankfully he has an appointment with the Neurologist in August.

Jill; Continue to pray for Chris's friend Jill who recently had a "pacemaker" fitted. Please also pray for Jill's grandson, Riley, now in remission from Leukaemia but needing ongoing treatment.

Overseas ministries supported by the Church

Pastor John (Southern India); Ongoing prayer for the effective pastoral care and service in challenging circumstances in southern India. *Please see the Newsletter for March 24 recently circulated for praise and prayer points.*

House of Joshua (Philippines); Pray for the children and adults of the House of Joshua community to be sustained by faith and encouragement through difficult and challenging times.

National and International issues

Please pray for current national and international matters, including the Royal family (particularly for successful cancer treatments for King Charles and the Princess of Wales), the Government, the economic situation, the serious situations in Europe and the world. Pray that God will over-rule in the conflicts to minimise bloodshed, and suffering. Continue to pray for the many issues at the present time including the Israel/Hamas/Iran situation and the Ukraine/Russia conflict etc. including current natural disasters etc.

***To include items on our prayer page, or to advise of other needs,
please get in touch with one of our leaders***

Leadership Team:

*Wayne Taylor 01440 762771; Colin Preston 01440 421639;
Sheila Burr;01440 730711; Annie Turner 01440 730666; and
Christine Blyth 01440 762066*

Tuesdays and Thursdays; Open Church; 10am - 12pm*

Time and space for prayer, quiet time, or to meet with others.

**The Church will usually be open at these times. On Thursday mornings you
can enjoy hearing our band and singers practising.*

Web Site, Utube Channel and Church support

Search for "Steeple Bumpstead Congregational Church" on YouTube,
or follow the link to our website:

www.steeplebumpsteadcc.org

Our music group has recorded a range of hymns and worship songs for
your enjoyment and blessing.

Giving.

If you would like to support the church by giving you can make a
contribution to the offering box in person during the Sunday morning
Service or on-line. Our Church Secretary will be glad to provide the
information needed.

