



**Steeple Bumpstead
Congregational Church**
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Church Secretary: Christine Blyth – Tel: 01440 762066

***Sunday Service - 20th October 2024
at 10.30 am***

Worship for all ages, everybody welcome!

Colin Preston, will be speaking to us on Matthew 20

SUNDAY SERVICE REFRESHMENTS ROTA

Sunday 20th October – Linda & Ann

TUESDAY PRAYER MEETING

Tuesday 22nd October - from 11.00 am - 12 noon

In the Lecture Hall behind Congregational Church

PILOTS CLUB FOR CHILDREN

Thursday's during term time - from 5.15pm - 6.15pm

For children from 5yrs and upwards!

Please note the club will not be open on 24th & 31st October

COFFEE AND CHAT

Coffee and Chat is on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month -

from 10.00am – 11.30am

In the Lecture Hall behind Congregational Church

LEADERS TEAM MEETING

Tuesday 22nd October - hosted at Colin and Margaret's home

CONGREGATIONAL FEDERATION AREA ASSEMBLY
Saturday 26th October - from 10am at Silver End Congregational Church

EXTRA-ORDINARY CHURCH MEETING

Following the morning service on Sunday 27th October 2024, there will be a short meeting to consider the outcome of the vote for Wayne Taylor to be re-elected as an Elder and member of the Leadership Team.

The Church Meeting on Sunday 29th September unanimously supported Wayne Taylor being re-appointed as an Elder on the Leadership Team.

SHOEBOX COFFEE MORNING

Saturday 2nd November from 10.00am - 12 noon

Come and pack a shoebox! Everything provided but extra items welcome. Coffee, cake, chat and sale of items made by Pilots

PRAYERS

Please continue to pray for the leadership team (Annie, Sheila, Colin and Chris) as they work together with the Church to seek God's mind for the way ahead in the future. Keep in mind God's Word to all of 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***

Pilots Club: For the children and leaders at the start of a new term and for ways of meeting families and inviting more children.

For members of our fellowship or people connected to us.

Please pray for the compassion, peace and the healing of God, for all those in our congregation, our families, and wider community, suffering pain and illness or going through adverse times.

Please continue to pray for the following people and situations...

For the family and friends of those who have lost loved ones including;

David Hale, Gary, Fred Dare, Jane Stirling, Jill Vaughan and Malcolm Dix.

Charlie: For Mary and Emma as they care for and support the health needs of Charlie who has made good recovery from a heart attack but still has some health issues.

Roger: For Roger's health and wellbeing and for that of his family. We give thanks for answered prayer for the improved health of his brother and sister-in-law.

Geoff: Thankfully Geoff is now "Cancer free", for which we thank God. However, he is still dealing with some health issues, so please pray on.

Roy: Would value prayer for health and something that will help with treatment of the tingling and shaking that he copes with. We hope that the consultation that he has recently had will result in an effective treatment plan.

Sue Preston: For Sue who is suffering from Sjogren's Syndrome (body dries out). We thank God for answered prayer but please continue to pray that the Lord would bring healing to her body.

Andrew Dix: For Andrew's health and wellbeing.

Riley: For Riley (grandson of Chris's friend) now in remission from Leukaemia but needing ongoing prayer and treatment.

Rose and Sean: For Rose and husband Sean (Colin and Margaret's niece and nephew). Rose has been advised that she is cancer free!! Praise the Lord! We also understand that Rose is able to start work again.

Danny and Rachel: Please remember them both in your prayers.

Gill and family: Gill would value prayer for her family who are going through very difficult circumstances.

Mrs Brenda Carney: For West End's Church Secretary who has now had heart surgery at Addenbrookes. Please pray for her recovery.

Tony Holyoak: The Church has been asked to pray for Tony who is undergoing treatment for throat cancer. Tony and wife live in Reading.

OVERSEAS MINISTRIES SUPPORTED BY THE CHURCH

Pastor John (ministering in Southern India): Ongoing prayer for the effective pastoral care and service in challenging circumstances. Also pray for nephew Samuel who is hoping to raise funding for Christian training on a YWAM course beginning in September. Pastor John is seeking our prayers and support for the

people of Telangana and Andhra, India, who have been severely affected by recent floods.

House of Joshua (Philippines): Please pray for the children and adults of the House of Joshua community in the Philippines to be sustained by faith and encouragement through challenging times and situations.

National and International issues: Royal family (particularly for successful treatment for King Charles and the Princess of Wales). Our new Government, the economic situation, the serious situations in Europe and the world, and the US presidential election. 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 resolution of the conflicts between Israel/Hamas/Hezbollah/Iran and Ukraine/Russia 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 Contact Numbers

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Open Church – Tuesday's & Thursday's - from 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 and You Tube Channel

For Steeple Bumpstead Congregational Church website, click here

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or for the YouTube channel click here [Steeple Bumpstead](#)

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

If you would like to support the church by giving, you can make a contribution to the offering in person during the Sunday morning service or on-line, by asking our secretary, Chris Blyth for the

necessary information. Thank you.