

Dates for your diary 2nd February - 23rd February

Sun 2 Feb	10.30am - 11.30am 1.00pm - 6.00pm	Morning Worship Church Hall Booking
Mon 3 Feb	7.30pm - 8.30pm	Elders Meeting
Wed 5 Feb	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm 7.00pm - 9.15pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes Alpha
Thu 6 Feb	9.30am — 3.00pm 10.00am — 12.00pm 7.00 -8.30pm 7.30pm - 8.30pm	Create and Share (upstairs in Loft) Cambridge Hearing Youth in the Loft Stretchworks
Fri 7 Feb	11.00am —12.00pm 12.15 —2.00pm Fri pm — Sun pm	Friday worship—Bible Communion Call Inn Lode Church Week end away @ GSFC
Sun 9 Feb	10.30am - 11.30am 7.00pm - 8.30pm	Morning Worship (includes communion) United Worship Gathering Speaker — Ken Benjamin
Mon 10 Feb	6.30 pm - 7.30pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm	Prayer for Leadership Meeting Leadership team Meeting
Tue 11 Feb	9.30am - 10.00am 10.00 am - 11.30am	Staff Prayers Coffee Pot
Wed 12 Feb	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm 7.00pm - 9.15pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes Alpha
Thur 13 Feb	7.30pm - 8.30pm	Stretchworks
Fri 14 Feb	11.00am—12.00pm 12.15—2.00pm	Friday worship—Bible study Call Inn
Sunday 16 Feb	10.30am - 11.30am	Morning Worship
Tue 18 Feb	9.30am - 10.00am 10.00 am - 11.30am	Staff Prayers Coffee Pot
Wed 19 Feb	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm 7.00pm - 9.15pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes Alpha
Fri 21 Feb	11.00am —12.00pm 12.15 —2.00pm	Friday worship - Bible Study Call Inn
Sun 23 Feb	10.30am - 11.30am 1.00pm - 6.00pm	Morning Worship Church Hall Booking

For further information visit our website:

www.shelfordfreechurch.org.uk

Church Office (Access via Ashen Green): 01223 842181

Email: Administrator@shelfordfreechurch.org.uk

Our Church Coordinator, Iris Considine will be in the church office on

Mon, Tues, and Fridays Office hours 9am—3pm.

Copy for the Link should be with Iris by Tuesday Afternoon

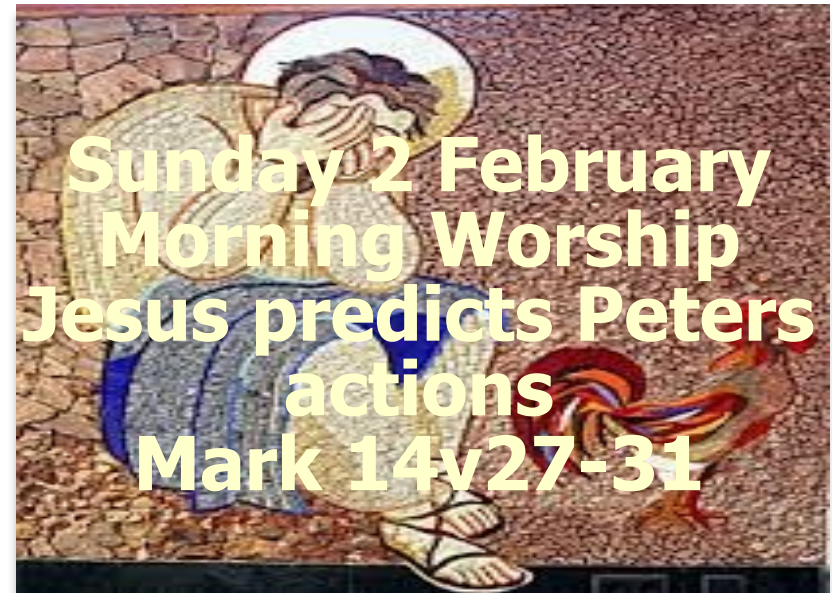
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WELCOME



Friday 7 February
Coffee & Chat 11.00am
Communion
11.30am
M Cockerill

Sunday 9 February
Morning Worship
Jesus Overwhelmed
Mark 14v32-42
Chris Smith

The **Youth** group will be in the Loft. The **Kids' Club** meet in the church hall.

A **Creche** is available for children under 4 during the service.

(A Child Protection Policy is in operation.)

Following the service, if you would like to speak to someone or if you want someone to pray for/with you, then members of the **Prayer Team** (identified by a relevant badge) are on hand to help you.

Please join us for a drink of tea/coffee/juice after the service in the Hall
Boxes are available near each door for Tithes and Offerings

PRAYER:-

- Give thanks and pray for the continued interest in Alpha on Wednesday evening, pray for those that attend that their questions will be answered and that they continue to search for the truth.
- Pray for the Alpha team as plans evolve for the Holy Spirit Day to take place in March
- Continue to pray for the family of Robin Starte following his funeral this week. Pray particularly for Janice and Jonathan, his son and daughter.
- Pray for the youngsters who attend Youth in the Loft on Thursday evenings. Pray for the formation of good relationships with Tilly and Maria who lead and for wisdom as to how the group moves forward.
- Pray for the elders meeting together on Monday evening. Pray for wisdom and discernment in their deliberations and a real sense of God guiding and leading them. Remember David, currently taking a bit of a break.

Mission Partners - prayer

Hands of Mercy

- Pray that applications will come forward for an administrator and treasurer for the UK office.
- Pray that the Philippine Government will govern with integrity and give justice to the many families who have desperate needs.
- Pray that the children and young people living in the squatter communities will be protected against exposure to gangs, teenage pregnancy, domestic violence, alcohol and drug addiction.
- Pray for more sponsors to come forward to the poor and needy families in Mandaluyong. £20 per month makes a major difference in a family's life. If you would like to help, Contact UK office 01582 416151
- Please pray for the continued development of the Ichthus Water Filtering Business and that they will receive help from marketing personnel to help support the business.
- Pray for the bible studies that take place in the communities pray for encouragement and nurturing of each person that attends.

Repair Café and Swish 1—6pm 29th Feb @ GSFC

Following the success of the 2019 Eco-Fest, There will be a repair cafe and Swish on Saturday 29th February 2-5pm at the church.

A Swish is basically a 'clothes swap'. That is, a group of people come together and bring the clothes they no longer wish to keep (cleaned, of course). The clothes are organised into categories (dresses, trousers, etc.) and once this is done attendees can select 'new' clothes to take home with them. It's a great way to get a whole new wardrobe that's easy on your wallet and great for the planet :)

For more information contact Liz Jenkin or Chris Smith

Administrator Vacancy

PART-TIME CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR required by Great Shelford Free Church (see www.shelfordfreechurch.org.uk) to support the church in practical ways to facilitate effective ministry in the church and local village community.

We are looking for a committed, mission-orientated, Christian. He or she will have great organisational and communication skills, both interpersonal and via social media and other IT applications. 21 hours per week, ideally spread over 5 days although this is negotiable. Salary range £10,000-£12,000p.a. Please contact Jillian Hardwick secretary@shelfordfreechurch.org.uk for more information. Closing date for applications **20th March 2020**.

United Worship Gathering Sunday 9th February

Ken Benjamin, President of Baptists Together will be speaking on 'Where do we grow from here?' @ GSFC on **Sunday 9th February 7pm — 8.30pm**.

An opportunity to gather to worship and hear an inspiring message. Ken is a gifted communicator. In his year as Baptists Together President he has helped many churches reflect on where they are, where they are going and how to grow there.

You can check out his website: www.wheredowegrowfromhere.org

Do come along and join us, refreshments served after the service.

Safeguarding Training

Save the Date!

Do you work with children, young people or vulnerable adults at GSFC? If so, then your safeguarding training is due for refreshing. Baptist Union training has been booked for **Saturday May 2nd** (which is not a Bank Holiday weekend) so please save the date.

You will need to have attended training before continuing to serve the church in this way, so if this date is impossible for you, please speak to Liz and we can investigate the possibility of your attending a session run by another denomination.

Create and Share, Thursday 6th February (9.30—3.00pm in the Loft)

Create and Share is open to anyone so please feel free to join us and bring a friend.

This month we will be making iris folded greeting cards—a great way to upcycle used wrapping paper.

Contact **Janet Jefferson** for more information.

