CHURCH DIARY

| Sun 5 th | 9.00 am 10.00 am 10.00 am 4.00 pm 6 - 7.30 pm | Sunday Morning Prayer (Buckhurst Room) Morning service - Preacher Caroline Lockwood ACCESS Group during morning service Communion Service (Buckhurst Room) Ethos (Barnett Barn) |
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| Mon 6 th | BANK HOLIDAY | |
| Tue 7 th | 10.00 am 10.30 am 2.00 pm 2 - 4 pm 2.30 - 4 pm 6 - 7.30 pm 7.30 pm | Toddlers (Beulah Centre) Pastoral Visitors Meeting (Barnett Barn) Connect Group (Barnett Barn) Art Club (Clifford Hall) Tea Talk - Chris Clarke Limitless Youth Club (Beulah Centre) Connect Group (Barnett Barn) |
| Wed 8 th | 10 - 2 pm 11 - 12.30 pm 2 - 4 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm | Ukrainian Hub (Beulah Centre) Coffee Drop-in and Community Meals (Clifford Hall) Connect Group (Barnett Barn) Connect Group (Barnett Barn) Church Prayer (Buckhurst Room) - focus: worship, waiting, listening |
| Thu 9 th | 9.00 am 3.00 pm 7.30 pm | Clifford Day Centre (Clifford Hall) - Coffee Morning for Christian Aid from 10.30am Space Club Worship Group Rehearsal (Sanctuary) |
| Fri 10 th | 10.00 am 7.30 pm | Connect Group (Barnett Barn) Square Dance (Clifford Hall) |
| Sun 12 th | 9.00 am 10.00 am 12.30 pm 6 – 7.30 pm | Sunday Morning Prayer (Buckhurst Room) Morning service - <i>Preacher Chris Short</i> Sunday Lunch Club for those who have booked Satellites Young Leaders Meeting (Barnett Barn) |



Sunday - 10 am

Today's sermon: What happens when we die? Pt.3

1 Cor. 15:50-58

Preacher: Caroline Lockwood

A warm welcome to anyone here for the first time today.

Please make yourself known to a steward.

Prayer prior to the service will take place in the

Buckhurst Room from 9am.

Motto Verses for 2024

Made alive in Christ

Ephesians 2:1-10

Our vision

Knowing Jesus, Transforming people,

Changing society

There are collection boxes for your offering as you enter the sanctuary or exit for refreshments. If you wish to donate via BACS the account details for Beulah are Barclays Bank, Beulah Baptist, Sort Code 202791 A/c No 70094730 There is now also an option for contactless giving via our card machines, located in the foyer or on the reception desk.

Beulah Baptist Church Tel: (01424) 730001 Email: office@beulahbaptist.co.uk Web: beulahbaptist.co.uk **Christian Aid Coffee Morning -** you are invited to join our Day Centre members at Beulah on <u>Thursday 9th May for coffee from 10.30am</u> to help us raise money for Christian Aid.

Donations of cakes, jigsaw puzzles, books and other items to sell would be greatly appreciated. Please speak to Amanda Pragnell for more information.



Next week our guest speaker will be Chris Short, senior minister at Victoria Baptist Church in Eastbourne. We look forward to welcoming Chris and hearing the message from him.

A Reminder that the **Church Members Meeting and AGM** is coming up, and will be held on Tuesday 28th May, at 7.30pm (coffee/tea from 7pm) in the Clifford Hall.

Our Senior pastor, Rev David Lockwood is currently on sabbatical until June 30th. During this time, if you have a **pastoral concern**, please make sure you contact an elder or the pastoral team via the office. The office hours are 9.00am - 1.00pm Monday to Friday. Tel 01424730001 (office@beulahbaptist.co.uk). Outside of office hours, if urgent, they can also be contacted via the Church secretary 01424215538 (churchsecretary@beulahbaptist.co.uk). There is a photo board in the reception area, with photos of our elders, pastoral coordinators and church secretary.

Reunion Band - we would like to say how much we enjoyed being part of Beulah's Got Talent. The Reunion Band was formed by Graham Hall some 7-8 years ago. The majority of players were ex-Boys and Girls Brigade members from this church.

We are now looking for new members. If you would like to play in the band or learn to play an instrument we would love you to join us. We meet on Mondays 7pm in the Clifford Hall. Please contact Andy on 07711126871 for more details.

We have received the sad news that **Laurence Hill** has died. His funeral will be at the <u>Eastbourne Crematorium on Monday 13th May, at 2.30pm</u>. Friends welcome.

"DO YOU HEAR THE PEOPLE SING" - a concert performed by Rother Community Choir (four Beulah men are singing).

In aid of St Michael's and Chestnut Tree House Hospices, part of the Bexhill Festival of Music.

1st June at 7pm, at St John's Centre, London Road, Bexhill, TN39 3PD. Tickets are £10 including light refreshments, available from Terry Harvey 07800630761.

From United Nations Association Bexhill: we invite you to attend our annual fund-raising event: an open organic fruit & vegetable garden on Monday 27th May at 13 Thornbank Crescent, Bexhill. Open times are 10am to 12 noon & 2pm to 4pm. Entrance fee to include coffee/tea and home-made biscuits, served indoors if wet.

Sabbatical Program

A reminder of our senior pastor, David Lockwood's sabbatical program: he will be spending his time on a particular area of research: interviewing church leaders and asking questions about leading in evangelism, walking alongside new Christians and how churches integrate new people into the life of the church. Leaders from Baptist churches and other denominations from various parts of the country, where the church is growing with new Christians, will be sharing their experiences. David will also be attending the <u>Leadership Conference in Albert Hall</u>, London from 6th May - 8th May.

He will be visiting church leaders in Warrington, Leeds and Manchester - 9th - 14th May / and Kent - 15th May.

Then will be at the Worth Abbey Retreat from 10th - 14th June.

Christian Aid Week: 12 - 18 May.

Envelopes will be available from today, if you would like to donate to this cause, filled envelopes can be returned to the stewards or placed in the basket at the front of the church, over the next two weeks.

