Regular Activities in the Church

Sunday

10.30am - Morning Service We celebrate Communion on the 3rd Sunday of the month during the morning service

<u>**The following events are not yet taking place, but hopefully will</u> resume in the not-too-distant future, we will keep you posted**

Sunday (1st of the month only)

6.30pm - Service with Communion

Tuesday

10:30am - Meeting Point until 12 noon. Coffee/tea and a chat.

Wednesday

- 2pm Arty Crafts until 4pm. A DIY home crafts drop in, with a hot beverage and conversation.
- 7:30pm Bible study until 9pm. We meet in someone's home.

Thursday

10am - Bible study until 12 pm. We meet in the church lounge.

Saturday

The Headcorn Model Railway Group usually meet in the church Hall on the 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month.

Please watch this space as other activities will be taking place throughout the year as announced

If you have any news or articles for our news sheet, please email them to Caz at mrscsmith45@gmail.com by Wednesday evening at the latest. Thank you.

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Welcome to Headcorn Baptist Church



Sunday 13th June 2021 'Jesus and His Disciples Preach'

Service this week

Morning Service - 10:30am

Our Minister Rev. Steve will be leading our service and preaching this morning. Bible readings: Psalm 40: 1 - 11, Mark 6: 1 - 13

Bible verse for the week

'Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also, to the interests of others.' **Philippians 2: 4**

Prayer focus

'Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.' Philippians 4:6

In particular this week - please pray for our leadership team: Jean Corby, Barbara & Alan Watson, Shirley Walter, Ronel and Etienne Greeff, David and Doris Doonan and Steve and Caz Smith May God send His healing, blessing, love and strength to you all, Amen.

Fellowship news

Great news! Steve and the Deacons have appointed our lovely Ronel Greeff as our official 'Pastoral Deacon'. We would like to thank Ronel for everything she does for our fellowship, the heart she has for people, and for using her gift so effectively in the life of the church.

The Ishmael Praise Concert date has been changed to Saturday 14th August at 2pm, due to the uncertainty of lockdown being relaxed and us being allowed to sing inside again.

Our church members meeting will be here straight after this service. There will be a short break of 15 mins to allow people time to leave.

Churches Together in Headcorn - The CTH Prayer and Praise evening on Tuesday was well attended and went brilliantly! Thank you to all who took part and came along, it's so good to work with our brothers and sisters from other churches! The CTH AGM will be held on Tuesday 22nd June. Caz and Steve will update everyone with any news.

You can now find copies of our weekly news sheets online at www.headcornbaptist.org.uk/notice-board/news-sheets

Message from our Minister

I came across the story below some time ago titled 'A eulogy to Someone Else' which I think is a helpful reminder that we all have a part to play in God's plan for His church. May we all find our place to serve our God.

We are all saddened to learn this week of the death of one of our church's most valuable members, Someone Else. Someone's passing created a vacancy that will be difficult to fill. Else has been with us for many years, and for every one of those years Someone Else did far more than a normal person's share of the work. Whenever leadership was mentioned, this wonderful person was looked to for inspiration as well as results: the words 'Someone Else can work with that group' were often heard. Whenever there was a job to do, a class to teach, or a meeting to attend, one name was on everyone's list - Someone Else. 'Let Someone Else do it' was a common refrain heard throughout the church. It was common knowledge that Someone Else was among the largest givers in the church. Whenever there was a financial need, everyone just assumed Someone Else would make up the difference. Someone Else was a wonderful person, sometimes appearing superhuman; but a person can only do so much. The truth is, everybody expected too much of Someone Else. Now Someone Else is gone, we wonder what we are going to do? Someone Else left a wonderful example to follow, but who is going to follow it? Who is going to do the things Someone Else did? Remember - we can't depend on Someone Else anvmore!'

Service next week 20th June

Morning Service - 10:30am

Rev. Steve will be leading and preaching on 'John the Baptist Beheaded', with Bible readings: Mark 6: 14 - 29

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