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"Lord, teach us to pray"

Our services are live-streamed

so you may appear on camera if you sit in the front rows or come onstage. If you do not consent to being filmed, then please sit further back. Speak to one of the Welcome Team if you are unsure of what to do or require further information. *Thank you*

Prayer Box

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, grieving or have family problems. We also have an email

prayer network.

If you would like to join the prayer network or wish us to pray for you or someone you know, please contact **Jen Bache** on 07545 847115 or email

jennifer.bache95@gmail.com

If you have any items for the Weekly Welcome please contact Michele Barkway at michelebarkway@gmail.com or on 07999 975918 by Wednesday evening.

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"Shining for Jesus in the darkness" 17th March 2024

We welcome you to our service today!

You are welcome here among our church family.

Wherever you've come from, wherever you are going, whatever your background, ability, status or age, you will find a place to call home among us. During the service you can sing or remain silent, stand or sit, be upstairs in the balcony or downstairs in the comfy seats.

We will share prayers, songs and consider a Bible theme together, and everyone is encouraged to participate in some way if possible. We want everyone to get something from this time together. There is a Visitors' Book in the foyer that we hope will be used by all our guests, and there is also the Offering Box if you want to contribute to the Lord's work in this place (no pressure!)

We'd love you to stay after the service for a cuppa and a chat in the Hall. If you would like prayer then there is a prayer team, wearing lanyards, on hand for you. If you would like to chat to the Pastor and maybe ask about the service, he is more than happy to spend time with you. Just ask him.

PRAYER PROMPT

Thursday 21st March is World Down Syndrome Day. Pray for the children and adults affected by this, giving thanks for their many gifts and personalities, and that they may live healthy, fulfilled lives. Pray also for their families and caregivers.

Each Sunday we hear from God's Word. We love it when <u>the regular congregation</u> want to add an insight arising from that, or to share an answer to prayer. If appropriate to be included in the livestream, why not share that in the time that will usually be given after the sermon?

At Brixham Baptist Church we believe in the power of prayer. If you have heard something in the service that prompts you, or simply want someone to pray with you, or pray for someone you know, then please come to the front after the service and our Prayer Ministry team will be happy to pray with you.

OUR SERVICES

Today 17th March 2024

9.45am-10.15am: Pre-service Prayer Meeting
10.30am: Communion Service: Colin Opie : Lord Teach Us to Pray - That They May be One : John 17:20-26
10.30am: Shine (Hall)
11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)

Sunday 24th March 2024

9.45am-10.15am : Pre-service Prayer Meeting
10.30am: Palm Sunday : Darrell Holmes : *Triumphal Entry : Luke 18:28-44*10.30am: Shine (Hall)
11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)

CHURCH DIARY

Mon	5.30pm-7.00pm	Shine Youth (Front Room)
18th		
Tues 19th	10.00am-1.00pm 10.15am	Front Room open Men United in Christ (Kitchen)
Wed 20th	9.30am-10.15am 12.00 noon-1.30pm 2.30pm - 4.30pm 7.00pm - 9.00pm 6.30pm-7.30pm	Prayer Meeting (Front Room) Lent Lunch (Christian Community Centre) Alpha Course (Front Room) Alpha Course (Front Room) Wednesday Prayer Group (Hall)
Thurs 21st	10.00am-12.00pm 5.45pm - 7.00pm	Community Coffee Morning (Hall) Girls Brigade (Church)
Fri 22nd	10.00am-1.00pm 10.00-11.30am 2.00-4.00pm	Front Room open Toddlers Group (Hall) Craft and Chatter (Front Room)
Sat 23rd	9.00am-12 noon	Church Spring Clean
Sun 24th	9.45am-10.15am 10.30am 10.30am	Pre-service Prayer Meeting (Front Room) Palm Sunday : Darrell Holmes : <i>Triumphal</i> <i>Entry : Luke 18:28-44</i> Shine (Hall) Drinks and Biscuits (Hall)

CHRISTIAN AID LENT LUNCHES

The Lent Lunches continue each Wednesday during Lent, so come along between 12.00 noon and 1.30pm and enjoy tasty homemade soup, bread and a tea or coffee. The lunches on Wednesdays 20th and 27th March will be held in the Christian Community Centre.

CHURCH AGM

The Church AGM, originally scheduled for 19th March, has been postponed until **Tuesday 23rd April**. Nomination forms for the positions of Deacon, Church Secretary and Church Treasurer are available from **Colin Opie**.

\$PRING CLEAN

Come and join us on Saturday 23rd March, 9.00am to Noon, for a spring cleaning session for the church. Various jobs need to be done including cleaning the church gallery and windows around the building. It would be good to see you. *Geoff Andrews*

FOR SALE

Apollo Metis Ladies Electric Bike and helmet for sale.

I am not able to use it as my wrists are too weak to operate the brakes. It has only been used once. It cost £800. I will sell it for £400 and if sold through church, I will donate £75 to church funds. See *Jan Sheppard* for further details. Mobile 07890-980877

EASTER MONDAY LUNCH : 1^{ST} APRIL 2024

We are planning to have an Easter Monday Lunch in the Hall from 11.00am to 2.30pm at a cost of £7.00 per person. Please let me know soonest if you'd like to attend. Adline Lewis: 07940 199730

EASTER STORY TRAIL

Saturday 30th March - 3.00pm-5.00pm : See Insert

BMS CHURCH PARTNERS EVENTS

Please see Insert re dates, times and online information. This is a great opportunity to find out more about BMS World Mission and the continuing developments in the BMS Church Partners programme. *Michele Barkway*