



# Hampton Mission Partnership

(Hampton Methodist Church & Hampton Baptist Church serving together)

## Notices and News 1 March 2020

If you are visiting us this morning, we offer you an especially warm welcome. Please sign our visitor's book before you leave. Please do also join us for coffee/tea and biscuits in the small hall afterwards. Minister: Rev Vicci Davidson (01932 788066)

### This morning:

- 9:15am Breakfast service led by Rev C Nash. Breakfast and worship in the hall.
- 10:45am Service by Rev C Nash followed by tea/coffee in the hall. Every Sunday after the morning service the prayer room is available for private prayer.

An "In Loving Memory" service will be held to remember our former superintendent minister, Rev. George Brigham, who died at the end of last November. There will opportunity during the service to share memories and anecdotes about George. The service will be at Teddington at 6.30pm.

### This week:

#### Tuesday 3 March

- Age UK Richmond computer drop-in 10.30am-12.30pm in the large hall.
- HBC Home group at Geoff and Maggie Sollors' house, - 15 Heather Close, Hampton at 7.45pm. All welcome.

#### Tuesday 3 March

Ladies Guild 8pm - A talk about Eel Pie Island. Everyone welcome.

#### Wednesday 4 March

Insights Bible Study 7.45-9.30pm. Amongst other things we will be having a look at one of the best prayers in the Bible the amazing High Priestly Prayer ( John 17). Do please invite anyone who would be interested.

#### Friday 6 March

The 2020 World Day of Prayer Service will be held at St. Mary's Church, Hampton on Friday 6 March at 2:00pm. This year the service has been prepared by women of Zimbabwe. Everyone is welcome to attend.

#### Friday 6 March

Zumba Gold - Age UK Richmond exercise class for 55's and over re-commences after the Christmas break. - 11.30am – 12.30pm in the large hall. £5 per session.

#### Friday 6 March

The audiologist will be in attendance at our church next Friday **(at the same time as Tea and Memories - from 10.30 am)**. If anyone who wears a hearing aid has a problem with it, or needs new batteries, this can be dealt with free of charge.

#### Saturday 7 March

St Theodore's is holding a Charity fundraising dinner at 7.30pm - for families facing starvation in Zimbabwe. There will be delicious homemade Zimbabwean food. £10 per ticket - all funds raised will go to help in Zimbabwe. Only 50 places available. **For tickets please ring: Anita Tozzi on 07956 481136. Anita is also on Facebook**

### Coming up:

#### Tuesday 10 March

Age UK Richmond computer drop-in 10.30am-12.30pm in the large hall.

#### Tuesday 10 March

HBC AGM at 8pm. This is an open meeting, however only HBC members will be able to vote.

#### Thursday 19 March

TTT (men's social) will meet in the Jolly Coopers from 8pm.

### **Saturday 28 March**

The next Café Arts evening will showcase an old friend of Café Arts, Gareth Davies-Jones. Gareth has been a professional singer songwriter for over 15 years and must be one of the best kept secrets on the British music scene. Doors open at 7.00 pm for coffee and cake - performance starts at 8.00 pm. Advance tickets £8.00 . If you would like to come along, please let me know and I will book the tickets. Mark Gilks.

### **Monday 30 March**

The next Taize Prayer Service will be held at All Saints Church at 8pm. Please feel free to invite family and friends and let your wider community know. All are welcome.

### **Wednesday 29 April**

The Inspiring Women Spring Day will take place at Waverley Abbey House. The subject this time is "The Yeses of God", and will be led by Rachel Wright, who is a nurse, writer and speaker. We will arrange lifts as we did last time. If you would like to go please let me know asap. Eunice Gilks.

### **Friday 29 May**

Circuit Book Club in the Brooker Annexe at Sunbury Methodist Church at 7.30 pm. The book we are reading is Northanger Abbey by Val McDermid.

#### **Items for prayer:**

**H&RBFC** Please pray for:-

- The distribution of the pocket New Testament & Psalms that have been given to the club by the Gideons. These have the club badge on the cover. Pray that many folks at the club will accept the gift and read it.
  - The lady manager of the club house as she deals with a variety of issues.
  - Our sponsored players, Paul is trying to arrange for them to visit us one Sunday.
  - The 1st team manager and the rest of the coaching staff. They are talking to players regarding next season.
  - The ongoing work of the Supporters Trust, who raise much needed funds for the club.
  - The work of the club's academy.
  - All who work at the club on match days.
  - Paul Barker (club chaplain) as he attends Thursday training sessions and leads pre-match prayers. Also for inspiration as he writes the "Chaplain's Corner" articles for the match day programme.
- Please contact Paul Barker (07951 122623) if you would like more details.

Paul Barker will be on sabbatical in April, May and June. Please contact David Priddy (07941 514046) if you have any urgent pastoral needs during this period.

#### **General Notices:**

- **Last week I took a bag of British and a bag of foreign stamps to Shooting Star House.** On arrival I checked that they still collected them and they showed me a small plastic box with a few stamps in them so I went to get the bags out of my rucksack. The lady was still holding the box ready for my gift but I told her that they wouldn't fit in her box! She was quite shocked by the amount I had brought. Thank you so much to all those who have contributed to this collection which I think I have been gathering for about a year. Please keep collecting. Sue Dennison.
- **HMC Housegroup:** at 65 Hatherop Road at 7.45pm. **Dates:** 12 March, 26 March.
- **Messy Church:** 10.30am-12.30pm. **Dates:** 7 April, 26 May, 28 July.
- **Tea & Memories:** First Friday of each month in the small hall, from 10:30am – 12:00noon.
- **Gospel Illusions:** third Saturday of the month 10:00am-12:00pm.



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## **Notices and News 20 October 2019**

**Vicci's timeline** - 1st February -11 May 2020 Vicci's sabbatical. 26th July 2020 - Farewell (Circuit) service in the evening. **Revd Kan Yu** will be joining the circuit team in September 2020. She will serve Hampton, Hanworth and Sunbury churches.