

A very warm welcome to our service today.

If you're visiting us for the first time, you are invited to fill in a visitors card, which you'll find in the reception area. If you have children under 3, you're invited to take them to our parent & baby room when the other children leave. Please ask someone from the welcome team to show you where this room is. After the service, please feel free to stay behind and join us for a coffee.

### This Week...

we celebrate Pentecost Sunday. **Julie** is leading the service. The children will go out halfway through to make us a Pentecost 'Gallery' with Wally and Sue.

We have a bring and share lunch afterwards. Do have something to eat with us. Don't worry if you haven't brought – we will still share!

### Next Week...

**Julie** is leading and **Geoff** is speaking

### Life Headlines...

#### A Message from the Morrishes

We have finally moved and would like to thank you for the card and garden centre vouchers the church gave to us. It has been a very emotional week saying our goodbyes, we have made a lot of good friends during our 14 years in Horsham. We have loved being part of Life church and will miss you all, thank you for your support and prayers over the years.

Our new address is: Milestone, 29 Fairview Drive, Romsey, Hampshire, SO51 7LQ, we have no phone number yet but our mobiles are the same. E-mail [kay@morrishonline.com](mailto:kay@morrishonline.com) If you are ever in the New Forest area please come round for a coffee, we would love to see you.

Please could we ask one last prayer request, Catherine has not got a school place at present, please pray that this will be resolved soon, thank you!

*John, Kay, Catherine and Laura Morrish*

#### Summer Camp BBQ: a BIG 'Thank You'...

Thanks to everyone who came along to support us, and especially to those who helped organise, set up and steward the event. We all seemed to have an enjoyable time, and with a few more gifts expected we will have raised over £1100 towards our target, which is great. We've even had messages of thanks from Moldova!

...and it's not too late! If you missed the event but would still like to make a gift to help enable the camp happen for the Moldovan children and young people you still can: come and see us to sort out the necessary paperwork.

*Rob, Jo & the Team*



**Terra Amata Farm:** this was the venue we used, owned by some old friends of ours. It's part of DEFRA's Countryside Stewardship Scheme, which means they follow a strict management program to promote wildlife and the re-establishment of traditional countryside environments. It's available to small groups for a variety of activities to enjoy the facilities and beautiful countryside - if you're interested there are a few flyers with the Welcome desk.

#### Does anyone have a badge maker we can borrow?

We're after a badge maker that makes smaller badges, say 2-3 cm across. Do you have one we could borrow? We don't need to take it away in the Summer, but it would be useful for making a few things to take with us. **Rob & Jo** (01403-2457143)

#### Faith in Action

The Life Packers would welcome your company this week on **Thursday (27th) between 7 and 9.00 pm.**

They will be processing clothes for shipment to the poor people of the Lower Shire region of Malawi in the packing room at 76 Hurst Road.

I would also be grateful for help next week (half term) on **Tuesday 1st June** to collect clothes from Horsham Matters in the morning and to sort them in the afternoon. Lunch will be available to any volunteers.

Please tell Janine, Sue M or Frances if you think it likely you might come on either occasion, or ask them if you'd like to know more about the project.

The most recent Newsletter is on the notice board.

Thanks, *Frances Fry* (H 261735)

#### Sunday - Business Enterprise Centre "Room 1"

Forest School have advised that until the 28<sup>th</sup> June, there will be a "Do Not Enter" notice on the BEC "Room 1" door, which is the room where we have our storage cupboard.

This room has been set up for their GCSE exams. They have advised that it will be acceptable for us to access our store cupboard in this room but until the 28<sup>th</sup> June we should not use it for any other purposes. This means that none of our Groups will be able to meet in this room and we should not allow anyone to interfere with the computer desks in there.

During this period Forest will arrange for BEC "Room 2" to be unlocked for us, (this is the room next door). If you need use of a room please use "Room 2" instead. Thank you for your co-operation. *Anna Pisani*



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### **Your Website needs you!**

The testimonies page of our website, ([www.life-baptist.org.uk/testimonies.html](http://www.life-baptist.org.uk/testimonies.html)) urgently needs updating and expanding, with new 'How I became a Christian' testimonies. If you would like to share your story and have it added to the page, please speak to Matt.

Also, if you would like to see anything else added to the site, or have any feedback or suggestions please don't hesitate to let me know.

Many thanks,  
Matt

### **Making Peace**

The Baptist Union has just circulated a DVD with a film about 'the journey that Abbey Road Baptist Church, Barrow in Furness has been on regarding the renewal of Trisident which has a dominant presence in the town'. The DVD includes other short BU films which might be of interest. Please contact Alan Cruickshank (H.251618) if you'd like to view the DVD.

### **A message from Tim Jupp**

#### **re: Big Church Day Out**

#### **New Roads Built at Wiston**

Dear Friends,

With only 2 weeks to go till this years BigChurchDayOut we are excited to let all the churches in the South of England know that we have now completed a major overhaul on the Wiston Estate, resulting in a brand new traffic system for this year. With an investment of over £100,000 having gone into the building of over half a mile of permanent tracks on the estate, and now with 2 entrances and one further exit we are confident that we have done all we can to help minimise queuing times, and overcome the congestion problems we encountered in 2009.

We are very aware that last year problems were, for many, enough to discourage them from returning in 2010, and so I would be grateful if you would pass on this information to those in your church who may as yet be undecided about making the trip or not, and where possible forward this email to your church members.

With over 11,000 tickets already sold just in Sussex for this year, and with an incredible lineup that includes Hillsong United, Israel Houghton, Switchfoot, Tim Hughes and many others it promises to be a great day. We also now have over 5 times the number of food vendors confirmed than we had in 2009, and with additional activities for all ages, including pony rides and a carousel it promises to be a day not to be missed.

Tickets are still available from only £13 when purchased as part of a large group.

Ticket and info from [www.bigchurchdayout.com](http://www.bigchurchdayout.com)

We look forward to seeing you there.

Tim Jupp

## **Prayer For Our Nation - Parliament Watch...**

### **Christians urged to pray as Party Leaders Consult**

A note taken from the Christian Institute: "No party has secured an overall majority in Parliament and the party leaders will enter into discussions in a bid to form a Government. We encourage Christians everywhere to pray for them as they negotiate. We would also urge Christians to pray for our Queen as she exercises her constitutional duties at this time".

## **Future Diary Dates...**

Sunday 30th / Monday 31st May [Big Church Day Out](#)

Friday 2nd July [Ladies Social / BBQ](#)

Sunday 4th July [South-East Baptist Churches - Gatwick network celebration](#), 6:30 pm at Brighton Road Baptist Church

## **The Life Leadership Team**

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## **Breakthrough**

If you have an item that you wish to include in Breakthrough, please contact Matt, either by post (29 Lambs Farm Road, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 4DB), e-mail ([break@thru.flife.co.uk](mailto:break@thru.flife.co.uk)), telephone (01403 262660), or find him in church.

The deadline is Thursday noon. Items received after the deadline will be published the following week.

### **Horsham Churches Together**

St. Marks Church in North Heath lane, Horsham was the venue for the April delegates meeting of HCT. Thirty four delegates from 19 churches and two associated organisations were welcomed by Rev. Michael Broadley as he led the opening worship.

Four new delegates were welcomed : Marian Daniels from the Salvation Army, David White from St. John The Evangelist RC church, David Hellyer from Kingdom Faith and Lesley Ann Holland from St. Johns Broadbridge Heath. It is encouraging to see more church members taking an active role in representing and speaking for their church. Moderator Ewen Souter reminded everyone that prayerful involvement was crucial to the future of HCT.

So far in 2010 the Lent house groups had 67 participants over the 5 week course and the Women's World Day of Prayer was well attended. A vote of thanks was given to Rev. Kath Jones and her team of helpers from St. Andrews and Southwater Methodist Churches for leading the "Walk of Witness" service in the Carfax on Good Friday. The monthly Healing on the Streets despite noisy opposition from live bands at the bandstand continue to offer a prayerful experience to any who need it. Two significant dates for your diary are Sat. 9<sup>th</sup>. October for Harvest Festival in the Carfax lead By Holy Trinity, watch for further details in your church bulletins over the next two months, and Carols in the Carfax on 4<sup>th</sup>. December. Volunteers are needed to help in both the organising and running of these, so if you feel led to help even in the smallest possible way please contact Terry Garn on 01403 265 194 or email [t.garn@btinternet.com](mailto:t.garn@btinternet.com).

The "Finding Jesus" testimonial this meeting was delivered by Carol Shepherd in a heart warming summary of how she found Jesus without actually looking for Him.

Churches are holding many events over the summer period so please keep checking the monthly newsletters. The new HCT website should be up and running very shortly and each church will receive details as they happen. Finally for this report note the AGM on the 15<sup>th</sup>. July at the Salvation Army Church, all are welcome and we do have vacancies to be filled on the committee.

Brenda Garn, secretary. Contact [Brenda.garn@btinternet.com](mailto:Brenda.garn@btinternet.com)

### **You're Invited!**

Ben & Lyn Pickstock are having an adult-only 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration barbeque on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July, 6 pm at their home. We shan't be around for the next few weeks, but if you're able to come please email us on [benilyn@btinternet.com](mailto:benilyn@btinternet.com) by Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June indicating how many will be coming. Thanks.

**Ray & Marilyn are in Benidorm** from the 10th to the 24th. Ray will be ministering at the English Church of Benidorm as their minister is away. Please pray that he will be a blessing to the English community during his time there.

### **Rock – a musical drama at BRBC**

Brighton Road Baptist Church is celebrating Pentecost with a performance of Roger Jones' musical drama , **ROCK** - the story of Simon Peter. All are welcome to come along to this free performance TONIGHT at 6:30 pm.