

## ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

### WEDNESDAY

2.00pm **Women's Fellowship**  
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### THURSDAY

8.00pm **Members' Meeting**

### FRIDAY

6.00pm **Messy Church**

### SUNDAY 9TH DECEMBER 2018

10.30am **PRAYER MEETING**

11.00am **MORNING SERVICE**  
Led by Peter Ninnis (Bethersden)

6.30pm **EVENING SERVICE**  
Led by Peter Mawson (Tenterden)  
Refreshments will be served after both services



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# Borough Green Baptist Church

Notices for the week beginning  
**Sunday 2nd December 2018**

**Seeking God's glory through proclaiming Christ's love**  
Our aim above all is that God will be glorified in the church as we, being rooted and established in love, together learn more of the love of Christ and seek to make it known to others.

## TODAY

Welcoming Today: This Morning - *Richard & Alison* This Evening - *Gerry*

10.15am **LORD'S SUPPER** Led by Adrian

11.00am **MORNING SERVICE**

6.00pm **PRAYER MEETING**

6.30pm **EVENING SERVICE**

Both services led by Stuart Cross (Otford)

Both services followed by refreshments

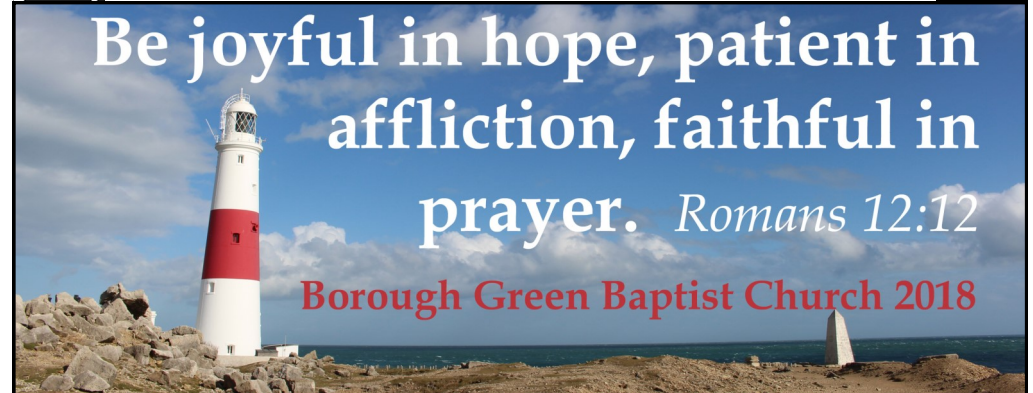
### We gather to worship Almighty God.

Please prepare by sitting quietly, reading through the hymns and scripture reading, and committing the service to the Lord in prayer  
**Large print Bibles & Hymns available — please ask**



Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. *Romans 12:12*

**Borough Green Baptist Church 2018**



# GOD'S WORD FOR TODAY

*Morning Service (Stuart Cross)*

**21st Century Idolatry**  
(Exodus 20:1-21; p77, LP118)

**1. The Lord - who He is**

**2. The Lord - What He's done**

**3. The Lord - what He's promised**

*Evening Service (Stuart Cross)*

**Jesus Christ makes the Father known**  
(John 1:1-18, p1063, LP1645)

**1. The Glory of God**

**2. The Grace of God**

**3. The Truth of God**

# PRAYER POINTS

**Association of Grace Baptist Churches South East — Christmas Prayer Link Week 3**

\* **Wandsworth:** December 4-6. Ninety year 10 RE students will visit our church. We will explain about church, baptism, communion, life after death and the means of salvation.

\* **Broadstairs:** Leafleting outside the train station during the week before our carol service.

\* **Knaphill:** Wednesday 5 December. Ladies' Christmas Craft Evening.

\* **Tunbridge Wells:** Saturday 8 December. Scratch Nativity: families from parent & toddlers group come for craft, activities and putting on a nativity play from scratch.

\* **Streatham:** Saturday 8 December. Family craft event.

**Grace Baptist Mission — Jason & Andrea Murfitt – Preparing for Madeira** Tomorrow, Jason returns from another trip to Madeira continuing to make links and building relationships with local people. The previous trip was really beneficial in beginning to understand the spiritual needs (which are many) and the culture of the Island.

**Persecuted Church —** Terrible floods afflicted the **south Indian state of Kerala** in August, the worst for almost a century. This state has a large Christian minority and Indian Christians report that some Hindus in Kerala blamed the Christians for the floods, which they saw as divine punishment. They reasoned that the Christians had been eating beef and thus brought down on Kerala the wrath of the Hindu gods, as cows are sacred in Hinduism. Pray that the love and lives of the Christians in Kerala may bring glory to Christ despite such accusations (1 Peter 2:12). *Barnabas Fund*

**Affinity — Christian Concern** ask us to pray for **Steve Loha**, a market trader who won his case after he was unfairly removed from trading after handing out tracts. However, the market operators have appealed his win. Please pray that for a positive outcome, and that Steve would continue to be unashamed to speak of Jesus.

**Eddie** is speaking at the Whistable Lunch Club Christmas lunch on Tuesday.

**Adrian** is preaching at Belhus Park, South Ockendon this evening and is taking the assembly at Borough Green Primary School on Tuesday morning.

## OTHER NOTICES

**Welcoming Next Sunday**

*Morning:* Grace & Mark

*Evening:* Gerry

**After-church refreshments**

*This evening:* Audrey & Gerry

*Next Sunday evening:* Anne & David

**Flowers**

*Today:* Carys

*Next Sunday:* Sue

**Offering** We give thanks to God for gifts received last Lord's Day, which amounted to **£490**.

## PLEASE NOTE

**Messy Church —** Don't forget to come along on Friday at 6pm for this month's Messy Church!

**Caring For Life —** Thank you to those who were present on Thursday evening and gave towards the work of Caring For Life. The donations box for this cause is in the entrance hall today for any further gifts, after which time all donations will be passed on to CFL.

**Church Members:** There is a Special Members' Meeting this **Thursday (6th December)** at **8pm**, God-willing.

Recordings of services (on CD ) may be borrowed from library area.

Please remember to sign out what you borrow.