



Pointing People to Jesus

Sunday 5th January 2020

Welcome to Paulsgrove Baptist Church for today's service. We pray that you will know God's presence among us as we worship Him as our Almighty Creator God. If this is your first time with us and you wish to know more about our activities, please speak to one of the stewards. Large print versions of song words and the sermon notes are available for those who need them. We invite you to stay after the service for tea, coffee and conversation.

Today's services

Service leader & Speaker: Dave Aarons
Subject: "Growing Lifelong Disciples of Jesus Christ"
Bible passage: Matthew 28:16-22



Children's Activities

Little Monkeys: (0-3 yrs): in the crèche room

Kangaroos: (3 – 6yrs) held in the Meeting room (the first door along the corridor)

Ignition: (6-11yrs) held in the upstairs room and sports hall

YPF: (11 – 16 yrs) will stay in the Church

This morning Rota Reminder

Tea & Coffee servers: Today: Mark & Basil
Washing Up: Today: Nigel, Phil & volunteer

Next week: Nigel & volunteer
Next week: 2YP + Jane

This is our Prayer & Fasting week

Monday 6th January <u>Prayer - Lounge</u> 9am-12pm, 3.30-5.00pm & 7.30-9.00pm	Tuesday 7th January <u>Prayer - Lounge</u> 9am-12pm, 3.30-5.00pm & 7.30-9.00pm	Wednesday 8th January <u>Prayer - Lounge</u> 9am-12pm, 3.30-5.00pm & 7.30-9.00pm
Thursday 9th January <u>Prayer - Lounge</u> 9am-12pm, 3.30-5.00pm & 7.30-9.00pm 10.00am – 2.00pm Frontline Debt Office 12.00pm – 2.00pm Paulsgrove Food Bank and Drop-In (main Church)	Friday 10th January <u>Prayer - Lounge</u> 9am-12pm, 3.30-5.00pm & 7.30-9.00pm	NEXT SUNDAY: 12th January 10.30am Morning service "A Christian Church" Acts 2:42-47 2.30pm TGSIM service 7.00pm First Day YP group

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WISHING ALL OUR CHURCH FAMILY AND FRIENDS A HAPPY AND BLESSED NEW YEAR!

PRAYER AND FASTING WEEK – this week!

For this week from Monday to Friday, our church will be spending time praying and fasting for the year ahead and have cleared most of our regular activities in order to spend time seeking the Lord. The lounge will be converted into a prayer room, and it will be open each day this week from **9am-12pm**, **3.30-5.00pm**, and **7.30-9.00pm**. The room will have many aids to prayer, and will therefore be very interactive, to suit all styles and ages of pray-ers! If you would like some help in understanding the biblical principle of fasting, there are some copies of Rob's notes on fasting from last year, plus his talks are still available in our Sermon Centre on our PBC website, if you search in the archive section for the series: "Give, Pray, Fast - Slaying the Dragons."

THE COURSE OF YOUR LIFE - MIDWEEK DISCIPLESHIP

From this month, for two terms, our midweek discipleship will concentrate on a course run at the church called 'The Course of Your Life' - an interactive course to help us think more about God's agenda for the world and how as disciples we can also be disciple-makers. We will run this on Tuesday mornings at 10am and evenings at 7.30pm, from 14th January. Each Tuesday will alternate between the teaching course, and triplets for people to read the Bible and pray together. Small groups will then be re-established after the course has finished. Do ask Dave if you have any questions.

THIS QUARTER'S ROTA

The rota covering January – March is now on the Church Noticeboard. Please check when you are next due to serve and if you need to please swop and ensure that someone else covers your duty or stands in for you. Many thanks to all those who serve.

BOOKINGS

Please could you let me know the previous week if you need to change an existing booking and if you want to book the Church for an event, I need to know at least a month in advance. This helps with setting up the heating and also makes sure that I don't book anyone else in then! Thank you. Margaret

WOMEN'S EVENING - MONDAY 20th JANUARY 7.30-9pm

An evening for the women in our church to meet together to explore the theme of peace, reflecting on how we might experience the amazing peace of God more and more in our everyday lives.

SAVE THE DATE! - SOLENT WOMEN'S CONFERENCE 2020 - BRIDGES AND BARRIERS - making Jesus known

On **Saturday 14th March 2020** - fliers available at the back of church. Bookings are now open. Please speak to Sarah Aarons for more information.

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Items for next week's news sheet to Margaret by midnight Thursday please

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