

Pray this month especially for:

Around the Fellowship:

Rob & Clare Bidgood & family, Roger & Pauline Bingham, Ana Bonham & family, Kris & Maxine Brunt & family, Angela Blake & family, Jim & Cheryl Boston
Pete Kelly, who will be at the Intercessors for Israel prayer conference during the last two weeks of January

Around the Neighbourhood:

Harrington Road, Harrington Walk, Harrington Avenue, Harrington Grove, Atkins Close, The Coots, Burnbush Close, Ashwell Grove, Archer Walk, Sideland Close

Prayer Walk around this area on **Sunday 14th January**

Meet at Linda & Giovanni's, 20 Stockwood Road at 6.30pm

Lance's Labours

This month's priorities (apart from my regular activities) are going to be:

1. A large number of networking events in the Bristol area
2. Following up a number of good contacts made over the Christmas period
3. Some medium-term planning

Where is Lance?

Fully refreshed (!!!) after our few days in Devon, Carol and I should be around for the rest of the month

Dates for your Diary / Advance Notices

Members Meetings

15th March, 24th May (AGM), 19th July

Holiday Club: "TeamBuilders" 13th-16th February (see panel)

If you'd like something included in the next newsletter, please email Sam (samantha.powell7@gmail.com) by Wednesday 24th January.

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So all of us who have had that veil removed can see and reflect the glory of the Lord. And the Lord—who is the Spirit—makes us more and more like him as we are changed into his glorious image

2 Corinthians 3:18 (New Living Translation)

We meet every Sunday morning at 10.45am

(Prayer from 10.15am)

With Youth Church, Adventurers, Crèche, Refreshments.
Communion is generally held on the first Sunday of the month



WEEKLY PROGRAMME

SUNDAY:

- 7th Lance: Introduction (includes Communion)
6.30pm - Eden Event at Counterslip
14th Ted: Bible Reading
21st Lance: Prayer
28th Ted: Fellowship
Feb 4th Martin

MONDAY:

- 11.30am **Lunch Club**
We are always given such a warm welcome in schools. Simple request as ever - please pray! (8th)
7.00pm **Puppet Practice** (8th & 22nd)
8.00pm **Worship Planning** - We are always very happy to receive both brickbats and compliments. They help us to plan! (8th)
8.00pm **Ladies Circle** (no meeting this month)
7.45pm **Fellowship Group** at 70 Ladman Rd

TUESDAY:

- 1.00pm **Toddlers' Group**
7.00pm **Weigh & Pray**

WEDNESDAY:

- 2.30pm **Wednesday Fellowship** (no meetings this month)
7.30pm **Fellowship Group** (no meetings this month)
7.45pm **Leaders Meeting** - Is there anything that you would like us to consider? If so, please let one of the team know (10th)

THURSDAY:

- 1.00pm **Toddlers' Group**
7.45pm **Fellowship Group** at 20 Stockwood Rd (not 18th)
7.45pm **Members' Meeting** - Please come if you possibly can; we have a very important decision to make about the new build (18th)

FRIDAY:

- 7.30pm **Intercessory Prayer Meeting** at Carol & Lance's home (19th)

SATURDAY:

- 8.00pm **G1 Group** at Lance & Carol's home. For all young people from Year 12 up to the age of 30! (6th & 20th)

NEWS & EVENTS

Christmas Events

A huge thank-you to all of you who worked so very hard preparing for, taking part in and clearing up after a seeming never-ending stream of events leading up to and around Christmas. It was a great all-round team effort

Spring Sermon series; the Jesus Model

We are going to embark on a topic-based series looking at some important aspects of our lives as Christians. Please pick up a summary leaflet from Lance if you didn't get one at the New Year Covenant service

Urgently needed ...

People to help make tea/coffee/squash on Thursday afternoons for the Toddler group. I need people to offer to help on a rota basis with preparing refreshments and washing up cups from 1.30pm until 2.15pm. This is from 18th January and during term-time only. The more people who can offer to help, the less often your turn will come around, thanks [Hilary]

BMS Café Event - Saturday 27th January at 12.30pm to 3.30pm

This event is generously hosted by Westbury on Trym Baptist Church, Reedley Road, BS9 3TE. Find out some of the latest news from BMS, including from workers in some of the most sensitive places in the world, which cannot usually be shared. You will also have the chance to meet Dr Kang-San Tan, the new General Director, and hear about his exciting vision for BMS in the years to come. Bring your own lunch and invite a friend (drinks and cake will be provided). Please book by ringing 01235 517600 or by going online at bmsworldmission.org and searching BMS Café (bookings close on 22nd January)

Moldova

We are not promising anything yet. We have no plans right now, but are just trying to update our list! Even if you have told us before, please could you let Carol or me know if you would like to visit Andrei and Eugenia sometime. Equally, if you have expressed an interest in the past and now no longer want to go, please let us know, thanks [Lance]

Holiday Club: "TeamBuilders" 13th-16th February, 10am-12.30pm for children in Reception to Year 6. Please publicise the club to any children you know. New helpers are welcome. Please see Pauline B if you are interested. Planning meetings at 8pm on Fridays at Clare's home, 12 Warman Close

