

Sunday Team	17 Feb	24 Feb
Hall Set-up	Elaine	Mackwin
PA	Elaine	Trevor or Yetsie
Speaker	Charlie and Sue	Steve
Leader	Paul	Mike
Worship	Mike	Josephine
Pianist	Mike	Susan
Guitar	-	-
Singer	Mary	Peter
Songpro	Daniella	Callum
Refreshments	Rafa, Kath and Awin	Heather S, Maddison and Janis
Sunday School	Jean	Leanne
Youth	Stay in Service	Josie
Prayer	Charlie and Sue	Susan and Kath

### God's Word says:

"Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him." Luke 3:4b



This News Sheet is produced by Charlton & Blackheath Christian Fellowship. Items to be included should be sent to David Wilson at the Church Office by Wednesday for inclusion on the following Sunday.

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*Releasing people  
to be the people  
God intended them to be*



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*If you are a visitor we would like to welcome you to CBCF. Please join us for refreshments after the meeting and sign our visitor's book. Welcome Packs which tell you all about us are available on request. We hope you enjoy your visit.*

### *"John the Baptist..."*

In his sermon last Sunday Mike described John the Baptist's role in preparing for Jesus' ministry based on verses from Luke 1 and 3.

Here are some of the points he made:

- All 4 gospels talk of John's ministry;
- He brought a message of repentance and forgiveness;
- John was in the tradition of Elijah;
- Sometimes prophets can be difficult people!;
- John had an amazing humility;
- His message shook the state;
- Baptism was normal Jewish tradition among converted Gentiles;
- John reminded them that being Jewish was not enough;
- Without repentance nobody can become a believer;
- The sequence is: Repent > believe > be baptised;
- John's message is our message.

Mike concluded by saying that we should be calling people to repent; we need the Holy Spirit to give us power.

*Please note that this sermon is available to download from our website.*

**Please**

**Pray. . .**



. . . for Jon, Kath's son-in-law in the USA whose condition is only slowly deteriorating.

. . . for Jean's friends David and Margaret in Australia. David is currently being given radiotherapy treatment. Also remember their daughter, Jo, studying for a masters degree in Norwich.

. . . for Steve attending a Christian Magicians Conference at High Leigh from tomorrow until Thursday.

. . . for Joseph Tinlin who has an injury to his right hand and is still having to wear a brace.

. . . for Lisa recovering from recent surgery for removal of a cyst.

. . . for the work of the Street Pastors in Woolwich Town Centre where they work late on Friday evenings.

. . . for GYFC and their work amongst young people in the area.

. . . the Night Shelter as it continues to make provision for the homeless.

### Street Prayer Rota

This week we pray for those living in Hornfair Road.

**IDEA:** The latest issue of the Evangelical Alliance Magazine includes the following topics: God exceeds our expectations; Helpful prayer techniques; Overcoming ethnic strife; The work of One People Commission; Breaking the chains of drug addiction; Dealing with problems in the education system; Having a quieter balance for healthy living; Open Doors work among persecuted Christians; Ministry among older Christians and Meeting Jesus at the dinner table. Copies are on the table - please take one.

**Sunday 17th**  
10.30am.

Morning Service at the BB Hall.  
Speakers: Charlie and Sue.  
(Prayer and Share Service.)

**Tuesday 19th**

Midweek meeting at the BB Hall:  
**Prayer Meeting.**  
Worship: Susan. Leader: Mike.  
Refreshments: 7.30pm. Meeting at 8pm.

**Friday 22nd**  
7 for 730pm.

Wilberforce Anti-Slavery Trust Family Quiz Night at the BB Hall. Details below.

**Sunday 24th**  
10.30am.

Morning Service at the BB Hall.  
Speaker: Steve.

6pm.

Bring and Share Tea at Steve and Susan's.

**What's On  
this week**



March

Thursday 7th

Volunteers Meeting at 8pm. at One Space to prepare for Messy Church coming soon to Kidbrooke. Please pick up a leaflet from the table for details.

Tuesday 19th

Songs of Praise Evening at the BB Hall. Choices to Mike by 12th March please.

April

Friday 5th (7-10pm) and Saturday 6th April (9am-6pm):

"Blessing Generations" Seminar at London Network Church, Acton. Speak to Trevor or Lisa for more details.

### Coming Soon...

**Quiz Night:** The Wilberforce Anti-Slavery Trust Family Quiz Night takes place on Friday at the BB Hall: 7 for 730pm. Food provided - Please bring your own drinks. Prize Raffle. Cost: £5 per person. Speak to Charlie or Sue for more information.