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*13th May 2018,*

*And this is the testimony, .God has given us eternal life. and this life is in his Son. He who has the Son has life, he who does not have the Son of God does not have eternal life.*

*1 John Chapter 5, Verses 11 & 12*

*Welcome to our church.*

As we meet together to praise and worship God, we ask that He will bless us.

If you are new to our church, please introduce yourself so that we may get to know you.

Please join us for tea or coffee in the back room after this morning's service.

In preparation for this morning's service there will be a quiet time and then the organist will play a worship song in which we hope you will share.

*Our worship today will be led by:*

10.30 am Rev G. Baalham - H.C. AAW

10.30 am No S. Club

6.00 pm Rev L. Valentine - H.C.

*Next week our worship will be led by:*

10.30 am Rev G. Baalham - H.C. AAW

6.30 pm Christian Aid Service Ampthill Methodist Church

Please remember in your prayers: the preachers taking our services today,  
Our Minister Rev. Graham Claydon-Knights and Local Preachers from  
Flitwick who are leading worship -

This Week Ebo Ofori-Quaah

Next Week

## *Weekly Activities*

### Monday

7.30 pm Wesley Guild - No Meeting

### Wednesday.

8.00 pm Wednesday Bible Study Group – 5 Beaumont Road -

### Thursday

9.15 am Baby Comes Too – Term time only

10.00 am Prayer Fellowship - Next meeting to be advised

6.15 pm Boys Brigade Anchor Boys -- Term time only

6.30 pm Boys Brigade Junior Section -- Term time only

7.00 pm Boys Brigade Company Section – Term time only

## *Monthly Activities*

**Knitting & Sewing Group** - we meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 108 Station Road from 10.30-12.00. We knit and sew items to contribute to the shoe boxes we fill for Operation Christmas Child.

### **Ladies' Breakfast - Saturday, 19th May- 8.30 am**

Speaker: Andy Godfrey - CA Regional Co-ordinator

Contact: Angie Woodcraft – 07906 509950

### **Messy Church - Monday, 21st May, - 3.30 pm**

All families are welcome, but please let Graham know if you are coming for catering purposes

### **Men's Breakfast - September - 8.00-8.15 am for a prompt 8.30 am start**

Speaker -to be advised

Contact - Lance Mason- - 01234 742463

### Prayers

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, undergoing treatment, or generally in need of prayer at this time.

If you wish someone to be named in prayer at the Thursday Prayer Group please contact Margaret Fletcher – telephone 713243

Prayer Requests for Sundays – please contact Janet Watts - 717492

Don't forget the Prayer Notice Board at the back of the Church. Please use the slips of paper provided and place your prayer requests on the board.

### Special Dates for Members of Our Church Family in May

#### May Birthday

Joseph Whittingham

Alice Williamson

Scratch Arter

Adam Ashton

Danielle Ashton

James Foley

Barbara Washington

Linda Pitts

Kaleb Baldwin

#### May Anniversaries

Sue & Richard Luscombe

Claire & Ben Peet

Barbara & John Washington

Magdalena Stahrova

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**Greetings to all those with birthdays and  
anniversaries this month**

**May God be with you on your special day**

### CHRISTIAN AID ENVELOPES

At the morning service today Sunday 13th May you will be asked to accept about 6 envelopes to fill with donations from friends/family/neighbours/work colleagues. You are asked to return these envelopes to church the following Sunday. They will be returned to Mary McKeand for the money to be counted.. Please try to support this Christian Aid collection.

**TEA AND CHAT every Wednesday 2.30 - 4.30 pm.**

Latest news (Ye of little faith!!)

Our first Tea and Chat attracted 16 people between the ag4s of 5 months and 92!!  
Truly 'intergenerational'.

Next Coffee Morning - Saturday 2nd June.

**SUMMER (GUILD) BARBECUE- save the date Monday 16th July 4.30 pm at Maryann's. Everybody Welcome as long as you let Maryan know by Sunday 15th July.**

**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK SERVICE**

This service to mark the beginning of Christian Aid Week will be held ay Ampthill Methodist Church at 6.30 pm today Sunday 13th May and will be led by members of the Ampthill and District Christian Aid Group. Please ask if you need a lift. Thanks to everyone who supported our coffee morning last Saturday. We raised £160 which will go towards the freight charges for the shoe boxes. Margaret Fletcher

**MEN'S BREAKFAST**

If anybody has a hostess trolley they no longer need would they be willing to donate it to Men's Breakfast who would be pleased to accept it as they are expecting numbers who attend Men's Breakfast to increase.

**UPPER ROOM LUNCH AMPHILL**

Upper Room Lunch at Ampthill Methodist Church on Thursday 10th May and not 17th May as stated in the Newsletter. Profits to Christian Aid.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE GROUP - Studying WOMEN OF THE BIBLE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS FOR NEXT WEEK'S NOTICES PLEASE  
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