



Heathervale Baptist Church

*Our Purpose Statement:
Helping people to make a journey
to know and to love Jesus Christ*

Week commencing 10th October 2021

*'Let us go to the house
of the Lord!'*



WELCOME

We give you a warm welcome to our services today. We especially welcome anyone who is a visitor and invite you to speak to a leader at the door.

At the 9.00 am Early Service* Martin will be speaking on Psalm 122 - 'Worshipping together in all of life'. All are welcome.

At the 10.30 am Morning Service*, Martin Robinson, our Pastor will be speaking on 'Worshipping together in all of life' from Psalm 122, Alison will be leading worship.

Refreshments will be served in the lounge after this service.

All are welcome.

* There is an info update overleaf re mask wearing.

Our Vision Statement:
We seek to be a Christ-centred, Spirit-filled church family of all ages that reflects the age profile of our local community and that brings transformation to our community through what we say, what we do and through signs and miracles.

Preaching and Small Group Series:

New Series: 'Worshipping the God of all in all of life.'

10th Oct Worshipping together in all of life - Psalm 122

9.00 am Preach & lead: Martin

10.30 am Preach: Martin: Lead: Alison

**17th Oct Worshipping under pressure - Psalm 143
Including communion**

9.00 am Preach & lead: Martin

10.30am Preach: Martin; Lead: Steve

24th Oct Worshipping in failure - Psalm 51

9.00 am Preach: Tony; Lead: Lesley

10.30am Preach: Tony; Lead: Steve

31st Oct Worshipping in contentment - Psalm 16

9.00 am Preach & lead: Roger

10.30am Preach: Martin; Lead: Steve, Sarah

Samaritan's Purse - Operation Christian Child

There will be a short video presentation at both services today, regarding the Shoebox collections for this year. You will receive a leaflet as you come into church.



For additional information about any of the activities mentioned on this sheet, then please contact the relevant group/activity leader or Evelyn in the office on 01932 343588, or the email as below.

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Monday	9.30 am 10.00 am	Prayer Meeting (Rms 12 & 13) Coffee Stop
Tuesday	1.00 pm	Friends Connect (church lounge)
Wednesday	2.30 pm 7.00 pm 7.30 pm	Homegroup (church lounge) Identity Homegroup
Thursday	2.30 pm 7.30 & 8.00pm	Homegroup (church lounge) Homegroups
Friday	10 - 11.30 am	Kingdom Tots
Saturday	9.30 -10.30am	Who Let The Dads Out?
Sunday	9.00 am 10.30 am	Communion Service: Martin Communion Service: Martin/Steve

A note from the Pastor

Whilst Zoom has been a useful tool to enable us to enjoy a measure of fellowship through lockdown, the word the bible uses for church ("ekklesia") means to gather together. There is nothing like physically gathering together in person to worship God together. It is in the assembly of God's people, whom Peter calls "living stones" that we are built into a spiritual temple where God dwells by his Spirit – 1 Peter 2 v 5: *'You yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ'*.

We need to gather together to experience the presence of God. God's Spirit transforms us and gives us unity, joy and peace so that we can take the presence of God into our homes, workplaces and community. As Christians our call is to be salt and light in the world. To be salt and light we need to be transformed by an encounter with God's Spirit. We need to gather in the church to worship as often as we can so that we encounter the Spirit and then so we can scatter to bring the fragrance of Christ everywhere we go.

Blessings
Martin

Foodbank Donations



The foodbank boxes are in the foyer each day.

The items needed are:
Long life juice, long life milk, pasta sauce, tuna, squash, biscuits, coffee, sponge pudding, washing up liquid, tinned ham, tinned custard, tinner rice pudding, chocolates, deodorants (men and women), anti-bac spray.

Thanks for all your donations.

Not needed at this time:
Cereal, tinned tomatoes, baked beans, porridge & pasta.

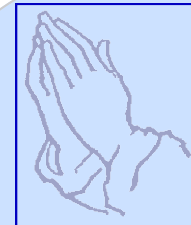
A message from the Leaders:

Mask wearing in church whether for singing or otherwise is now optional and at the discretion of the individual. The leaders ask that we show love and respect for one another where our practice will differ – As Paul says in Ephesians 4 v 2 - 3:

'Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace'.

Thanks
Martin, and the Leadership Team

Last week we celebrated harvest by supporting the BMS appeal - 'I Will Stand'. If you would still like to donate then please put your offering in an envelope marked BMS in the collection plates today or next Sunday. Thanks, Ineke.



Prayer Points

Please remember these friends in your prayers:

Jen G
Pat
Joan & Brian
Eve

We always thank God for all of you, mentioning you in our prayers

1 Thessalonians 1: 2

If you would like your name on the Prayer Points, then please contact Evelyn in the office.