## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

**Holy Communion** 8.00am Sun

> 10.00am Morning Worship – Bible Society – Nehemiah 8: 1-12

**Holy Communion** 11.30am

6.30pm No service

**Mon** 9.30-12 noon Coffee Morning at SJ's

> 8.00pm Prayer Meeting at SJ's

Cru 2 (Urban Saints) (7-11s) at the Assembly Rooms Tue 6.15pm

> Club 2000 (11–13s) meet at Coney Hill Baptist Church 7.30pm

Open Door for mothers & children at SJ's Wed 9.30am

Thur 2.00pm Friendship Group at SJ's

> 14 Plus – Venue as advised 7.30pm

Fri 10am – noon Hearing Aid Clinic at SJ's

## **NEXT SUNDAY – 23<sup>rd</sup> October**

**Holy Communion** 8.00am 10.00am Morning Worship NB No Holy Communion at 11.30am

United Service at Coney Hill Baptist Church 6.30pm



### THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Why did Solomon threaten to cut a baby in half with a sword?

Read 1 Kings 3: 16-27

## MONDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETINGS - 8pm at SJ's

Meetings in October on 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>. All welcome.

We meet for one hour in SJ's from 8-9pm. Do come along if you are able. On 17<sup>th</sup> we'll focus on praying for Light the Night and related issues. Alternatively prayer requests and answers to prayer can be emailed to Sally Munns (sally@munnz.plus.com).



16<sup>th</sup> October, 2016 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Trinity













## **DIARY CHECK**

There are plenty of things to look forward to in the coming weeks, including a number of variations to our usual patterns of worship on a Sunday. We thought it might be helpful to list them all in one spot:

22 October, 11:00am-3:00pm Link to Hope Autumn Fair, St Francis Church

Hall

30 October, 10:00am Service in the Assembly Rooms, followed by

Bring & Share Lunch.

31 October, 6:30-7:30pm Light the Night @ Church - crafts, games,

hotdogs: All welcome.

6 November, 10:00am Baptism Celebration as a number of our

young people take the plunge in the baptism

loog.

12 November, 10:00am Quiet Day with John Nuttall.

13 November, 3:00pm Thanksgiving Service in memory of loved ones

who have died.

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#### WELCOME

If you're a visitor this morning and wish to find out more about what goes on then do introduce yourself to one of our leadership team. They can connect you with people and groups in our church family. You can also find out more from our website.



## THIS MONTH'S PRAYER FOCUS

The All Saints Development & the possibility of a

church premises; and

- The development of SJ's & reaching out to the public;
- Review of our work with Children and Youth.



#### **HOME GROUPS**

If you want to go to a Home Group - maybe just for a trial - speak to Jon or Nick.

Clements' particular, Barry (Thursday evening) group could do with 2 or 3 new members. Best described as a group for mature Christians but with a relaxed style - it digs deep into the Bible as well as spends a fair part of the evening praying for each other, and the needs of the church and community. Chat to Barry if you want to find out more.



#### **QUIET DAY**

There is still space on John Nuttall's 'time of retreat', involving quiet, music, space for

reflection, worship, ministry, and teaching. Please let Jon know if you are interested.



#### **SUPPORT DEE**

Dee Larcombe is going to India on 22nd October for 2 weeks to work in palliative care

in villages based on Lalitpur Christian Hospital. In India she hopes to purchase mattresses and bed sheets for folk needing palliative care, at £5 for a mattress and £1 for a bed sheet. If you feel you can contribute, please see her today. Palliative care is urgently needed in India and Christians are setting an example.



## COFFEE **MORNINGS @ SJ's**

**Every Monday morning** Between 9:30ammidday. Come and join

us for cake and a cuppa.



#### **HOPE** LINK TO **AUTUMN FAIR**

along Come next Saturday. It's a great opportunity to pick up

some early Christmas gifts; there will

be lots of interesting and unusual things to choose from! You can also support Link to Hope by visiting one of our church-run stalls (refreshments, preserves and re-gifting) or by donating a shoebox. If you can help out please let Milly or Angela know. And please bring along any cake donations on Saturday morning (from 9am) or drop to Angela at 22 St David's Close on Friday evening. Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you there!

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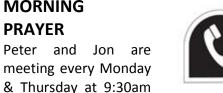


#### THANK YOU

Our Harvest collection for TEAR Fund's Middle East Emergency Appeal

Thank you contributed.

came to almost £400. everyone



# CONTACTS

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Jon will be on annual leave from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 28th October incl.



at SJ's to pray. All welcome.

#### **PRAYERS**

**MORNING** 

**PRAYER** 

The Bible Society & Harvest our

our Mission Focus this month;

Salvation Army and TEAR Fund -

- o Nazanin Ratcliffe (wider family of Margaret Kingman) and the ongoing attempts to secure her release from imprisonment in Iran, Go to www.freenazanin.com
- o Haiti and the rebuilding of communities and lives following the recent devastation there;
- o Nicky Greenhalgh continue to pray for her healing.
- o Those in our church family for preparing baptism on 6 November:
- The presidential debates in the US and the forthcoming elections;
- o Carl, his family and Cornerstone Church, as they seek God and lean on each other;



Please pray for:

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#### **Rev Peter Churcher**

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