

# MARC DUPONT CONFERENCE

Friday 11th - Sunday 13th March 2016

Hosted by Fleet Baptist Church

Worship led by Sue Rinaldi

## WORSHIP, MINISTRY & TEACHING

**Friday** 7:30pm

**Saturday** 10am, 2pm, 7:30pm

at Fleet Baptist Church

115 Clarence Road, Fleet GU51 3RS

*(Space for children under parental supervision will be provided)*

**Sunday** 10am

at All Saints Junior School

Lea Wood Road, Fleet GU51 5AJ

*(A full children's programme will be running)*

For more information, visit

[www.fleetbaptist.org.uk/events](http://www.fleetbaptist.org.uk/events)



**The BMS Birthday Scheme supports medical work across the world. Every year, with your help, we raise over £300,000 for medical projects, such as:**

- Surkhet, Nepal, where patients with debilitating spinal injuries are treated at our occupational therapy clinic
- Guinebor II Hospital in Chad, providing emergency treatment for malnourished children and vital health services for the local community
- Hope Home, Thailand, where children with disabilities, rejected by society, find love and medical care.

Any additional gifts will be used to support other areas of urgent need such as development projects that promote positive health by providing clean drinking water and alleviating hunger. All these projects are saving and transforming lives – and we'd love you to be part of them through the BMS Birthday Scheme.



These are photos of children at Hope Home who Ros Einchcomb and Eve Stanton are supporting. For more information on this please speak to Ros and Eve.

**This is how it works:**

**Step 1:** a Birthday Scheme is set up in a church by a new Birthday Scheme Secretary, a volunteer appointed by the church.

**Step 2:** the Secretary sends a card, supplied (for free!) by BMS, to Birthday Scheme members on their birthday, along with a news bulletin and a gift envelope in the card.

**Step 3:** the member makes a gift, using the gift envelope. The member gives the envelope back to the Birthday Scheme Secretary who sends on all the gifts to BMS.

Currently Ros Einchcomb is the Birthday Scheme Secretary

**Please let Ros know if you would like to join this scheme and help support the valuable work that BMS are involved in.**

See **page 15** for further details

## 2016 SERVICES in Fleet

- 10:30 am At St Philip & St James Church  
Kings Road  
Fleet  
(Refreshments from 10:00 am)
- 7:30 pm At The Church on the Heath  
Elvetham Heath  
Fleet  
(Refreshments after the service)

Presented by members of the different churches  
in Fleet and Church Crookham

Please come along. All welcome

### Caroline and Stephen Diamond Prayer letter, February 2016



*The Diamond family*

We have now been here for just over five months and hope many of you have been following our blog, ([thediamondsindia.wordpress.com](http://thediamondsindia.wordpress.com)) and have been able to keep up to date on our journey so far.

As you may be aware, there was an accident on the motorway on the way to the airport at the start of September, the day we were due to fly! This led to the road being blocked, and we were sat there for around four hours. Unfortunately this meant that we had a twenty-four hour delay in departing from the UK to Kolkata.

**September** was a bit of a whirlwind! We were busy doing our registration with the local government office, finding food shops, and starting to get beds and furniture for a totally empty flat. It was great to be finally here but it had been a long journey to get to this point. The realisation that the journey was only just really starting was quite overwhelming!



*Lily in front of the Queen Victoria memorial*

**October:** We started looking at schools, which as you can imagine was a very different experience to doing so in the UK. Eventually we settled on a school but with Puja coming, an event even bigger than Christmas here, we had to wait for it to be over before the admission process could start. Caroline and Stephen also started their Bengali lessons and we were hit with the realisation on how hard a language it would be to learn.



*At the Science City, Kolkata*



*Lucy, Katie, & Lily first day at South City School*

**November:** Lucy started one school and within 2 days it was obvious it was not going to work, and so the process of revisiting the schools started. Fortunately, we found another school that all three girls could go to. However all was far from what it seemed as moving them all in January became necessary.

**December:** This was a very strange month with no build up to Christmas. We found ourselves on our own over the Christmas period as everyone else had left town. Christmas was over and became our lowest point so far during the whole journey, and left us with lots of questions.

Would we ever find a school that the girls would all be happy in? Could we find somewhere suitable for us all to live? What was the purpose of our call here? So as you can imagine it was incredibly hard. We have been fortunate to have some great people around us. BMS and our regional team leader were great in helping us to work through some of the issues.



Lucy finally eating curry with her hand

**January:** As we entered the New Year, it brought to us new energy and ideas. Once the festive period was over we started again on the school hunt knowing our options were running out here in Kolkata. We successfully found a great smaller school. The warmth and the pastoral care far outweighed any shortcomings we had found. Katie is the happiest here that she has been at a school in a long time. Lily, however, is really struggling after quite a traumatic time at her last school. The new school are doing everything they can for her, and are being very patient and kind with her. However, at the moment we sit in class with her for one hour, then she comes back with us every morning. Lucy has also started this school after leaving her old one. She has found this difficult, as she had made many good friends there. She is loving the work at the new school, but is finding making friends hard.



Lily & Katie getting a Henna tattoo

As we start February it looks as if we have found a flat close to the school and hope to get the keys very soon. Caroline and Stephen are still continuing with language and they are improving a little! Lots of projects have come up which need help, skills and gifts so we are seeking God and praying as to which one He would have us put ourselves to.

**Prayer Points:**

- That the girls would settle at school, especially Lily and Lucy.
- That the new flat will be a place of peace and rest, but also a place where we can extend the hand of hospitality.
- Thanks for the people we have met and contacts we have made.
- For Caroline and Stephen to get the spiritual feeding and support they need.



Mondays  
7pm–9pm  
at FBC

14th March  
Challenge Evening

21st March  
Easter Eggstavanza

**YPF**

Meets on Tuesday evenings during term time at 7.30pm – 9.30pm at FBC.

1st March **Gravity Force**

8th March **Risk and Faith**

15th March **Prophetic**

22nd March **Easter Party**

**Rebekah Overton serving with Wycliffe Bible**

**Translators:** a copy of her latest newsletter is displayed on the church lounge noticeboard.



**You are invited to Messy Church**

Messy Church is for families and involves having fun together. It is for all ages and is based on creativity, hospitality and celebration. Join us for a range of creative and fun activities, craft, food and games. Followed by a celebration where families get to sing praise songs, listen to a Bible story and hear a Christian message. We will finish off by sharing a meal together.

The next Messy Church dates are on

**Sundays 3-5pm:**

**20th March**

**15th May**

**10th July**



**Maundy Thursday Communion**  
 here at Fleet Baptist Church at 8pm  
 All welcome

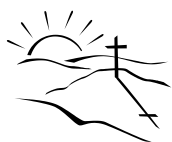


**Churches Together in Fleet and Crookham  
 Easter events**

CTFC does not have plans for a combined act of witness on Good Friday. However there will be 3 Easter family events summarised as follows:

1. A colouring competition: A local artist is doing pictures for different age groups to colour in. LivingStones will display the winning pictures.
2. Geocaching: There will be seven places around Fleet each containing a box with a Christian message and a stamp. When all seven are collected, participants can collect a prize from LivingStones.
3. Spot the Odd-One-Out: During the week leading up to Easter, items will be placed in shop windows. Participants have to spot the item that is out of place in the windows of participating shops. Once the form is complete, participants can take it to LivingStones and collect a prize.

Further details will be available soon



**EASTER DAY SONRISE WORSHIP**  
 Sunday 27 March 2016  
 6.45 a.m.

**At Tweseldown Racecourse**  
 (on the hill with the Water Tower)



**Followed by Breakfast at  
 Church Crookham Baptist Church  
 (Basingbourne Road)**



Please sign up for breakfast in FBC church lounge

*'Peter and the other disciple left immediately for the tomb. They ran neck and neck. The other disciple got to the tomb first, outrunning Peter' (John 20v3)*

For details of our local Churches Together churches and activities go to <http://www.ctfleet.org.uk/>

**Albella News Spring 2016**

Friends of Albella Boys Home Darjeeling  
 U.K. Charity registration 1155956



**Chairman retires after long service**

After almost 18 years as Chairman of the UK committee of Albella Boys home during which time he also served as Administrator and for a time treasurer and latterly as chairman of Friends of Albella Boys Home Darjeeling. Dr. John Morris has retired from that position. The

committee members wished to mark those years of faithful and dedicated service with a thanks presentation to John.

We held a collection between the committee members and we presented John and Mary with a gift card from a local garden centre. Under John's leadership we have seen the boys home and the UK arm of the charity grow from small beginnings to now a registered charity in its own right. "We wish John and Mary a fruitful retirement, while still caring for their handicapped grandson and giving talks about his latest book in Waterstones/Amazon: ***Suffering: if God exists, why doesn't he stop it?*** [www.contemporarycreed.org.uk](http://www.contemporarycreed.org.uk) "



New and Retiring chairmen at John's presentation

**Albella New school year**

The new school year has commenced and we will say goodbye to some boys with new boys coming to fill those vacancies. This is also a time when some boys do not return as their families consider them now old enough to be the breadwinner for the family. We hope that all the boys return and be able to complete their education which will give them better opportunities in their adult life.

**Water Supply**

The water supply to Albella is now restricted to 30 minutes every three days, this has forced the home to buy water from tanker deliveries.

**Heshron writes** "We have submitted another application to the water works department for two more pipelines but so far we've not heard from them. We've been buying water in trucks at least twice a week.

We'll be ok once the rainy season start which is not till mid June. Still a few months to go. Let us hope that everything is going to be fine. Please do continue to pray for the water crisis".

This is a situation that is difficult for us to comprehend in UK as we are blessed with a constant supply of fresh healthy drinking water.



New Solar powered street lighting at Albella

Alan J Pickett Chairman  
FABHD

**FACCTS AGM  
5th March  
9.30am**

**Church Crookham Baptist Church**

Dear supporter,

We warmly invite you to join the FACCTS team for its AGM on Saturday 5th March at Church Crookham Baptist Church. The meeting begins officially at 10am but there will be bacon butties and tea/coffee from 9.30am.

Do come along and enjoy a great start to your weekend as we breakfast and worship together before hearing all about the work that our Schools Workers have been involved in during this last year, for which we give thanks to our amazing God, and the challenges and opportunities that present themselves as we prayerfully continue through 2016.

Please ask in the office if you would like a copy of the FACCTS annual report and statement of accounts for the Financial Year 01 August 2014 to 31 July 2015, and the minutes of the last AGM on 28th April 2015.

Do please advertise this meeting to others who may be interested. We try to ensure that all the local churches know of the date but nothing beats a personal invitation.

If you can't be with us on the day then we would particularly value your prayers.

With every blessing,

Sharon Gardner  
o.b.o FACCTS

**Women's Ministry**

**Weekend Away 7-9<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2016, Windmill Farm, Witney**

If interested please talk to Christine Widdowson

**PUSH Group**

This group will meet next term on the following dates:

2nd March, 20th April

**International Women's Ministry**

This is a group which has been formed out of the wider Women's Ministry at Fleet Baptist Church. Our aim is to encourage women from different nationalities to grow together in Jesus, while at the same time having fun, food and fellowship together.

This group will meet for Bible Study on 24th March, 28th April.



**Book Club**

Do you enjoy reading?

Would you like the opportunity to talk over what you've read with friends?

Then why not come along to the new FBC Women's Ministry book group?

There are two groups both meeting at 4 Woodside Gardens Fleet GU51 3EZ  
Next dates for this event are Tuesday 22nd March at 8pm or Wednesday 23rd March at 10am.



All ladies are welcome

Interested?

Please contact Christine Widdowson for details

[christine.widdowson@ntlworld.com](mailto:christine.widdowson@ntlworld.com)

**Board Games Club.**

Do you enjoy board games?

Board games have come a long way from Monopoly and Risk and are now a big industry.

Chris Wileman has a number of newer games from simple dice based games to more involved worker placement games and are looking for like minded people who would enjoy getting together to learn/play these games.

If you are interested please speak to Chris

or email him at

[chris.wileman@uk.com](mailto:chris.wileman@uk.com) .



**Men Behaving Godly Together**

**12th March & 9th April  
At the Church on the Heath**

Breakfast is at 7.30am



# Please can you help?



*Providing emergency food for local people in crisis.*

Visit the website for updates  
[www.hart.foodbank.org.uk](http://www.hart.foodbank.org.uk)

March 2016:

- Custard
- Rice pudding
- Tinned fruit
- Long-life fruit juice
- UHT Milk
- Sugar
- Jam / Marmalade

Unfortunately we cannot accept home-made preserves as they do not display verified expiry dates



Thank to you all for your donations to Step by Step via the drawer in the church lounge.

Alan and Myfanwy are kindly continuing to take these gifts to Step by Step in Aldershot, so please continue to give.

The donations of selection boxes and toiletries that we recently gave, made a huge difference at Christmas time to the young people that live in the especially provided accommodation.

They were able to support more than 1,500 young people last year through their various services, people like Frank - *Step by Step made me realise what is important in life and where my focus should be. Their support has stabilised my situation, helped discover my dreams and ambitions and given me something to aim for. Family mediation meant I could move back to live with my grandma after being homeless for 6 months. Training services are helping me to reach my ambition of a full time job, move into my own home and support my girlfriend and my son.*

# H E A L I N G



This event will take place in the Hart Shopping Centre



**Prayer for healing offered by Fleet Baptist Church 3rd Saturday of every month 2.30pm—4.00pm**

- DO YOU SUFFER FROM....**
- Back pain?**
  - Cancer?**
  - Stress & anxiety?**
  - Depression?**
  - Financial worries?**
  - Relationship issues?**
  - Allergies?**
  - Sleeplessness?**
  - Addiction?**
  - ... or any other need?**

We'd love to pray for healing right now! (or we can pray for someone you know)

We are Christians from Fleet Baptist Church and other churches locally who believe God loves you and can heal you from any illness!

It won't cost you a thing, just a moment of your time. You have nothing to lose....

Except your illness! If you want to know more please just ask or visit [www.fleetbaptist.org.uk](http://www.fleetbaptist.org.uk)

**Meet at the church at 1.30pm on Saturdays  
 19th March 16th April**

**Treasure Hunting** is where we gather together at the church to pray for the community, during which time we ask God to show us who He wants us to go and look for, and then speak to (don't worry – it's not as scary as it sounds!).

Then we go out and look for the 'Treasure' God has spoken to us about. At the end of an agreed time, we come back together and share what we have experienced. Judging by the previous times we have done this, you'll be amazed how many of the people God reveals to us in prayer we actually find!



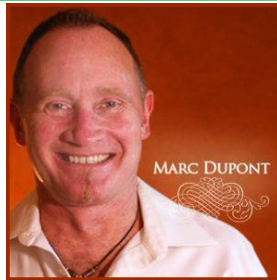
**Treasure hunting will be held on the 3rd Saturday of each month alongside the Healing ministry 2.30-4pm**

**Forthcoming dates: 19th March, 16th April**

**Meet at the church at 1.30pm to pray before going out to look for treasure**

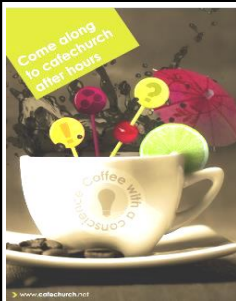
**Marc Dupont Weekend Conference**  
**Friday 11th March to Sunday 13th March**  
**At Fleet Baptist Church**

Marc is an international preacher and prophet. He has served in various forms of church leadership for over 20 years, including teaching, preaching, counselling, evangelism, and church planting. He is founder of the Mantle of Praise Ministries: a ministry concerned with revival and restoring a prophetic edge to the whole body of Christ. Marc ministers in two basic areas; speaking and impartation. The speaking focuses on what the Spirit of God desires to say to the individual church, that particular region, or to the Body of Christ in general. Impartation is the releasing by the Spirit of what the Father desires to do in three basic areas:



1. Encouraging and releasing of spiritual gifts
2. The Holy Spirit speaking clearly and directly to people's hearts about the Father's compassion and sovereignty
3. Ministering in healing

*We are really privileged to have Marc come and share with us.  
 Full details of session times and venues are on page 1.*



**Cafechurch**

It's good to talk.

Shouldn't we spend more time talking about our values and beliefs?

Cafechurch is a place to talk in a relaxed atmosphere, about big issues that affect us all, and discuss them from a variety of viewpoints, including the Christian one.

Please be thinking and praying about who God may be leading you to invite to come along to Cafechurch. Flyers for the next date are available for your use in the church foyer.

This maybe an occasion to bring you neighbour along, or a friend, or family member? Please give this prayerful thought. We would love to see many more of you getting involved and engaging with the community.

This venture is hosted by Fleet Baptist Church in our local Costa 's in the Hart Shopping Centre. See you there

**Cafechurch at Costa**  
**Coffee, Fleet**  
**Time: 6.30-8pm**

**21st April**  
**Royal Servant**

**Cafechurch training is planned, interested? Please speak to Ros**

**Thursday Fellowship**

Everyone welcome meeting commence at 2.15pm Refreshments served afterwards

**March**

- 3rd Christopher Bird
- 10th Maureen Sims
- 17th Patrick Butler (Ch on the Hth)
- 24th Communion
- 31st Leprosy Mission

**April**

- 7th Angela Parker
- 14th Communion
- 21st Sheila Ashcroft
- 28th Owen Ashley

**April**

- 9th MBGT at CoHth
- 11th Housegroup week
- 11th Elders business mtg
- 18th Healing on the Streets and Treasure Hunting
- 20th Women's PUSH grp
- 22nd/23rd Elders event
- 25th Housegroup week
- 28th International Women's Bible Study

**AGM of Church Members**

This will be held on **Thursday 17th March** starting at 7.45pm prompt

*Not a member yet?  
 Interested in joining and committing to FBC?  
 Then please speak to one of our elders to learn more*

**Organising an event?**

We have produced a document giving you details of considerations in planning, budget and costs, a check on insurance and how to complete a risk assessment.

Please speak to Ros for further details

**Monday morning prayer**  
**9-10am**



Do come if and when you are able. Come and receive. To be blessed and be a blessing.

**"Encounter"**

Come for a time of worship and meeting with God  
 Sundays 6pm in the church sanctuary



There will be no meeting on 20th March



**BMS Birthday Scheme**

**Birthday greetings**

Mar

- 7th Tony Molay
- 8th Pauline Fisher
- 11th Simon Hawes
- 23d Beth Taverner

Apr

- 3rd Derek Brook
- 7th Eve Stanton
- 7th Sid vincett
- 21st Julia Peters
- 22nd Stephan Peters
- 26th Audrey Allen
- 26th Ken Walles
- 29th Ruth Sommerville

If you would like to play a part in this worthy project, it's very simple, you just let us know your birthday date so on your special day we give you a birthday card on behalf of BMS World Mission (Further details on page 2 of this publication.

If you wish to know more of the work of BMS visit [www.bmsworldmission.org](http://www.bmsworldmission.org)

When you open your letters please save us your stamps so we can pass them on to support Home Mission. The money raised by selling the stamps is used to help smaller churches in the UK. Please place stamps in the box in the church lounge



**Flower Rota**

Thank you to the friends who will be supplying flowers during

**March**

- 6th Wheway family
- 13th All Saints School
- 20th Bookham family
- 27th Pauline Fisher



**April**

- 3rd Sheila Ashcroft
- 10th Margaret and Donald Ashton
- 17th Ruth Sommerville
- 24th Bessie Tunley

Names to be confirmed

You are invited to join our flower rota. Maybe you would like to give flowers in memory of a special occasion, or to celebrate a birthday or anniversary. If you would like to perhaps you could purchase and arrange the flowers, we would welcome others to join our small team who do this, or you can just give us a donation and the flowers will be purchased and arranged for you. Please have a word with Celia for more details.

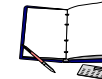


All the flowers that are supplied and arranged for our church services are given to friends as a thank you, or a welcome or for a special occasion or if they are unwell and these help to cheer them up!

**Sunday Services 9.00am and 10.30am**

6th	March	Christopher Bird - Father's Heart 4	(inc. communion)
11th -13th	March	Marc Dupont Conference	(details on front page)
20th	March	Christopher Bird - Palm Sunday	
27th	March	Nic Arkley - Easter Sunday	
3rd	April	Mission 1	(inc. communion)
10th	April	Mission 2	
17th	April	Mission 3	
24th	April	Mission 4	

**March**



- 2nd Women's PUSH grp
- 4th Women's World Day of Prayer
- 6th Mothering Sunday
- 7th Housegroup week
- 7th Elders Business mtg
- 11th-13th Marc Dupont Conference
- 17th Church Members mtg - AGM
- 19th Healing on the Streets and Treasure Hunting
- 21st Housegroup week
- 22nd/23rd Women's Book Club
- 24th International Women's Bible Study
- 24th Maundy Thursday communion
- 25th Good Friday
- 27th Easter Sunday

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