

**Church Flowers** There is now a new flower rota in the church hall. If you would like to take a turn at providing flowers for the Sunday Service please add your name to the list. There are vases at church you can use or bring your own. The flowers are yours to use as you wish after the service. If you want further details please speak to Pat Williams. If anyone would like Lyn Miln to do Church flowers for them, please put your name on the rota and put Lyn in brackets beside it and Lyn will contact you near the time.

**E.B.A. ask us to pray for Bacton Beacon**

Meeting at Bacton Village Hall over the past months has proved a positive step forward as we explore the calling on Beacon Church. We would appreciate the prayer support of our EBA family as we look to the future. Certainly we live in exciting times! We are encouraged as we see God moving in the lives of individuals on a weekly basis. What we do flows from who we are - therefore stressing the importance of our identity in Christ is vital. Please pray with us that, as our identity becomes more secure, we will be able to reach out more effectively. We plan an outreach mission 21-23 July, but want to see every Beacon revivalist equipped to minister. There are age group gaps at Beacon that we need to see filled.

**Parking**—The premises are hired out to other organisations and it is not always convenient for members of the congregation to park in the church drive or to come in and use the toilets.

Please Note information for the weekly notice sheet needs to be given to the Church Office by Thursday **am**. email: [office@derehambaptist.org](mailto:office@derehambaptist.org) .



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**Week commencing  
23rd July 2017**

## Sunday 23rd July

Welcome to our church. We trust you enjoy being with us today and hope you will be able to join us again in worship.

Early Service—Nigel Bayley 9am  
All Age Worship 10.30am

Refreshments will be served between the two services.

**Open Garden** today from 2pm at Nigel & Elaine Bayley's, 75 Allwood Avenue, Scarning, NR19 2TF

**Please look at the Posters in the Church Hall ref. Open Gardens and Church Picnics**

- There is a box available for your gifts towards the Lord's work in the entrance hall.
- Hearing Aid Loop is available downstairs.
- There are people available to pray or talk to after the service.

## Monday 24th July

U3A Table Tennis 10am-12n  
Little Fishes at Toftwood finished until 11th September

## Tuesday 25th July

Prayer House 12n—3pm

## Wednesday 26th July

Tots & Tinies restarts 13th September  
Little Fishes at Toftwood finished until 13th September  
U3A Games Group 1.30pm—4pm  
ESOL Classes finished until 6th September

## Thursday 27th July

Oasis is Not on this week back 10th August  
Young People packing ready for Soul Survivor tomorrow. (see separate note) 6pm

## Friday 28th July

Coffee Shop 10am—1pm

## Saturday 29th July

Portuguese Speaking Service 6pm

Each week we have “**Connect Groups**” meeting in various homes in the area. These informal small groups aim at connecting with God, one another and the local community. If you would like further details, or be part of a new one, please contact the Church Office or speak to the Elders.

## Sunday 30th July

Morning Worship—Nigel Bayley 10.30am

**Soul Survivor** a group of young people (mainly from the Saturday evening congregation, but some from The Hub) are off to Soul Survivor on Friday 28th July. In the past they have been extremely grateful for cakes provided for them. If you are able to donate cake for this year's trip please would you bring them to the church office on Thursday during the day or at 6pm when they are packing the van. Your prayer for this would be appreciated too.

**Foodbank** as a church you have all been very generous in giving to various pastoral needs recently. Thank you, but please don't forget the ongoing needs of the foodbank. Not much has been donated recently.

**Youth & Children's Work** Can all **REGISTERS** and any other information concerning or Kids Church or Youth work be placed in the filing cabinet in the outer office to support Data Protection guidelines - by **TODAY** Barbara has a key as will Hannah Farmer

**Danielle Humphrey** has now returned from her six month placement in South Africa and will give an illustrated talk at the Mission Prayer Meeting on Sunday evening 6th August at 6pm. Please do come and support Danielle.

**Thanks** to everyone for your support, physically, spiritually, emotionally, financially and for the welcome I have received over this visit. I would not be able to cope the way I do without your support. With much love and big hugs. Julia Sargemt

**Lost Property** a mobile phone was left on the coffee bar in the Church Hall last Sunday morning, so far has not been claimed from the church office. There are also dishes, plates and cake tins still to be claimed from the last bring and share meal. And a wheelchair !!

**Tots & Tinies** will be needing at least two more helpers to be able to restart in September. Without help they can't reopen. You will need to have the necessary checks and training for working with children. Please speak to Anne Rose or Barbara Webster.

I would like to meet together regularly with a few people to pray specifically for **Scarning Primary School** and would be pleased to hear from anyone interested in joining me. Ruth Thorpe 693859

**Church Video Camera** You might not realise that each week the service is recorded onto DVD and then the sermon transferred to the internet. More help is needed for operating the camera. If you would like to know more about helping please speak to Fraser Morrison or Derek Mann (usually on the camera) Copies of the DVD are available for £1 from the church office.

**Thanksgiving Service** for the life of Kathy Allison, member of DBC, who lived at Quebec Hall will be held on Thursday 27th July 2pm at the Salvation Army in Dereham.

**Church Directory Photos** Many of the photos in the current Directory are very out of date. Over the next 6 months, I would like to update many of these and would appreciate your co-operation with this. If you would like to submit a new digital one of your own, please forward it to [admin@derehambaptist.org](mailto:admin@derehambaptist.org) Thank you. Christine

**Trinity Methodist Church** are holding a Bereavement Café on Saturday 29th July then on Sunday 30th July they will host a bring and share lunch followed by a showing of the film “Looking to Eternity”. See the poster in the church hall.

Have you any experience of worship in a local church located in a non-UK setting?  
Are you free on Tuesday September 26th at around 10.15 -11.15am?

If so, **Dereham C of E Junior Academy** (was St Nicholas Junior) would like to ask you to come and visit (perhaps as a pair) a class to join in with them for their collective worship by sharing your experience of the Christian church at worship in another culture for about 15-20 mins. There will be more guidelines nearer the time. Contact Jon Beardon (694635) or Sally Theakston (693680)