

Bearsden Baptist Church Newsletter - 15th September 2022

BBC Morning Service - 18th September 2022 - 10.30 am

The battle is not ours but God's – 2 Chronicles 20:1-30

We look forward to welcoming you to our worship service, and hope you will be blessed by your time with us.

We'd love it if you joined us for a chat over a tea or coffee after the service. Refreshments will be served from the hatch in the foyer. Please remember that this morning's service will be live-streamed. It is also essential that we should start promptly at 10.30 a.m. for those watching elsewhere, so we would like to ask everyone to strive to be seated by 10.30.

YouTube Service Videos

Many of us are able to gather for the 10.30am service in the Church building but the service also continues to be streamed live on YouTube and can also be watched again shortly after the service finishes. Search YouTube for "Bearsden Baptist Church" and subscribe to our channel to receive alerts when services start. Keep up with the sermon series while you are away, watch again for house group discussions, and share with friends and neighbours.

THIS WEEK @ BBC

Sunday 18th September 2022 - 10.30 am

Duty Deacon - Allison Ferguson

Stewards - Ann McCallum, Alan Christie, Joe McCrum

Crèche - Gale McCallum, Joanne Paton

Tea/Coffee - Margaret Gillies, Janette Harvey

Prayer Ministry - Charmaine Nonhebel, John Nonhebel

Tuesday 20th September- Lunchbreak - 12.30 pm

Wednesday, 21st September - 2 pm - Well-come Café

NEXT WEEK @ BBC

Sunday 25th September 2022 - 10.30 am

Duty Deacon - Louise Hastie

Stewards - Liz McLeod, Margaret Morrison, Leslie Morrison

Crèche - Ruth Benson, Christine Riddell

Tea/Coffee - TBC

Prayer Ministry - Elaine Bonham, Fiona Bradnam

Monday 26th September- Bumps and Bundles - 9.30 am

Wednesday, 28th September - 2 pm - Well-come Café

Youth News

Sunday 18th Sept – Catalyst group for P7-S4s during the morning service

* BBQ and games at the Yarrs after church, speak to John Burns or Hannah & Mike Yarr for more info

Monday 19th – Monday night bible study for S3-S6s, 7:30-9:30pm at Jonny's flat above Killermont

Thursday 22nd – Students and Young Adults group, 7:30pm at the Station Bar

Friday 23rd – Drop-in games night, 7:30-9pm at BBC for P7-S6s (switch/board games/hang out/hot choc)

Sunday 25th – Catalyst group for P7-S4s during the morning service

Just a couple of updates for folks. This Sunday (18th) we are going to start looking at the 'I am' statements made by Jesus in John's gospel in the Catalyst Sunday morning group. Please pray for our young folks as we spend time together each week and think about what these great verses mean to us today and how we can live them out.

We are also re-starting our 2FORTY2 Live Sunday evening services once again after a bit of a break. The name 2FORTY2 comes from Acts chapter 2 verse 42 which says that Jesus followers 'devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer', which will be key components of our times together on these Sunday evenings. These services are open to all ages and it would be great to have lots of folks coming along to support the young people who will be involved in the planning and running of these services. They will be once a month, on the first Sunday of the month, starting on the 2nd of October and will run from 7-8pm.

For your diary - upcoming meetings at BBC

Tuesday, 20th September - Pastoral Team meeting

Sunday, 2nd October - Church Meeting after the service (please note the change of date and time)

Fire alarm system test - important!

We are arranging a full fire alarm system test on one Sunday morning in October. It will be similar to the way we did this previously - the date of the alarm test will be unannounced, and the congregation should exit by the nearest fire door, proceeding to the assembly points in the gardens.

Message from Lorna McLean

Are you a artist, quilter, knitter, potter, blacksmith, embroiderer, jeweller or have any other craft flair?

A coffee and craft fair is being planned on Saturday 26th November 2022. This will allow all the talented folk in Bearsden Baptist to sell and showcase their wares and raise funds for a local charity.

Please add this date to your diary and if you would like more information or book a table to showcase and/or sell items then please speak to Lorna or Cindy McLean.

Andrew's 21st Birthday Ceilidh

You are invited to Andrew Grindley's 21st Birthday Party

Location; Bearsden Hub, 69 Drymen Road, Bearsden, Glasgow, G61 3QT

Date; Saturday 8th October 2022

Time; 6:30PM (Live music from 7 till 10) BYOB - Kilts Recommended

Bring your best dancing shoes and Ceilidh the night away. Hope to see you there.

RSVP; 07465259436, Email; andrew@fieryfred.org.uk

Shoe Box Appeal

Once again we are preparing shoe boxes to bring joy to people at Christmas. Money, shoe boxes or donations will be gratefully received.

Last day for collection is SUNDAY 30th. OCTOBER

For more details, see Sheila Morley or phone 0141 570 2780

ChurchSuite

Have you signed up for ChurchSuite, our communication platform? The mobile app gives you secure access to our address book (where you can update your own details), events calendar, small groups, rotas, and links to the church website and Facebook page.

Register for ChurchSuite

Here:-

<https://bearsdenbaptistchurch.churchsuite.com/embed/addressbook/form>

It's a two-step process, and includes a link to download the mobile app once your registration has been processed.