

WBCWBC Sunday 27th September 2020

Welcome to another edition of the WBCWBC, see what's new, and refresh your mind of what you may have already known!

Roads for Prayer:
Watchet – Greenway
Williton – High Street

Birthdays:
Thursday 1st – Chrissie H
Thursday 1st – Lily-May G

Quiz Night

If you missed this on Friday, look out for the next one! It was definitely a fun evening for all and a very closely fought competition for the coveted champions spot! Well done to the eventual winning team 'Pardon'(!) and thanks to Mike and family for arranging and hosting.

Online Worship Service

www.youtube.com/watchetbaptist
Sunday at 5.40pm with service starting at 6pm.

Start the Week Prayer

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6196377534>
Monday at 9am for about 40 minutes

Small groups (Tide groups)

These meet on various days throughout the week.
Please ask for more info.

Open Prayer Gardens

These take place most weeks. Info is published by email as these are arranged.

Keep in touch!

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Open Prayer Gardens

Most weeks, a garden will 'pop up' which, for one hour, is open to those who would like to join together to pray. It won't always be the same garden and it won't always be the same time each week and some weeks, there may be more than one garden popping up.

A few days before a pop up, you will receive an email telling you which garden is opening and at what time. With current social distancing rules, there will be a strict limit to the number of people able to get together. Currently this number is 6. If you would like to host an open prayer garden, please email jrbwbca@gmail.com

Prayer Garden This Week

Friday 2nd October at the Manse. Mike is looking forward to welcoming you from **11.00am to 12.00 midday**. Up to 5 people can join him and would love for you to be there!

Please let Mike know if you would like to come.

mike@watchetbaptistchurch.org.uk

The MATTHEW READING PROJECT

Look out for our brand-new Matthew reading project on our website. You can now access the entirety of the Gospel of Matthew with each chapter read by a different member of our church family. Check it out on the 'downloads' section of watchetbaptist.org.uk

Raising Faith

Care for the Family's free online event for parents and church/ children's leaders

This takes place on the evenings of 6, 7, 8 October. A ready-made programme to help strengthen parents in church, as they inspire their children's faith journey at home. Our key messaging here at the '**Kitchen Table Project**' has never been more applicable than throughout 2020. Parents are the greatest influence in their children's lives and most have become their children's church leader too. The resources we have produced will give them confidence, inspiration and many ideas, as well as helping them know they are not alone on this journey.

To find out more, follow these links:

For leaders - <http://bit.ly/MessagetoLeaders>

For parents - <http://bit.ly/RaisingFaithInvite>

For more information and to book free tickets visit <https://www.careforthefamily.org.uk/events/events-online/raising-faith>

BMS Catalyst Live

If you love Jesus, enjoy good speakers, like to be entertained and to use your brain, then you will love Catalyst Live. This event is usually held annually at two sites – and brings together a variety of voices from across Christian thinking.

Hosted by BMS, the event has typically brought together thought provoking speakers from the world of media, entertainment, theology and mission. This year, it's online. Its length has been slimmed and so has the cost. For just £5 you can engage with world renowned theologian Stanley Hauerwas, international artist, writer and speaker Makoto Fujimara, comedy rap jazz duo (much funnier than it sounds) Harry and Chris, and local voice of biblical studies Helen Paynter (from Bristol Baptist College).

Check out the website here: <https://www.bmscatalystlive.com/> and find out more. Just £5 gets you the link to the event, which runs from 7.30pm on Friday 9 October – so less than two weeks away.

WBC AGM

Partners will know that our Annual General Meeting, scheduled for March was cancelled because of the current pandemic. Plans are now in place to hold this meeting online on **Monday 19th October at 7.30pm**. Further details will follow, but we hope as many partners as possible will be able to join the meeting, so please make a note in your diary!

Church Partnership Course

Interested in becoming a partner? Well, then this notice is for you! Coming soon is a course for prospective church members, but you don't need to be new to learn about being a church partner, so if you're free and would like to, feel free to pop along also!

As the church is changing in these strange new times, our church family is as important as ever. This is a great opportunity to either become a partner and have a greater role in the life of this church family, or have a refresher on being a partner.

If you are at all interested in this course, then contact Mike. It's a short course, so you won't be booking yourself up for weeks and weeks. Get involved with this great opportunity!