

BULLETIN

Forest Fold Baptist Church
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Proclaiming the Truth
Honouring the Lord
Serving the people

1 Dec 2024

“ ..walk in love ,as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God..
Eph 1 v 2

Regular Worship Times

Sunday 10.20 am Prayer Time ; 11.15 am & 6.30pm Services at FF & Live stream via website
Thursdays 7.30pm (Not live streamed)
Communion Services on first Sunday each month at 3.00pm

Forthcoming Services

Sun 1 Dec 11.15 am John Cowley “ The way to walk” Eph 5 v 1-21
Sun 1 Dec 3.00pm Communion Service John Cowley “ Follow His footsteps through suffering” 1 Pet 2 v 21-24
Sun 1 Dec 6.30pm Mark Philpott “ Life to the full” John 10v10
Thurs 5 Dec 7.30pm Prayer Meeting . Mark Philpott. Church Testimony meeting after service (Help needed afterwards please to set up for the Holly Wreath events)
Sun 8 Dec 11.15am John Cowley
Sun 8 Dec 6.30pm Mark Philpott
Thurs 12 Dec 7.30 pm Home Groups

Meetings and Notices

Tues 3 Dec 12.30 First Tuesday Christmas Lunch
Wreath Making sessions now fully booked
Questionnaire deadline Sun 8 Dec If you would like a copy please ask Jean Hare

Finance

Giving in November
Help Fund : £322.50
Charity of the month Cyprus Fund
General Financial Questions should be sent to finance@forestfold.org.uk
There are **Giving Forms** in the Entrance Hall
Donations generally can be made via the Church bank account-details on “Charity of Month” information on the notice board, as are Roger’s contact details.
Send all FF expense claims (including a note of the total amount) to expenses@forestfold.org.uk

Bookings of FF Church Hall

Please book through bookings@forestfold.org.uk
or Jenny Baldwin on 07856 539152

Information Worship services can be accessed from our **website** <https://forestfold.org.uk> by live video streaming. Use the “Listen Live” button. Video recordings are now available on the “Video” tab and sound recordings on the “Sermon Download” button or from the Forest Fold App. For friends **without internet access** services can now be heard through the telephone. To join our live streamed services dial 01892 335466.

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Pray for:

- ◇ God to be glorified as we worship Him together today
- ◇ John and Mark as they lead our services today
- ◇ Martin Hook preaching at Iden Green Church this evening
- ◇ Keith Gilbert speaking at Milward Home on Thursday
- ◇ Steve Sharpe having a knee replacement on 11 December
- ◇ The Holly Wreath events on Friday and Saturday and the gospel message to have an impact
- ◇ First Tuesday Christmas lunch to be a joyful time and for the message to affect the hearts of our friends
- ◇ Our church leaders as they think through our questionnaire responses
- ◇ John Barton who is now being cared for at home
- ◇ Margaret Burch becoming very weak in her nursing home in Eastbourne
- ◇ Those serving the Lord around the world including, **Dr Rosie Crowter** in Papua New Guinea, **George and Zorica** in Crisul Valley, Romania; and the **Saywells** in The Philippines

Give thanks for

- ◇ Iris Sampson’s successful cataract operation
- ◇ The Christmas Cracker event on Friday night and the interest shown by so many visitors. Hundreds of gospel tracts were given out by FF ,All Saints, St Richards and Jarvis Brook churches. A lot were accepted by young people. Pray that they will be used mightily by God
- ◇ All those who visit, support and care for our older and housebound friends

If you are able to provide meals for Steve and Betty following Steve’s operation please speak to Jane Hook

Cyprus Lefkosa Message from James Swanson

“We are looking forward to welcoming into membership those who were baptised last week along with some others.
Please pray with us that they will be blessed and be a blessing as they join with us. Also please pray for us as we plan and prepare for the gospel opportunities of the Christmas season”.