



Welcome to Stoke Green Baptist Church

'The Church on The Green'

www.stokegreenbaptist.org.uk

Notice sheet for week commencing Sunday 20th August 2017

A very warm welcome to our service this morning.
If you're visiting or if it's your first time here, we do hope that you will enjoy your time with us as we gather to worship together.

What's Happening Today

This morning's service, including Holy Communion, is being led by Tony Burton.

Our reading today is Luke 3:21-4:44 (Pg 1029)

After a time of all age worship, the following activities are available for our younger folk, including any visitors.

Crèche for children under 3 years old

Bubbles for children over 3 up to School Year 1

Splash! & **XSTREAM** for School Years 2 to 9

Please do join us in the Loaves and Fishes area in the halls complex behind the church for light refreshments and a chat after the service.

United evening service at 18:30 here at Stoke Green with Rev Norman Tharby speaking.

Prayer and Healing Team

If you have an illness, or other problem and would like to talk to somebody, we have people who would be happy to have a chat and perhaps pray with you. If you'd like to do this, please speak to Roly or one of our stewards after the service.

Three Ways To Catch Up With Past Sermons:

- **Printed transcript:** From the dispenser located on the wall next to the main church entrance.
- **Electronic copy:** Please speak to Di if you wish to be included on the email distribution list.
- **Stream or Download:** Using the links from our website www.stokegreenbaptist.org.uk

NB. Whilst every effort will be made to reproduce sermon notes during the interregnum it may not always be possible as visiting speakers may not be able to provide us with fully written up notes.

Text of The Week

Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Col 3:17 [NIV]

The flowers today have been given by Holly & Liam to mark their wedding anniversary

If you'd like to give flowers on any particular dates in 2017 please add your name to the calendar in the front porch.

Jeannie Barker will be pleased to answer any queries, and help you if requested.



For best results please sit in the rear half of the church and set your aid to **T**

Please let me have any items you want included in next week's notice sheet by **Thursday evening** at the latest.

Many thanks, Steve

What's On At SG This Week:

Please pray for the activities taking place this week.

Mon 21st	No meetings today	
Tues 22nd	No meetings today	
Wed 23rd	Ladies keep Fit	09:30
Thu 24th	Prayer Meeting (All welcome)	20:00
Fri 25th	No meetings today	
Sat 26th	No meetings today	
Sun 27th	Morning Worship led by Aubrey Cardy	10:30
	This service will include the dedication of Jacob Mackinder	
	United evening service. Hosted by Christ Church - Andrew Croft speaking	18:30

Details of other activities, future events, things of interest, and events further afield are posted on the main notice board by the door in the L&Fs.

Golden Wedding Celebrations

Susan and Zachary Kiragu are celebrating their golden wedding on **Saturday 2nd September.**

Together with their families, they cordially invite members of the congregation to a service of thanksgiving on Saturday 2nd September in the Church at 2pm led by our moderator, Rev Jon Bates.

This will also be an opportunity for those who are married to give thanks for their own marriages.

A reception follows at 10 Mallowhayes Close, Ipswich IP2 9SJ.

If you would like to accept the invitation to attend the reception, please let one of the following know;

Lucy 07974 361017;

Rose 07810 113422;

Lydia 07886 304292.

Ladies Walking Weekend

Please pray for the ladies walking weekend taking place from 25th - 27th Aug.

Singers Practice

Advanced notice that there will be a quick practice (approx 30mins) on Friday 1st September at 19:45



Love in a Box 2017

Just **6** weeks left before the end of this years campaign.

Please see NEW poster on the notice board in the Loaves and Fishes for more details and more importantly, for items still needed to complete boxes.

Many thanks Laine & Di

Sponsored Walk

Wendy's daughter Alice will be taking part in the London Walk for Alzheimer's in October.

For more details or if you wish to sponsor her please go to www.justgiving.com/fundraising/mw241583

A Film of Interest

A new film 'Summer in the Forest' is being shown at the Ipswich Film Theatre from 22-24 August at 2.30 and 7.30pm (NB. no 2.30 showing on Wed). The film, which has been well reviewed, features the work of the L'Arche Community among adults with learning difficulties, which many will know from the work of the late Tim Mason.

More details from Michael Clark.