

Engaging deeper with Jesus Enabling all to meet Jesus Enriching our Community

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2025 Church Text: I pray that you, being rooted and firmly established in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the length and width, height and depth of God's Love. Ephesians 3 v17 & 18

Sunday 16th February 2025

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10.30am
Joshua Douglass
All Age Service
Angel Tree Cake Sale
Church Meeting

6.30pm Churches Together Worship St Philips Church



Sunday 23rd February

10.30am Rev Andy Gore

The Look of Love Ephesians 1:1-3, Revelation 1:9-20, 2:1-7



4.00pm
Café Church with Norman

7.30pm Embrace

HALF TERM

Monday 17th February

Monday Prayers 19.00



Tuesday 18th **February** YOUTH FEST

Wednesday 19th **February** YOUTH FEST

Thursday 20th February

 Coffee Pot
 10.30 - 12.30

 Communion
 11.00 - 11.30

 Ukulele Club
 18.30 - 19.30



Saturday 22nd February

DTI @ Nottingham

Letter of the week

Monday 17th February 1 Timothy 6 verses 1 – 10

Tuesday 18th February 1 Timothy 6 verses 11 – 21

Wednesday 19th February 2 Timothy 1 verses 1 - 14

Thursday 20th February 2 Timothy 1 verses 15 – 2 Timothy 2 verse 3

Friday 21st February 2 Timothy 2 verses 14 – 26

Saturday 22nd February 2 Timothy 3 verses 1 – 17

"Eat this book"

"What do you think Paul is saying to you today?"



BMS Birthdays Anyone of any age can join the Baptist Missionary Society's Birthday Scheme.

On a day when we have so much to celebrate, Birthday Scheme members choose to donate to help others in need. See Wendy if you would like to be part of the Birthday Scheme and help others around the world.

Please note: Christine Sleath no longer has a landline number.

Mia, Ellie and Robyn's 10k Walk for Roundabout:

My name is Mia and I am 10 years old. After becoming more aware of people living on the streets, I want to raise money to help people to be safe, warm and help them to find shelter. Me, my sister, Ellie and my friend, Robyn are going to do a sponsored 10k walk to raise money for this cause.

Roundabout is South Yorkshire's youth homeless charity. Every day we provide shelter, and support to over 350 young people in Sheffield, Rotherham and Doncaster who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.



Please scan the QR Code to donate to this fabulous cause and support our youngsters in their endeavours

The notices for February will be typed by **Gilli Gore**Please send by Wednesday. Thank You



Angel Tree Cake Sales

Could you bake a cake for us? We hope to hold cake sales at coffee time each third Sunday as part of our fundraising towards purchasing gifts and postage for Angel Tree children next Christmas. (Children who have a parent in prison). Please see Marilyn if you can help. Thankyou

Lilies Clothes Bank

Now that the Manor Project/Genesis has closed we have been looking for somewhere else to send clothes to. We have visited Lilies Clothing Bank and would like work with them to supply clothing from DBC to their unit.

Lilies Clothes Bank, which is part of Meadowhead Christian Fellowship, is at Unit 3, Dyche Lane S8 8DX (in the Jordanthorpe shopping precinct).

They are open on Mondays from 2pm to 3-30pm for dropping off donations of clean clothing, coats and footwear in a good condition for Men, Women, Children, babies, and School Uniform. As this is close by it means people from DBC can drop items in themselves rather than have them stored at DBC. If anyone cannot get to the Unit due to the time or transport, please bring items and place them in the porch and please let either Ron Fenn or David Lax know and we will transport them to the unit.

There are leaflets in the porch advertising the clothes bank, please help yourself to them. David



Thought for the Week

By now, you should have brought the card, the flowers, booked the meal or otherwise it is too late. Planning and preparation are important, one can only wing it so far. Likewise, any activity will need planning and preparation. There is a song that has the line prepare ye the way of the Lord (Isaiah 40:3) from the musical Godspell and another one by Michael W Smith using that same line. I am sure there are others as this verse is so invocative of the story of salvation. We often associate this verse with the mission of John the Baptist and his preaching to repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand. John prepared the way for Jesus to come and teach, preach, die and be resurrected; to bring salvation for all who repent.

However, as those who follow Christ we can "prepare the way" for Jesus by living lives of genuine love, compassion, and humility. This involves embodying His teachings through our actions. It means showing kindness to others and practicing forgiveness. We all have that mission of preparing the way where we live so that people are pointed towards Christ. How can you be a John the Baptist today? **Rev Simon** I have recently been charged with the task of doing something with our prayer room and having been inspired by Pete Greig and the 24-7 Prayer movement, I'd love to see us increasing our intentional prayer.

Let's renew our efforts to be a people of prayer and pray for our church and our communities.

I thought we could make a start by having one morning a week where people can commit a little time to our prayer initiative and so I need four sets of two volunteers to spend an hour in prayer in the prayer room (upstairs) on a Thursday morning from 9am-1pm.

If you feel that this is something you can do, then please talk to me and I will add you to the rota.

Many thanks, and please pray that we can make this happen and work, because I believe that God is just waiting and longing for us to spend time with Him. What the enemy fears most is prayer and he will do everything possible to thwart our plans, but we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us.

Margaret 💮 💮



Craft Fair



Saturday 29th March 10am - 2pm

at Dronfield Baptist Church, Stubley Lane, S18 1PE

Tea · Coffee · Homemade Cakes

Local crafters & makers

Raising funds for Angel Tree Providing Christmas presents for children whose parents are in prison



For more info or to book a stall please contact:
Linda Brennan

