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# "Building a Community to reach a Community"



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### Welcome!

We offer you a very warm Hope welcome.

Please join us for coffee after the service. If you would like to find out more about our church family please complete a Welcome Card and pass it to one of the stewards.

#### This Sunday

Legacy

Your Legacy, Your Choice

2 Corinthians 9: 1-15

Flowers: Myra Conbeer. In loving memory of her husband, Bill Conbeer and her father Mr George Reed.

#### Next Sunday

Legacy

Pentecost

Luke 5: 1-11 & Acts 1: 4-8

Flowers: Linda and Paul Snell, on their last Sunday at Hope and to celebrate their wedding anniversary.

# Church Picnic - Planned for today

Due to unforeseen circumstances the picnic and treasure hunt planned to follow on after today's morning service has been postponed.

#### Exciting opportunity...

Hope are searching for a Children & Families Outreach Worker to join the staff and volunteer team. If you know of anyone who might be interested please ask them to contact Karen Ponsford: Karen.ponsford@hopebaptist.co.uk for a job description and application form.

- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May Lunch Club 12:30pm, Allsorts Communion Service 2:15pm & Prayer Meeting 7:00pm – 8:00pm
- Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May Parents & Toddlers 10:00am 12:00noon & Mums & Babies 1:00pm - 2:30pm
- This week at Hope
- Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> May Parents & Toddlers 10:00am 12:00noon and 12:45pm – 2:45pm & Church Members Meeting 7:30pm
- Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May Community Cafe 10:00am 12:00noon, Youth & Children's Prayers 12:00noon - 12:30pm & Hy-Powered (School Years 3 - 6) 6:30pm - 8:00pm
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May Hype (School Years 7 9) 7:00pm 8:30pm & Re:Act (School Years 10 13) 8:30pm 10:00pm

# Allsorts Communion Service - Monday 14th May - 2:15pm

Come and share with us from 2:15pm for a short service of worship, prayer, bible thought and communion.

# Church Members Meeting - Wednesday 16th May 7:30pm

We encourage all church members to join us for prayer and discussion next Wednesday evening. Agendas and accompanying documents for this meeting have been circulated by email. If you do not use emails and would like a paper copy of the documents please speak to Karen Ponsford today.

#### Sharper 18 – Saturday 19th May – A Heart Like David

Christian Vision for Men present 'Sharper 18' at Methodist Central Hall, Plymouth from 8:00am – 3:00pm. A packed morning of training for men and men's groups, with the usual CVM fun, laughter and banter.

Tickets are £10 (inc. refreshments and bacon roll, plus pasties and donuts at lunch). Speak to Tony Jopson for more information or book at www.cvm-plymouth.org.uk/tickets

### Community Prayers – Wednesday 23rd May – 7:00pm

On Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May we will be getting together to pray for the community groups our church family are involved in, including the Soup Run, the Soup Run Plus, the Community Food Share and CAP. We will have a specific time to pray for each outreach group and also the lives they touch. Meet in Room 6 (Youth Centre), everyone is welcome.

- Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May Open House 2:15pm, Thirst (for school years 9–13) 6:30pm –
   8:00pm & Prayer Meeting 7:00pm 8:00pm
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May Parents & Toddlers 10:00am 12:00noon & Mums & Babies 1:00pm - 2:30pm



- Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May Parents & Toddlers 10:00am 12:00noon and 12:45pm – 2:45pm, Women's Rendezvous 5:30pm & Community Prayers 7:00pm – 8:00pm
- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May Community Cafe 10:00am 12:00noon, Youth & Children's Prayers 12:00noon - 12:30pm & Hy-Powered (School Years 3 - 6) 6:30pm - 8:00pm
- Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May Hype (School Years 7 9) 7:00pm 8:30pm & Re:Act (School Years

# U Fest - Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June & Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June - 11:00am

At Plymouth Hoe people of all ages, backgrounds and communities will unite for a giant music and culture extravaganza on the city's waterfront. Entry is free and there will be live music and all sorts of fun activities for all ages. Open 11:00am – 8:00pm on Saturday and 11:00am – 5:00pm on Sunday.

# Gospel Choir Concert - Saturday 9th June - 7:00pm - 9:00pm

As part of our celebrations of Hope 90 we are hosting a Gospel Choir Concert. Everyone is welcome and entrance is free.

#### Thank You

Jean Smith would like to thank everyone in the church family for their love and kindness. She and her family are grateful for all the care and support they have received over the last six months, while Alan was unwell, and at his recent funeral.

# Please can you pass on glass jars for Party in the Park

Please can you donate any glass jars – jam jar size or smaller (lids NOT required) to Marion or Kev Harvey or the church office. They will be used for a craft activity at the Party in the Park on Sunday 1st July.

#### Youth & Children @ Hope

We welcome children and young people to all our services. On most Sunday's we have groups for all children and young people. The groups usually meet as follows:

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Babies and toddlers up to 3 years old:

Room 7

Bubbles & Splash

Pre-school & School Years Foundation, 1 & 2:

Room 9/10

Hy-Powered

School Years 3-6:

Room 6

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School Years 7-9:

Room 12

Re:Act School Years 10-13:

Room 11

# Pray for North Korea

Praise God that a group of underground believers in North Korea have recently been encouraged by receiving Christian materials and urgent aid. Please pray that God will protect and strengthen his people suffering there and pray for protection for Open Doors' secret networks reaching these believers with food, medicine, clothes and God's Word. We long for this country to become open to the rest of the world and for the Gospel to flourish there.

#### Weekly Opportunities to Pray Together at Hope:

Monday evenings: 7:00pm - 8:00pm, Youth Centre Soup Run Home Prayer Team - Monday 8:30pm-10:30pm (Gather on the WhatsApp!) Thursday afternoons: 12:00noon - 12:30pm (For Youth & Children) Sunday mornings: 10:00am, Prayer Room

#### Newsletter

Richard Simpson has a copy of a new newsletter from the Allan Family.

Please speak to him if you would like to read it.

#### How to stay up to date...

Check your pigeon hole for any news.

Email the office – <u>office@hopebaptist.co.uk</u> and ask to be added to the Church distribution list. You will then receive the weekly newsletter and other updates. Check out our website – <u>hopebaptist.co.uk</u> for news, programmes and sermons Look for us on facebook – <u>facebook.com/HopeBaptistPlymouth</u>