

NOTICES & ANNOUNCEMENTS SUNDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2023

A very warm welcome to everyone joining in worship today. If you are a visitor, or new to the area, please make yourself known to the worship leader, duty elder, or sidespersons and write in the Visitor's Book on the table at the back of the church. Tea and coffee will be served in The Oasis after the service

please join us for a time of fellowship if you are able to.



SUNDAY 15TH OCTOBER: 11.00 a.m. Church Anniversary & Gift Day

11.00 a.m. Church Anniversary & Gift Day Service with Holy Communion

The service is led by Rev'd George Watt - Thames North Synod Moderator.We invite all who trust in Jesus as Saviour and Lord to receive the bread and wine atHoly Communion. If you prefer, you may allow the bread and wine to pass by you,when served by the elders, and receive a blessing.Reading: Matthew 5: 1-17 (p.968)(Celia)Duty Elder: John Miller

During the service our friends Elaine, Daniel and Keeley will be received into Church Membership. After the service in The Oasis - Rev'd George will answer pre-received questions about the running of Thames North Synod.

COFFEE SHOP IN THE OASIS open Monday to Friday 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

MONDAY 16TH OCTOBER:

2.00 – 3.30 p.m. Drop In for the bereaved at St. Giles' Small Hall.

TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER:

9.30 a.m. 11.00 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Breakspear School Year 3 classes visiting the church.

WEDNESDAY 18TH OCTOBER:

2.00 p.m. Monthly Prayer Meeting in the Hardwick Room. All are welcome – please do come and join in.

SUNDAY 22ND OCTOBER:

11.00 a.m. Morning Service led by Geoff Easton.Duty Elder: Dorothy VickeryReader: Dennis Osborne

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Copies of NIV Bibles are available for you to use during the service. Please collect one from the shelves at the back of the church and return them, along with your hymn books, at the end of the service

Meeting for prayer before the service, from 10.40 for 10 minutes in the Hardwick room. Anyone is most welcome to join in.

Pauline Woodham will usually be available after the service for anyone who would like to chat about concerns or worries and would like someone to pray with them.

Thank you to Dennis & Janice Osborne for the flowers in church today in memory of Dennis' late mother's birthday.

Contributions to the Offertory to support the work and Worship of the Church may be made by cash or cheque in the bag during the Service or by bank transfer.

Gift aid envelopes are available to use, if appropriate. All donations are gratefully received and will be dedicated during the service. Further details from the Elders if required

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. *Philippians 4: 6-7*

BIBLE A MONTH CLUB

Patricia Potter has offered to take over running the "Bible a Month Club". All those wishing to either keep up their subscription or if you are someone wishing to join please contact Patrica asap.

RUKIGA VISIT

A Charity Monitoring Visit to Uganda has been arranged for next month 8th November 2023. Three CLICK Rukiga Committee members including Julie Dungey our Chair are attending with 2 other family members.

If you would like **to send a card, small gift or a small donation** for your Sponsored Child please contact me:

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PRAYERS FOR OUR COMMUNITY & FOR THE WORLD

We continue to hold our friend Daphne Warden in thought and prayer.

It has been good to hear that she is now back in her home in Denham Garden Village with a care plan in place to assist in her recovery from a broken hip and wrist .

Please continue to pray for Celia Miller as she continues to gain mobility after recent knee surgery.

Prayers are requested for our friend Richard Boyes who is recovering from spinal surgery in Hillingdon Hospital

We continue to pray for the people of Morocco and Libya, that they will receive the aid that they need.

Our earnest and heartfelt prayers continue for the end of the war in Ukraine and other war-torn areas, thinking especially at this time of all the innocent victims of the conflict between Israel and Palestine, that a peaceful resolution may be found in that devastating situation.

Our Mission Statement

Ickenham United Reformed Church aims to welcome and serve others in Christ's name and spread the news of God's love. We aim to help each other to grow in Christian faith and spiritual life and worship God together.