

## Prayer Guide

### REGIONAL AND LOCAL

#### **EBA Prayer Focus: EBA Week of Prayer 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> September**

Because the EBA Assembly was cancelled, the EBA are asking us to pray daily this week for the Association. Details are on the insert in the Weekly Sheet.

#### **Walton Parish Nursing**

- Please continue to pray for John, Lorna and the PN volunteers as they seek to keep in touch with clients and support them in whatever way they can under the present conditions.

#### **Pandemic**

- Pray for a continued search for more effective treatments and a vaccine.
- Pray for those struggling financially because of the downturn in the economy and ensuing rise in unemployment.

#### **Church's Ministry Amongst Jewish People**

- Give thanks for 211 years of ministry amongst Jewish people through dramatic times and pray that CMJ will continue to minister in a relevant way wherever in the world they work.
- At this time of Yom Kippur, please pray for the nation of Israel, that the eyes of the many secular people in that land may realise that the God of Israel not only exists, but that they may know His Son and Messiah, Jesus.
- Pray for CMJ workers worldwide that they may use the opportunity of the Jewish holidays to connect with others and reflect Jesus' love and their words and actions.
- Pray for CMJ's work with churches that they seek to teach more of the importance of the Hebraic roots of the Christian faith that we as Paul may say that our *heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved* Romans 10:1

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## Welcome to Maidstone Road Baptist Church

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2020

**Today – Morning Service**

**Leader: Mark Reid and Speaker: Rev. Alex Jacob (CJM CEO)**

**Live in Church and on Zoom**

This week	
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>10.30am</b> Church's Ministry to Jewish People Speaker: <b>Rev. Alex Jacob (CMJ CEO)</b> <b>In Church</b> and online <b>via Zoom</b> . <b>6.30pm Morning Service</b> - via MRBC Website
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September 10.00am - 11.00am	<b>Online Coffee Morning</b> via Zoom Come and go as you please. Please contact us if you need log-on details.
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>10.30am</b> Morning Worship - <b>BMS Project Chad</b> Speaker: <b>Mark Reid</b> <b>In Church</b> and online <b>via MRBC website</b> .



**Church Website: [mrbcfelixstowe.org.uk](http://mrbcfelixstowe.org.uk)**

**Got a notice for the Sheet?**

**Fellowship prayer** requests go to **Steve** by **Friday morning**  
**Notices** for the weekly sheet to **Lisa R** by **Friday evening**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Live Sunday Services at Maidstone Road

The Government's rules changed on 14<sup>th</sup> September as you will know. The activities inside the church building were not affected by these and will continue as planned in the coming weeks. However, once outside the building, please observe 2 metre social distancing and the rule of 6 when chatting.

### Regular Activities

Unfortunately all our regular services and activities are cancelled for the duration of the emergency. This includes all face to face activities on our site and elsewhere. There are activities on Zoom though – see front of sheet.

### PARISH NURSES

All our Parish Nursing classes and activities are still closed until further notice. Both our Parish Nurses are still working and can be contacted on the numbers.



### BMS Birthday Scheme

#### A Reminder

Please make sure that your **donations go directly to Dot S** not to MRBC

Please speak to Dot on how you can make your donations.

## REGULAR STUFF

**Leadership Team** – usually monthly first Tuesday.  
Next Meeting – **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October** at 7.30pm (Venue TBC.)

**Church Meeting** – usually bi-monthly second Tuesday.  
Next meeting - **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November** at 7.30pm. (via Zoom).

**Prayer Meetings** – monthly on first Saturday  
Next meeting – **3<sup>rd</sup> October** at 9.30am (Venue TBC)

### MRBC MISSIONS MONTH

27<sup>th</sup> Sept - Project Chad  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct - Harvest Thanksgiving with Tearfund's Angela Cox  
11<sup>th</sup> Oct - Communion  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct - Bible Sunday  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct - P.M. Walton Parish Nursing Celebration (Online only)

10.30am at the church and also online via the Website.

### Giving to CMJ

As is our custom on Mission Sundays, we invite you to give to CMJ as the Lord leads you. We will be taking a retiring collection for CMJ and a basket will be near the exit door. You can also send them gifts online via their website, by telephone or by post – details on the CMJ UK leaflet and on the Service Page on the website.

### Walton Parish Nursing Contacts

Lorna Bellamy	07969901001	Tues/Weds/Thurs 9.00 am - 4.00 pm
John Gillett	07909888703	Tues/Thurs 8.30 am - 4.30 pm

### Small Groups

<b>Felixstowe Evening Group (Margaret Lines/Ingrid Fenn)</b>	Mondays (not currently meeting)
<b>Trimley Evening Group (Andrew Marfleet)</b>	Mondays Fortnightly (not currently meeting)
<b>Old Felixstowe Daytime Group (Steve Lineham)</b>	Wednesdays 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> weeks of the month (not currently meeting)
<b>Felixstowe Morning Group (Brian and Dot Salway)</b>	Thursdays - <b>has restarted at the Church. Contact Brian and Dot.</b>



### September Birthdays

**20 Jayden S, 24<sup>th</sup> Sandra S, 25<sup>th</sup> David B.**

### Harvest Gifts 2020

Our harvest gifts (tins and packets only) will be going to the residents of Sanctuary Supported Housing and Access Community Trust. Please bear in mind that these are mostly young single people so small packets and tins are usually more useful than large amounts.

**The following items are particularly needed: Tins of baked beans, tins of tomatoes, tuna, chicken in sauce, pasta, pasta sauces, pot noodles, coffee, tea, cereals, dried potatoes, tins of fruit. They are also always in need of toiletries.**

This year due to COVID health and safety purposes please **do not bring perishable food** as the cooking classes are not taking place currently.

In addition, to minimise surface contamination when arranging the display it would be helpful if **Harvest gifts are brought in advance on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September.**

Gifts can be left at 'Harvest' points in the school room on entry to the building or in the church lobby when exiting the building. If it's not possible to bring gifts in advance you can bring them with you on the morning of the Harvest Service (Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October) where anti-bacterial wipes will be available to wipe the items before adding to the display. Thank you for your support, the residents are always very grateful.

For more information please contact **Mark Reid or Carol Gambell.**