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Sunday 23rd August



What's On?

9.45am Prayerfield @ manse



10.15am Breakfast - Croissants and hot drinks before the service.

Please note that this is instead of refreshments after



10.30am Morning service

Led by '@ no 19' Homegroup

Next Week

Sunday 30th August

9.45am Prayerfield @ manse



10.30am Morning service

Led by William Butler with Dave Parr preaching

Wednesday 2nd September

9.15am Mid-week Prayerfield



10.30am Oasis Coffee Morning



7pm '@ no 19' Evening Homegroup

7.45pm Ladies Evening Homegroup



Friday 4th September

7pm

TGI



Saturday 5th September

7-9.30 pm Bearfield Boardgames



Sunday 6th September

9.45am Prayerfield @ manse



10.30am Morning service

Led by Sarah-Ann Howes with Dave Parr preaching on
2 Timothy 3 v10 – 4 v4 'The Bible going deeper'

Mid-week Prayerfield



Jesus says "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

For around a quarter of an hour each Wednesday at 9.15am a small group of us meet at Bearfield to pray for the church and community and to give thanks to God.

We look forward to meeting again on 2nd September, if you're free come along.

PRAYER



Pray for

- Those changing school or moving into the sixth form - in particular Jemmima, Toby and Beth
- Those moving on from school - Zac to Uni, Abbie to Rock UK, Ben to Wiltshire College and Rosie
- Those within our church who are struggling with health.
- Paul Weymouth, Jane Mbanacele and Gisela Leat
- Our mission partners

Summer Holiday



Dave will be on leave from 8th to 25th August.

Sarah-Ann will be on leave from 25th August to 1st September.



Dates for the diary



Wednesday 2nd September

9.15am Mid-week Prayerfield *restarts*



Saturday 5th September

7-9.30 pm Bearfield Boardgames



Tuesday 8th September

7.30 pm BLT meeting

Tuesday 15th September

8 pm Trustees meeting

Thursday 17th September

7.30 pm BACT Prayer Meeting @ Holy Trinity



Ben made this 5 minute film for his A Level Film Studies exam. Thought I would share it just in case everyone is interested in watching and sharing it with others.

<https://youtu.be/Chie7IarpJM?is=m1wXLR5-ZtZKM8V1>

Kate

*If you have anything for the newsletter, please email Sarah-Ann by Wednesday
on admin@bearfield.org*

Trustees update

For those who need a little more support getting in and out of chairs, please note there are four new chairs in church with arms. At the moment these are in the back corner but some could be moved to the pew gaps at the front left or right if preferred.

To ensure we are fire safe, please unlock the church main front door and gate whenever you are using the church itself (however small or big a group). This is to provide an immediate fire escape route should a fire start in the school room whilst you are in the church. Please don't forget to lock it back up afterwards!

Unfortunately there has been a recent spate of dog poo being left on the church lawn, hence we have put up some additional signage to attempt to deter this and will consider if there is anything further we can do. However, do watch out if you are using the lawn.

Other works that have been completed over the last few months are: manse windows repaired and repainted; toilet outflow pipe unblocked; the "pit" outside the boiler room cleared of weeds and brambles; and the door hook into the main church replaced.

Coming up ...

Potential solutions to replacing the corridor and improving the toilet facilities and manse space have gone to Wiltshire Council for pre-app advice, more detail to follow on what might be possible when we hear back from them.

We will be working with the worship band to find a solution to acoustics which is both effective and aesthetically appropriate for the church building.

We plan to have a 'deep clean and declutter' day in the autumn, just an hour or two from many hands will make this a quick task and help keep the building clean and tidy. More details to follow.

Community Events



Date: November 12, 2026

Time: 7:30 pm

Venue: DoubleTree by Hilton Bath

Price: £6.00

Information: Could your relationship be on autopilot? It doesn't have to stay that way – discover ways to slow down and reconnect.

For more information go to -

<https://www.careforthefamily.org.uk/events/tourevents/going-the-distance/>



United Church Bradford on Avon

HymnalPlus[®] appeal



Our **Fund Raising** for Hymnal Plus begins on

- **Sat August 29th 3pm** with a ***Cream Tea***
- **Gift Envelopes** will be available too, throughout September with the idea that you may like to make a one-off donation (Please **Gift Aid** too, if eligible)
- Proceeds from the **Harvest Supper** on **September 26th** will complete the fund-raising.

***An Invitation to all to come
& enjoy a Delicious Cream Tea...***



in Devonshire...



or in Cornish style..!

Sat August 29th 3pm in the Church Hall

If you know you are coming please book your cream tea with
Avril: tel 07588 682224 – but don't worry if you find
you are able to come at the last moment – **please just come!**



All are welcome – invite a friend!