Sunday 27th September 2020

10.15 - 10.45am Pre Church Social Zoom Meeting
The details are as follows (and are the same each week):
Meeting ID: 721 145 2771 Passcode: 135791

10.45am Tune in to our Morning Worship with Phil Yendell
Next Sunday 3rd October 10.45am with Jill Duke

This I call to mind and therefore I have hope:

Because of the LORD'S great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:21-22

<u>Tuesday 29th September 7.30</u> GRID on Zoom



Sunday 4th October 3.30 KIDZONE Family Quiz on Zoom



Spreyton Community Chapel. TODAY AT 6.00pm

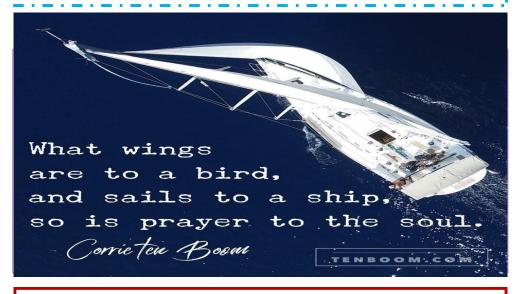
Sunday Special when we will be showing a dvd of Cliff Barrows and the choirs at the Billy Graham crusades in the Village Hall, lasting for 1.5 hours.

Places are limited due to social distancing.

Please book by contacting Herbert & Brenda Hooper, either by email: hsandbjmhooper@gmail.com or phoning: 01837 840614.

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Lord help me to remember that nothing is going to happen today, that You and I cannot handle. Amen



In the event of a pastoral issue arising which you might normally wish to raise with your minister then in the first instance please contact your church pastoral care coordinator, Brian Warren (01363 84469 / 07866 672299 / b.warren378@btinternet.com) or one of the leaders. The chairman of the district is on hand to advise us if the issue needs professional help.

If any other issues arise concerning the operation of the Fellowship or the Church premises in the first instance raise them with the leaders unless that is inappropriate in which case you should contact Chris Down as Circuit Steward (Chris Down 07554 435350 / crdown@icloud.com)

If anyone has something they would like to share here, please let me know by **Thursday 6pm.** E. Thank you.

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Thank you for your continued prayer and support for the children & youth work. Here's as brief an update as I could do...as you'll see there's quite a bit still happening...



At the beginning of September, Grid returned to meeting every Tuesday evening on Zoom and we've just started a series looking at apologetics. 1 Peter 3:15 tells us to always be prepared to answer those who ask us to give a reason for the hope that we have. Pray for the youth as we spend time asking some tough questions about life, faith and God and try to work through well-reasoned answers. Pray it helps their own faith to grow and helps them to be prepared to firmly defend that faith whilst showing gentleness and respect.



Kidzone are continuing to receive their Kids Alive booklets to work through and we met on Zoom for another youth club social on the 18th Sept, which was great fun. Some comments from the kids were,

"Youth club was so fun this week because we had to balance lots of objects on our head and we got to play a game of putting on lots of clothes. I liked seeing all my friends."

"I really enjoy the socials and enjoyed the music and dancing on Friday. Also catching up with everyone."

"I really liked the musical statues and dancing around and sharing news"

"The best bit about youth club social this week was seeing Mark laughing as he couldn't hear the music he was playing but the children could."

We're holding a **Kidzone Family Zoom quiz on Sunday 4th October**, **starting at 3.30pm** and will have another youth club social on the 3rd Friday of each month.

Elsewhere, by the time you're reading this I will have submitted my final assessment for the mental health distance learning course that I've been studying. I've already passed the first 4 units and should find out soon if I've passed the last one. Thanks for your prayers whilst I've been doing the course – it's been tough at times due to the subject matter and being reminded of the reality that so many face. However, I'm praying that what I've studied will come in useful at the right time.

There's a possibility that I'll be able to use some of what I've learnt to offer encouragement and support in the primary school. I've already been in touch with Mrs Mackey who is keen to find out more about the course. Obviously with all children starting back and extra restrictions I'm just waiting to hear when the time is right to be able to be back in the school again.

I've had an invite to attend the next committee meeting for Copplestone United FC. Copplestone's amateur football club is run by volunteers and they're looking for extra help at the moment. Given my background, I've been in touch to start a conversation about how I and possibly we as a church might be able to support the club. I'm not sure what that will look like at the moment, but pray for God to make clear the right opportunities

Lastly, I'm still helping with foodbank each Friday lunchtime through delivering food parcels. Pray for the connections I'm continuing to make in the community and that something of God's presence will be revealed to each family.

Mark