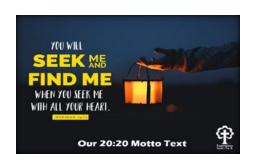


# **Eastwood Baptist Church**

# Weekly News Update 6th September 2020



We are delighted to have Neil Keeble leading our You Tube Service this week.

This will also be a Communion Service
The Bible reading is from:
1John1:2-3

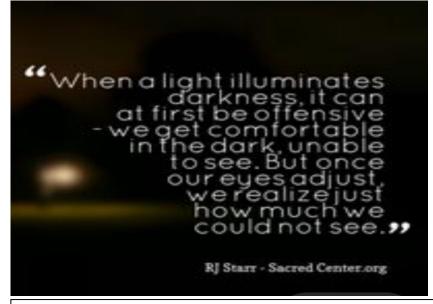
# **Social Media**

Follow us on <u>Facebook</u> to keep up to date with what is going on.

Eastwood Baptist Church (look for the logo)

<u>YouTube</u>: Sunday Morning – a Link will be sent out on Sunday mornings.

Website: www,eastwoodbaptist.org.uk



Many thanks to all who have helped in clearing the Manse and garden, it is very much appreciated.

Your continued financial support through regular and occasional giving is also valued. Andrew [Treasurer]

## **Zoom Gatherings**

We have been having a great time spiritually and socially on Zoom! It has been wonderful to see you all and we have been impressed that so many of you have given it a go. Meeting together is one of those things that define us as Baptists!

If you are logging onto our Zoom meetings with your computer, please use the links that Val is emailing out

If you want to call in, which some of you are doing, please call 0330 088 5830 which is charged at a local rate.

Wednesday Prayers at 19.00 for 19.30 Meeting ID 874 3252 0589 followed by passcode 398166 Sunday After Service Coffee Meeting ID: 899 3408 2687 followed by the passcode 465701

#### LET'S PRAY!

Thank God for answered prayer and for the certainty we have that He hears us even when we are not able to put into words how we are feeling.

- Please continue to pray for George who had to go back into hospital after one night at home, but is now home again. Pray that he will be able to remain at home and also for Joan at this time as she cares for him.
- Please pray for Gareth and for Christine .
- Mike and Liz Reeves' sister's son in law continues treatment, pray that this will be effective and for the family that they will know peace.
- Uphold Doris and Trevor's niece and family.
- Please pray for Pauline Bull.
- For wisdom within the leadership team at this busy time of preparations and decision making. May we all ask God to give strong guidance as to how we move forward.
- Moira has been able to visit her Mum in the Care home. Please continue to pray that she will adjust and settle in with the help of the staff at the home.
- Give thanks that David Mayne has agreed to be our Moderator, and pray that God will bless him as he helps to guide us during this time.
- Maggie Wackett is now at home and receiving help.
   Pray for her and David at this difficult time.
- Mark Jeffery is still in hospital we pray that his condition will soon improve to enable him to come home.
- Pray for Rose Osbourne and her family as they prepare for Roy's funeral on 16th September which will be led by Jo. Some of you know Rose who came to Tea Services with Roy.
- Thank you for your prayers for Pauline Warnes, after tests her medication has been changed and we pray that this will be effective.
- Thank God for those who are returned from holiday breaks as they resume work or school or start out on new ventures.

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#### **Talking Jesus**

Starting on <u>Wednesdays from 16th September at 10.30</u> via Zoom , this free 6 week course looks at sharing our faith with people we meet every day. It's made up of short films, practical suggestions, testimonies and real life examples from people who are 'talking Jesus'.

**To register or for further information** please contact Jo on jo@eastwoodbaptist.org.uk or phone 07810713415

#### **Compassion and Love**

God, our Father, has shown us such great kindness and gentle mercy. May we ever reach out to the lost in compassion and love to bring them gently to Jesus Christ who was "moved....because they were weary and scattered like sheep without a shepherd." Matthew 6:9.

Just to be tender, just to be true,

Just to be glad the whole day through,

Just to be merciful, just to be mild,

Just to be trustful as a child,

Just to be gentle and kind and sweet,

Just to be helpful with willing feet,

Just to let love be our daily key

That is God's will for you and me. Anon

#### Young People 's Groups

We are hoping to resume our Youth Groups on a Friday Evening via Zoom. More information will be advertised in our next Weekly News.

## Val's Jokes of the Week!

What do you call a boomerang that won't come back?

A stick!!

What jumps when it walks and sits when it stands?

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### **Bible Studies**

If you would like to receive a **weekly Bible study** via e mail or receive a hard copy please do ask for it by emailing Val:

secretary@eastwoodbaptist.org.uk

or telephoning Rosie 01702 528880