

E-News Issue 039 October 2018

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Street Jesus News: And if somebody asks about your Christian hope always be ready to explain it, but do this in a gentle and respectful way.

1 Peter 3:15-16

Welcome to the October edition of Street Jesus e news. We hope you are enjoying these past few days of Indian summer as the evenings draw in and we begin to prepare for winter and the Christmas festivities. We are pleased to confirm that our AGM went very well and officers were elected for the

coming year.

Graham Goldsmith , Nick Farrow and Hilary Russell were elected as Chairman Minute Secretary and Treasurer respectively. Mary Clear continues as our prayer co-ordinator. If any of you would like to join our prayer support team you would be most welcome, please

Annual General Meeting

let us know via email. We are also looking for a willing person to take over the role of treasurer. The time commitment at present is less than an hour per month plus a 90 minute meeting bi-monthly. If you would like to help us in this way please let us know. We have again agreed a plan for the coming 12 months which is broadly similar to the last AGM but would like to experience some bigger events. We will be making an application to attend the Suffolk show to build on the great day we had at the Ipswich music day last year. The bigger the event the more people we hope to reach to plant the seed of the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ.



On September 22nd we held our bimonthly Yard sale. Despite it being cold and having to finish early due to rain we were able to raise £150 for the Beehive. We received a lot of affirmation for the work that is being done there and more and more people are becoming aware of the need to support vulnerable young

girls in Africa. We continue to pray for Jane and Alan and all who work and live at the Beehive.

On Monday September 24th I was very pleased to give a talk on the work of Street Jesus to the Mothers Union here in Wickham Market.

It was a very blessed time and interesting how the perspective of my talk has changed from the last time i was there around 4 years ago, just as we were getting the project off the ground. Last time I spoke a great deal about the perspective of our culture and the caricatures and stereotypes that surround Christianity and the importance of speaking out about our faith. This time it was great

to recount the experiences of the many people who have visited our stall and the kinds of thought provoking conversations we have



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enjoyed. As afternoon went by many of the members shared their own experiences which was both interesting and a blessing. I love those talks which end up as a conversation and this was one such occasion.

The Mothers Union organisation has a long and interesting history having been formed in 1876 by Mary Sumner a rectors wife. It has a vision of a world where Gods love is shown through loving respectful and flourishing relationships. Although it was set up to support mothers from all backgrounds in the difficult task of raising children it also promotes all kinds of nurturing and is not exclusively for mothers. There are many men who are also members. Its purpose is to demonstrate the Christian faith in action by the transformation of communities worldwide through the nurture of families in its many forms. The aims are to uphold Christs teaching on the nature of marriage and promote its wider understanding, to encourage parents to bring up their children in the life of the church, to maintain a worldwide fellowship of Christians united in prayer, worship and service and to promote conditions in society favourable to stable family life and the protection of children including supporting whose whose family life has met with adversity. What great aims.

On September 30th we will be at the Friday Street car boot sale at Farnham 7am- 12 noon

In October we plan to attend the Old Jet Saturday morning market at



Rendlesham on the 6th 10am-1pm.
Framlingham Sausage fest on Sunday
October 14th which really is a sizzling
event. We are pleased to be working
alongside Framlingham Baptist Church. Its
always great to work with the local church
wherever we visit.

See left Visitors to the Street Jesus stall playing 'Top That' at Sausage fest 2017

In November we were going to be at Leiston co-op on the 17th but due to a double booking we have agreed to move our date to February 9th. We are now looking for a venue to attend in November In December we are planning to attend the Woodbridge, Wickham Market and Leiston Christmas markets. Details will follow next month

In our bible passage this month from the book of Daniel we read of Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo being bound and thrown into the furnace by King Nebuchadnezzar. The King is amazed to find that they are walking around in the furnace with an angel and have not been touched by the flames. The King orders that all should worship their God not least because of their willingness to enter the furnace fully trusting in God but also because of Gods protection. This is a foreshadowing of Christ giving himself over to the authorities before his crucifixion. For us the message is about keeping that faith despite the adversity that inevitably comes in life and that our response to trouble may also convince others to follow God.

At the end of October many will be celebrating Halloween and the big supermarket chains will be going into overdrive attempting to sell all sorts of weird costumes and props. For many this is seen as just a bit of harmless fun for children to enjoy. For us as Christians we know there is a darker side to all this and that occult practices are still performed right across the country. Why celebrate darkness rather than light? evil rather than good? Coercion rather than giving? As Christians we can do something positive at Halloween. Lets take the trick out of treating and just treat others.

Our next meeting will be on Monday November 12th 7.30pm at 7 Featherbroom Gardens Wickham Market IP130JH All Welcome. Please email if you plan to attend Gods blessings Graham



SPIRITUAL FELLOWSHIP



SUFFOLK COASTAL

THE RIVERSIDE CENTRE

STRATFORD ST ANDREW

Thursday October 25th 7pm

MID SUFFOLK
STOWUPLAND VILLAGE HALL
Wednesday October 10th 7pm





Trimley St Martin Memorial hall - Worship evening Saturday October 27th 7pm



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PRAYER Every Tuesday 7pm Kelsale Village Hall IP172PB

Contact Paul or Mandy Weekes on 01728-604053

Healing Prayer Service

1st Sunday of the month at 6.30pm





UNITED PRAYER MEETINGS FOR REVIVAL 2018

From: 10am to 12noon

At: Stowmarket Baptist Church

Bury Street, Stowmarkot IP14 1HF There will be Dookslid with New and Decond-hand

books available to buy

From: 9am to 10am

At: Grundisburgh Baptist Chapel

Chapel Lane, Grundsburgh IP13 6TS

On: Salurday 6 January

Saturday 7 April No Meeting in July * Saturday 6 October

Do join us for these important meetings as we pray together for Revival with other Christians in various parts of the Country

Refreshments served before each meeting

For further information contact: stephennewels@stintemet.com

* There will be as meeting on the first Saturday in July due to the Association Amount Meeting, which is now called "Foundations", being held.



Bargains





Grand Shoebox Sale

St John's Church Hall, Cauldwell Hall Road, Ipswich, IP4 4QE

Saturday October 27th

Come and buy items for your Operation Christmas Child Shoebox

Refreshments available

Information Network

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- *Salvation army big collection
- *What price unity?
- *Christmas— Fact or feelgood factor
- *Hope church purchases Odeon cinema
- *Ed Sheeran— Choral foundation patron

https://networksuffolk.org.uk/

Awareness



On 20 October 2018, tens of thousands of people will gather all over the world for a fundraising and awareness event called #WalkForFreedom. Walks will take place in hundreds of cities across dozens of nations – and in Ipswich for the 3rd year, meeting on the town hall steps at 10:30am.

Youth



Fundraising



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Retreat

Retreat Days at Quay

Building Lives Rooted In Jesus

My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When can I go and meet with God?

Psalm 42:2

'I wonder if you have ever felt as though you need to spend more 'quality time' with God? Life by its nature is very busy and carving out that time can be difficult.

As a church we believe in building lives rooted in Jesus, and so we invite you to our series of retreat days, with us focusing on God and our relationship with him. In taking the time to pause and listen to Him, we can have our eyes lifted above our present circumstances, our energy renewed and our 'first love' restored.'

Doug Waller, Co-Minister

2018 Dates

10th March

9th June

8th September

8th December

9.30 am-4pm

Cost per day £10

Spaces are limited. For more information or to book your place please contact office@thequay.org.uk / 01394 382360 / www.thequay.org.uk Woodbridge Quau Church. Quau Street. Woodbridge IP12 1BX

Mental health awareness







Encouraging Mental Well-Being in Our Churches & Communities Open Day at St Michael's Martlesham Heath IP3 3PL Saturday October 6th

10.00 Tea/coffee and time to meet and greet each other.

10.30 – 12.30 Morning Workshop: Building Mentally Healthy Churches & Communities Leaders: Chris and Sue Monckton-Rickett

Including Tea / coffee break

12.30 -13.00 Networking with Others in your area

13.00 -14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 - 16.00 : Choice of TWO WORKSHOPS :

- · How can Christian communities help the elderly to thrive?
- Leader: Liz Grice

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- How can Christian communities help young people to thrive?
- · Leader: Christine Pinder

16.00 - 16.30Feedback session.

In between sessions there will be opportunities to network and chat with friends and explore displays from local exhibitors. Refreshments will be provided but please bring your own lunch.

Chris & Sue Monckton-Rickett are Registered Accredited Counsellor, with over 25 years experience. They run WINGS (Wholeness In God's Son), providing counseling, retreat leading & training in counseling, & pastoral care and consultancy. Sue is the Vice Chair of ACC & Pastoral Care UK.

Liz Grice qualified as a clinical psychologist in 1993 & specialised in Neuropsychology, working with older adults & in brain injury rehabilitation. For a number of years, she was an Honorary Clinical Tutor at the University of Southampton. She retired in 2014. Since 2003, she has worked in the pastoral team at Spring Harvest.

Christine Pinder

Christine has been counselling for more than 30 years and runs her own private practice. Currently, she is involved in setting up a charity to provide affordable counselling for young people in Suffolk. She is looking forward to being ordained this summer.

This is a free event sponsored by the Association of Christian Counsellors and Pastoral Care UK.

In order for us to have some idea of numbers please book in advance at https://www.acc-uk.org/professional-development/events.html
by Friday September 28th

For more information please contact Christine Pinder footsteps.suffok@hotmail.co.uk 07770 975309

Teaching Courses



ST JOHNS CHURCH

Come along on your own or with a friend or two, to find out more at our Introductory Session with buffet:-

Wed 26th Sept 2018 at 7pm

Followed by 10 further sessions on Wednesday evenings from 7pm-9pm (There is no charge to attend)

Each evening starts with a meal together, followed by a short DVD and then a time of informal discussion.

Alpha is an opportunity to explore the Christian faith in a relaxed, low key, friendly and fun environment where you can listen, ask, discuss and discover. To help us with catering, please contact St John's Church Office to let us know you are coming Tel: 01394 383162 or email: info@stjohnswoodbridge.org.uk



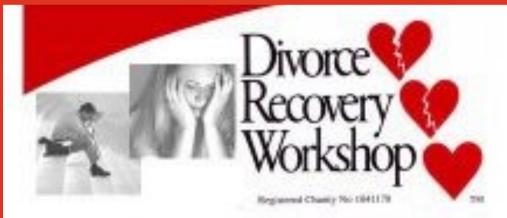
www.stjohnswoodbridge.org.uk







Starting on 18th September, for 7 weeks, a chance to invest in your marriage. Join us in St Johns Woodbridge Church Hall at 7:00pm each Tuesday for a 'date night' to discover how to make your marriage stronger, more fulfilling and fun! Invite your friends — all are welcome. Speak to Amanda Clayton or Contact Church office on 01934 383162 to learn more



RECENTLY DIVORCED OR SEPARATED FROM A SIGNIFICANT RELATIONSHIP?

Suffering: Shock? Disbelief? Rejection? Guilt? Anger? Bitterness? Alone with these issues or receiving misguided advice?

DIVORCED OR SEPARATED FOR SOME TIME?

Feel you've got it together? **BUT**, what about bitterness or resentment? New relationships—are familiar problems recurring?

WHATEVER STAGE

The workshop helps people have a better understanding of what they are going through. It also provides support and friendship from others in similar situations.

The next workshop is being held at the Quay church in Woodbridge on October 2nd 2018 at 7.00 pm Contact on ipswich@drw.org.uk or Liz on 07780990568

National Contact:

07000 781889

drw@drw.org.uk

website: www.drw.org.uk

St John's Church

Starts: Tuesday 2nd October

Followed by 5 sessions on

Tuesday evenings

Excludes Half Term

Ends: Tuesday 6th November

Venue: St John's Church

Old Vicarage

To book a place contact the Church Office



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PROGRAMME

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS | MORNING

Theological Perspective and Offering Hope Mick Brooks, Chief Executive of CWR and Waverley Abbey College

Stigma in the Church

Hannah Waite, University of Aberdeen

Why We Should Respond and How We Pastorally Care Chris and Sue Monckton-Rickett, Directors WINGS Wholeness in God's Son and Sue Vice Chairman Association of Christian Counsellors

The Hopeful Imagination - Children's Spirituality: what it is and why it matters Kathy Spooner, Director of Counselling and Psychotherapy,

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Mental Health Conditions

Irene Davies, Senior Accredited BACP Counsellor, formerly Counselling Programme Director, London School of Theology

Fountain of Life Church

Swaffham Rd, Ashill, Norfolk IP25 7BT

T | 01760 441902

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED | BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH

OPEN TO ALL

CPD certificates for 7 hours can be issued on request

WORKSHOPS | AFTERNOON

You are invited to attend two workshops please indicate your choices when booking.

- Resilience for Health Care Workers
 Dr Louise Anderson,
 New Wine Health Care Workers Network
- Gambling, Drugs and Alcohol Addictions Justyn Rees Larcombe, son of Jennifer Rees Larcombe
- 3 Sex and Pornography Addictions Justin Marsh, Paula Hall Organisation
- 4 Children and Young People Mental Health Liz Fordham, The Mind Map Charity

£15

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE: registration@folchurch.co.uk

Charity Number, 110959



Fish & Chips ... Men's Business
Friday 5 October, 7.00 pm
at Sheep Drift Farm, Martlesham, IP10 0BJ.

To book a place/places and order your fish and chips ... Cod or Haddock & Chips (£7.00 per head) ...



... please sign the board at the back of the Auditorium or contact the Church Office or Andy Mayhew (07836 262787) and pay Derek Palmer (07952 640642) by Tuesday 2 October.

hopeipswich.co.uk/faith

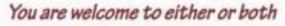


SATURDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2018
10 AM - 4:30 PM | THE ORWELL CENTRE



Thursday Lunchtimes

Refreshments at low cost 12 noon - 1.00 pm A short talk 1.10 - 1.50 pm



Season 2018/2019

Oct 4th The Suffolk Coast

Karolyn & David Howlett

Oct 11th The History of Sweets

David Jay

Oct 18th Martlesham Heath Airfield 1917-1963

Howard King

Oct 25th Taking Chemistry to Uganda Jean Johnson

Nov 1st The L'Arche Community in Ipswich

Tony Gibbings - Director, Community Leader



Tuesday 30 October 10 am - 12 noon Woodbridge Library

For many years, the western world has been reluctant to talk about death, but a recent shift in attitude has prompted people to begin tackling the silence around this subject encouraging an awareness of death as being part of everyone's life.

'GrayeTalk' has been specially developed to help local churches host a cafe space to talk about death, dying and funerals. Conversation is prompted by questions provided on a set of cards and people of all faiths and none can talk very naturally and freely drawing on their own life's experience. A facilitator looks after each small group and everyone's views are respected. The session stats promptly at 10 o' clock and we provide lots of tea, coffee and calcely

Everyone is welcome to come and If you would like to talk to someone about Graye Talk then please phone 01394 388820 to be put in touch with one of the organisers.





Inspire is pleased to announce a Training Day for those involved in

supporting others with porn and sex addiction on 26 October 2018

at Whitton Baptist Church – 209 Highfield Rd, Ipswich IP1 6DH.This

workshop is suitable predominately for Ministers & Church Leaders,

Pastoral & Youth Workers and will be an informative & educative day

for all those involved in the caring & counselling profession.

This course explores: The extent of the problem (from a personal perspective), nature of addiction & escalation in people's lives, shame and issues for partners and the wider community including safeguarding, support and treatment.

It is led by Pete Watts who is a Christian & specialist sex addiction counsellor & a Clinical Associate of the Laurel Centre.

For more details and to apply, please contact Inspire on 01473 217694 or email Jane Scarlett at contact@inspirecounselling.org.uk

Fundraising



A message from Lyn Spall:-

"I am doing a very whacky thing - I will be Wing Walking for Parkinson's UK. As many of you may be aware my husband Don died recently after suffering from Parkinson's for many years and I am doing this to raise awareness of this horrible condition and also to raise money for more research. I have set up a Just Giving page.

www.stjohnswoodbridge.org.uk See Church life -local news+events. I am happy also to take donations in cash or cheque (made payable to Parkinson's UK). It is a very scary but exciting thing to do and I hope to raise lots of money for this worthy cause. Thank you very much, Lyn

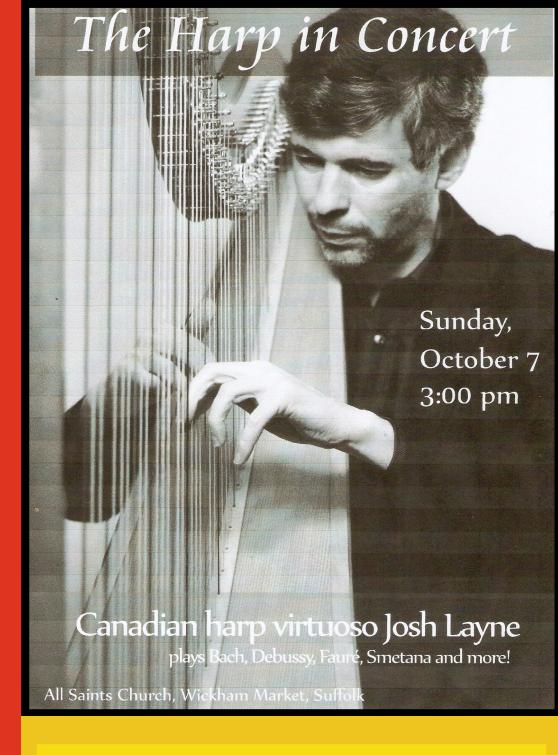
Outreach



WE ARE AT

- *Farnham Friday Street Car boot sale-Sunday September 30th 7am-12 Noon
- *Old Jet Saturday Market Rendlesham-Saturday October 6th 10am-1pm
- *Framlingham Sausage Fest Sunday October 14th
- *Leiston Co op Saturday November 17th has been changed to February 9th
- *Woodbridge Christmas Fair Sunday December 2nd
- *Wickham Market Christmas Fair TBC
- *Leiston On Ice Christmas Fair—Saturday December 8th

Concert



International mission



www.tearfund.org

Theology



SUFFOLK THEOLOGY FORUM Co-op Education centre 11 Fore Street Ipswich IP41JW

Thursday November 8th 2018 7pm
Dr Katherine Dell
Job and Wisdom in the OT

Fundraisers



BLESSING JARS

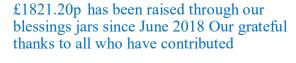
Supporting the Beehive Nakuru Kenya A great place to put your loose change at the end of the day.

To obtain a jar please e-mail thepaellalady@gmail.com or



BEEHIVE FUNDRAISERS 2018







ROMY HILS FLUTE CONCERT All Saints Church Wickham Market Sunday July 22nd 3pm £405 was raised



CLASSICAL CONCERT CHRISTINA JOHNSON St Michaels Church Framlingham Saturday September 15th 6pm £2136 was raised



GUITAR CONCERT
All Saints Church Wickham Market
Saturday November 10th 3-5pm
Entrance Free
Retiring collection
Tea -Coffee- Cakes



FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHIC DAY Saturday November 3rd All Saints Church Wickham Market To Book a session Email- thepaellalady@gmail.com



Email- thepaellalady@gmail.com QUIZ NIGHT

All Saints Church Wickham Market Postponed until Spring as there is another Ouiz in the village on the same evening





Job vacancies



JUST 2 making a positive impact

A number of voluntary positions are available to support youth work in rural areas in Suffolk. Positions available include After school and lunchtime clubs, Volunteer mentors, trustees and admin staff. For further details contact Caroline Rutherford caroline@just42.org.uk

New Church



DINNER & MUSIC AT THE ABBEY

Saturday 17th November at 7:30pm

At the Abbey School Hall in Woodbridge. The evening will feature a four course meal, entertainment, a raffle and silent auction.

The musical entertainment for the evening will be the local jazz band, Tyler-Kemp Plus One.

Tickets £30 each
Contact Just42 on 01394 380992 or info@just42.org.uk
Wine will be available to purchase on the night







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Just42 is a registered charity, Reg no. 450738 Charity No.1100831 www.just42.org.uk | 01394 380992 Youth Centre, The Avenue, Kingston Road, Woodbridge, Suffolk, IP12 48A



Sat 6th Oct at 7:30pm

SUFFOLK SINGERS

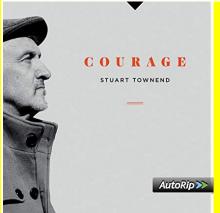
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@ St Michael's Church, Framlingham

Gallery



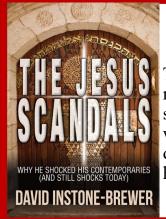
CD of the month



Courage

Stuart Townend www.eden.co.uk

Book of the month



BOOK OF THE MONTH

This book by David Instone Brewer outlines many reasons why Jesus was considered scandalous in the Jewish culture of his day and why he continues to be couter-cultural today. It demonstrates in a number of areas what Jesus had to overcome in his daily mission.

Newsletter



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The Beehive Buzz
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Killing in the name of God-Research
The collapse of Wonga- Report
The Trump presidency-Article
Boris and the Burkha- Article
The Quantum World-Beyond weird-Philip Ball-Book.
The Sacred-Teresa Bejan-Podcast
www.theosthinktank.co.uk

Gatherings



New Wine 2019– July 27th August 7th www.new-wine.org Soul Survivor 2019 July Awaiting dates info@soulsurvivor.com Spring Harvest 2019 April 9th –19th www.springharvest.org Big Church day out 2019 May 25-26th www.bigchurchdayout.com Keswick 2019 -July 13th- August 2nd Keswickministries.org Greenbelt 2019 - August 23rd-26th www.greenbelt.org.uk Word Alive 2019 April 13th-18th www.wordaliveevent.org Davids tent 2019August 23rd-26th www.davidstent.net Faith camp 2018 June 22-26th www.kingdomfaith.com/faithcamp

Our Partners

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SUPPORTING CHILD MUMS AND THEIR BABIES AT THE BEEHIVE KEN'

Bible reading

Nebuchadnezzar was so furious with Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo that his face became distorted with rage. He commanded that the furnace be heated seven times hotter than usual. The he ordered some of the strongest men of the army to bind Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo and throw them into the blazing furnace. So they tied them up and threw them into the furnace, fully dressed in their pants turbans robes and other garments and because the King in his anger, had demanded such a hot fire in the furnace the flames killed the soldiers as they threw the three men in. So Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo securely tied fell into the roaring flames. But suddenly Nebuchadnezzar jumped up in amazement and exclaimed to his advisors 2Didn't we tie up three men and throw them into the fiurnace? "Yes your majesty we certainly did" they replied. "Look" Nebuchadnezzar shouted "I see four men unbound walking around in the fire unharmed and the forth looks like God" Then Nebuchadnezzar came as close as he could to the door of the flaming furnace and shouted "Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo, servants of the most high God, Come out Come here" So Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo stepped out of the fire. Then the high officers officials govenors and advisors crowded around them and saw that the fire had not touched them. Not a hair on their head was singed and their clothing was not scorched. They did not even smell of smoke. Then Nebuchadnezzar said "Praise to the God of Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo. He sent his angel to rescue his servants who trusted in him. They defied the Kings command and were willing to die rather than serve or worship any God except their own God Therefore I make this decree : If any people whatever their race or nation or language, speak a word against the God of Shadrach Meshach and Abednigo they will be torn from limb to limb and their houses will be turned into heaps of rubble There is no other God who can rescue like this. Then the King promoted Shadrach Meshach and Abednigoto even higher positions in the province of Babylon Daniel 3:19-30

Prayer

A Prayer for Travellers God be with you on every pass Jesus be with you on every hill Spirit be with you on every stream, headland ridge and lawn. Each sea and land each moor and meadow Each lying down Each rising up. In the trough of the waves,

Quote to note

You are not only responsible for what you say but also for what you do not say.

Martin Luther King Jn

Amen

on the crest of the billows.

Each step of the journey you go.

Please get

If you have a heart for sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with others and would like to become involved with our project then please contact us for more information. If you would like us to promote any of your Church events we will do our best to include them in our e news. If you would like to contribute to e-news with any information or recommendations such as a book, music C D, film, article, a prayer, or a bible verse then please e mail us on streetjesus2012@ gmail.com.

Our next meeting will be on Monday November 12th 7.30pm at 7 Featherbroom Gardens Wickham Market IP130JH

THANK YOU!

Thank you for showing interest in the Street Jesus project. If you do not wish to receive our e news or would like more information about the project please e mail streetjesus 2012@gmail.com