

E-News Issue 048 JULY 2019

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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 July edition of Street Jesus e news. Its such a beautiful time of the year with many plants, shrubs, flowers and trees looking so lush and colourful. Fruit and vegetables are coming on nicely and I am enjoying a great crop of strawberries each day. A reminder that summer is here and Wimbledon is soon upon us. It's a bit of a

cliché to say that we are closest to God when we are in the garden because we can meet with God just about anywhere but it is true that it is an environment conducive to prayer, a place where we can appreciate Gods creation and utilise all our senses. It is a peaceful place where I spend the majority of my working life. Its great of course to see everything growing but that includes



weeds and in my case the dreaded ground elder which is almost impossible to get rid of, it's a constant battle. Our spiritual life can be a bit like this. We cannot attain salvation by our own good works but to move toward sanctification we need to put in some effort so that we may grow closer to God. Like gardening it can be hard work to find time for God, particularly if we are going through a spiritual dry spell. In the garden we are inspired by what God has provided, to tend to

everything with loving care.

It's the same with prayer as we look to God to guide and inspire us in our endeavours. I was very pleased to be invited to speak at the recent worship service for Woodbridge Regatta. The subject was prayer and the reading was from Luke 11 where it talks about the importance of persistence when we pray. The days when it's a bit wet or cold outside or that you are mowing the lawn only because you are worried that the neighbours might complain, the days when gardening is a chore. The weeds like

our sins are choking off our spiritual growth. These are the days when we need to persist. This is a time when you need a prayer buddy,

someone who you trust and can be honest with.

We had a very good day at Woodbridge Regatta, we were once again joined by Rob from Presence -Faith on the street along with Doggie who delighted the young and elderly children alike. We were able to do some pastoral support for somebody recently bereaved, took some prayer requests and handed out some literature. We had a lot of interest in the Beehive and learned

of other work being carried out in Malawi, Kenya and Peru. A grand total of £170 was raised for the Beehive and an added £8 for Street



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Jesus. The African animals were popular as always with one lady having a novel use for them. She is building an ark for her grand children. Would love to see that when it is finished.

Our day at the Rendlesham show was challenging due to the wind and

rain and Nick supplied some extra anchorage for the gazebos by strapping them to the Van. The sun did come out in the afternoon and we had a few more visitors. The Top that game was popular as ever. £120.50p was raised for the Beehive and £5 for Street Jesus. We were able to provide some pastoral support, took two prayer requests and



25 Beehive flyers were handed out. Again Antics at Rendlesham show we had opportunities to share with peopleabout poverty in Africa.

In July we will be at the Ipswich Music day on Sunday 7th all day and Woodbridge Family day out on Sunday 14th which has been organised by Quay church in conjunction with Woodbridge churches together. We will be attending Saxmundham Music festival on Saturday 27th in partnership with the local United Kingdom fellowship church. We have a number of options for outreach in August which we will announce nearer the time, though we will be holding our Bi annual Yard Sale on Saturday August 31st here at Featherbroom Gardens, Wickham market. We are hoping to be in Ipswich on September 28th, while in October we will be at Old Jet Bentwaters on Saturday 5th and Framlingham Sausage Fest on Sunday 13th Please do come and visit us wherever we are, You will be most welcome.

We continue to support the Beehive project in Kenya as part of our commitment to those in poverty. The fundraising group with whom we work very closely have a blessings jar outreach.

The idea is to fill your jam jar with all that loose change that accumulates in your pockets and purses whilst also praying a blessing over the donation. If you would like a jar to fill please email streetjesus2012@gmail.com You can drop

off the full jar or we can come and collect if you are local. In excess of £2200 was raised by Blessings jars in the last financial year which is a great help to the wonderful work being carried out there.

We were also very pleased to be able to support the Beehive by attending the Philharmonics concert held at Vineyard church in Ipswich. A great concert at a very friendly church who raised £81 on the sale of African crafts and £310 on the concert itself.

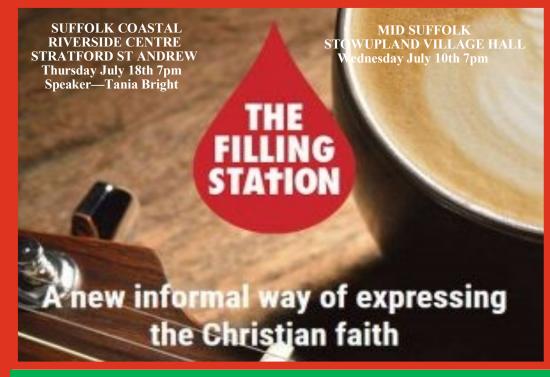
Our Bible reading this month is from Luke 11, a passage which includes the Lords prayer. The Lords prayer was repeated regularly in assemblies when I was at school, i didn't really understand it back then because it was just something that we repeated parrot fashion. We get the impression that because the nature of school assemblies have changed, that the Lords prayer is not so well known among the young these days. It was very encouraging to note though, at the Woodbridge Regatta many were still able to recite the Lords prayer including many young people.

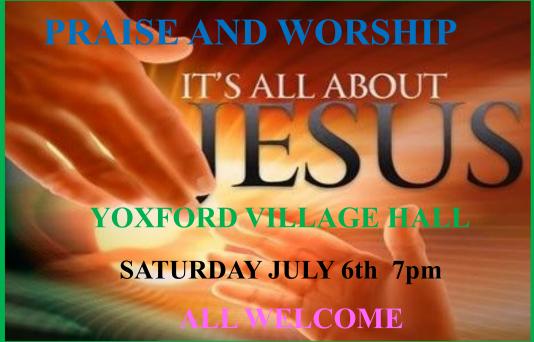
The Lords prayer is a great template for our own personal prayers, Its adoring, its asking, its forgiving and provides us with a great base

from which to develop our prayer life.

Our first formal Street Jesus prayer meeting was held on June 10th, in which we were greatly uplifted and encouraged. Our next prayer meeting will be on August 10th to which you are all most welcome Our next business meeting will be on Monday July 8th 7.30pm at 7 Featherbroom Gardens Wickham Market IP130JH All Welcome. Please email if you plan to attend Gods blessings Graham









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











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Healing Prayer Service

1st Sunday of the month at 6.30pm





UNITED PRAYER MEETINGS FOR REVIVAL, 2019.

Saturday 6th of April. Saturday 6th of July. Saturday 5th of October.

Stowmarket Baptist Chapel, 10 am - 12noon. Bury Street, IP14 1HF

Grundisburgh Baptist Chapel, 9 am - 10 am. Chapel Lane, IP13 6TS

Do join us for this important meeting as we pray together for Revival with other Christians in various parts of the Country.

Refreshments served before meetings.

For further information contact: stephennowak@btinternet.com

THE VENUE

At the heart of the beautiful Suffolk village of Monks Eleigh is an ancient barn, which was converted into a chapel in the 19th century. The recently renovated building is owned by The Ansell Trust and is managed as a Day Retreat Centre by a team from the United Reformed Church and St Peter's Church.



A space for people to be at HOME with themselves, with others, or with their God

THE VISION

It's a place to find space: time to reflect, to meet, to talk, to be quiet, to recharge batteries, to just 'be'. It's available to everyone, of any faith or none.

Groups or individuals can use it for meetings, retreats, or simply as a base to explore the surrounding area. It's for all who need it, regardless of ability to pay.











FOR MORE INFORMATION & BOOKINGS CONTACT

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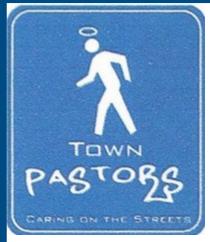
THE FACILITIES

There is the main meeting room (seats up to 40) with a small kitchen area (for drinks and plating food), including washing up facilities and linen, along with glasses, crockery and cutlery for 40 people as well as supplies of tea, coffee and sugar. There is also an electronic organ, keyboard and audio-visual equipment available for use. There are 2 toilets, one of which is wheelchair accessible, and there is space for parking at the front of the building and in close proximity.

THE QUIET PLACE

A short walk from the chapel is a five acre area of water meadow, preserved as a haven for wildlife by one of the centre's management team. In line with the vision and ethos of HOME, The Quiet Place is also available to individuals and groups on day retreat. You can follow a special trail with reflections or just stroll and sit and ponder. The distinctive wet meadow ecosystem is a natural home to special species of butterflies, birds and dragonflies.





Leiston Town Pastors Part-time Co-ordinator

Leiston Town Pastors, sponsored by Christians together in Leiston, are looking for someone with administrative skills to co-ordinate our team of pastors and prayer partners. We require a Christian who is a good communicator and an encourager. Approximately 8 to 10 hours a week at £10 an hour. Flexible work- primarily from home. DBS check will be required. For an informal chat and further details please contact: Carol Cotton (interim Co-ordinator): 01728 603221 / 07714302559;

Email: carol.cotton@btinternet.com OR Revd Pauline Florance (Chair of Trustees)

01728768124 Email:

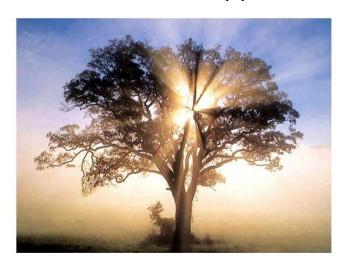
paulineb.florance@gmail.com For an application pack please send an email to leistontp@gmail.com. Closing date for

completed applications is Friday 5th July 2019.

Teaching Courses Education

Bereavement Support Group





Wednesdays
10 July
11 Sept
9 Oct
13 Nov
11 Dec
With some lunch.
Also some
visits to Otley Hall
to be arranged

2.30pm to 4pm on the second Wednesday of each month
St Johns Woodbridge 01394-383162
At the home of Kathy Blair.
If you would like to come along, please speak to Kathy

Suffolk Theology Forum

Exploring Christian theological issues in an open, non-partisan way

Thursday 11th July 2019 at 7:30 PM

Refreshments available from 7:00 PM

Dr Abby Day

Professor of Race, Faith and Culture at Goldsmiths, University of London and Senior Research Fellow at the University of Kent

will speak on

Generations of Christian Decline: why it's irreversible



Abby Day is a Senior Research Fellow at the University of Kent where she teaches the anthropology of religion, and also Reader in Sociology of Religion at Goldsmiths, University of London. Her qualitative longitudinal research has expanded conventional views of belief and belonging through empirical research based initially in the UK and extended through cross-cultural comparisons. She and Prof. Gordon Lynch organised the AHRC/ESRC Religion & Society Project 'Young People and the Cultural Performance of Belief'. Her latest book, Believing in Belonging: Belief and Social Identity in the Modern World was published in October 2011. She also edited the Ashgate collection, Religion and the Individual, 2008, and co-edited Social Identities Between the Sacred and the Secular, with Giselle Vincett and Christopher R. Cotter, 2013.

Co-op Education Centre

Pedestrian entrance - 11 Fore Street, Ipswich IP4 1JW. within walking distance from bus & train stations. Free car park - Car park entrance on Waterworks Street For SatNav use IP4 1JG or coordinates 52.055 1.160

Entry £5 a meeting. Free to student card holders. Open to all No need to book.

Queries: Vanda Broughton, Forum Secretary. 01728 748280 v.broughton@ucl.ac.uk.

Visit our web site on www.atf.one.

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- *Vacancy Workplace chaplain-Bury St Edmunds
- *Taste Community Café— Ipswich
- * Brandon Festival
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in the Cathedral's Edmund Room

Followed by Mindful Lunch for anyone who wants to stay

To book

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Inspire Counselling & Training is delighted to offer two workshops

Bereavement

Thursday 4 & Friday 5 July 2019, 10am to 4pm

£70 per person, per day or £130 for both days

Cost includes all refreshments, please bring a packed lunch Colchester Road Baptist Church, Ipswich (entrance on Sidegate Lane, IP4 3DL) Led by Sue Pullen

Day 1: - Thursday 4th July 2019

- An introduction to bereavement and loss
- Self-awareness and grief
- . Theories & myths around death and the grieving process
- . Touching on stories of grief and mourning

Day 2: - Friday 5th July 2019

- * An experiential day including group work
- Listening and responding to grief
- * Complicated and Traumatic grief

We are delighted to welcome Sue back for these stimulating & experiential days - suitable for student & qualified Counsellors, Supervisors, Ministers & Church Leaders, Pastoral & Youth Workers...

Sue is a trained counsellor & supervisor specialising in Bereavement & Loss. Sue has worked in Havens Hospices, has set up and runs a community bereavement service in Southend, supervises at Haven House Hospice and community teams including the Macmillan Team at Southend Hospital

For further details regarding course content please contact *Inspire* on 01473 217694 or e-mail Jane Scarlett at contact@inspirecounselling.org.uk





Join us for an evening of dice rolling fun

Cake sale















Raising funds for our youth groups going to Soul Survivor

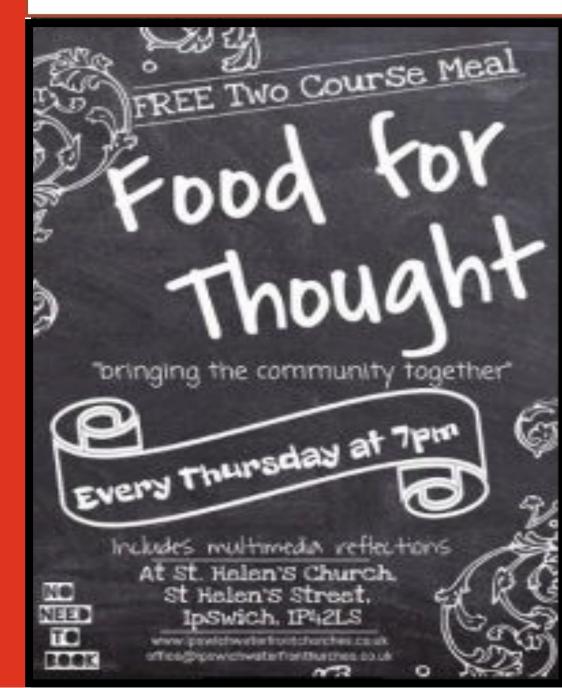
Presents

Beetle drive

@ St Andrews Church

Britannia road IPSWICH

Saturday 13th July 6.00 pm £4 per person £12 family of four Suitable for all ages





Outreach



WE ARE AT

2019

- * Ipswich Music Day -Sunday July 7th
- * Woodbridge Family Day Out -Sunday July 14th
- * Saxmundham Music Festival Saturday July 27th
- * Aldeburgh Carnival– Monday August 19th
- * Yard Sale Wickham Market– Saturday August 31st
- * Ipswich Arras Square—Saturday September 28th
- * Framlingham Sausage Fest Sunday October 13th
- *Rendlesham old jet- Satiurday November 2nd
- *Wickham Market Christmas Craft fair—Saturday November 30th
- *Woodbridge Christmas street market– Sunday December 1st



SUNDAY 14 JULY 2019 | 10AM-1PM Kingston Field, Woodbridge IP12 4AX







Rushmere Baptist Church Holiday Club 2019

RUSH MERE baptist church

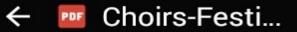
29 July - 2 August Daily 10.00 am - 1.30 pm Age 5 - 11



Gunge Singing Movie Games Stories Quiz

For further information and registration forms contact: Janet Wade 01394 549874 or Valerie Compton 01473 890487 Or go to: www.rushmerebaptist.org.uk













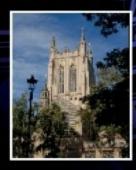
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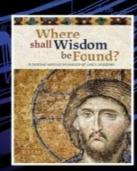
Saturday 5 October 2019 St Edmundsbury Cathedral

Rehearsal 2pm, Festival service 5pm

Music reading essential. To book a place for yourself or a choir visit

https://2019-diocesan-choirs-festival.eventbrite.co.uk or email Ken Brock: ken.maybe@btinternet.com





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BRADWELL (#) PILGRIMAGE AND GATHERING



SATURDAY 6TH JULY 2019 10:30AM - 3:45PM

A free day of pilgrimage, worship, activities and talks for the whole family.

With guest speakers:



The Rt Revd Alan Williams Bishop of Brentwood



The Venerable Ruth Patten Archdeacon of Colchester



The Rt Revd Peter Hill Bishop of Barking

Programme

- * 10:45am Commissioning outside St Thomas' Church
- * Pilgrimage Walk to Bradwell Chapel
- * Opening Worship on Arrival
- *Lunch break (Bring a picnic or buy some food on site)
- * 1:45pm Optional Sessions:
 - Eucharist
 - Talk: History of the chapel
 - Messy Church Activities
 - Guided walk and wildlife talks
 - Forest Schools Session
- * 3:15 Closing worship
- * 3:45 Finish



Note: Parking is available from Bradwell Village Hall (GM07QJ) & a shuttle bus will operate between the hall and the chapel throughout the day.



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Pilgrimage



A walk around Felixstowe, taking in coast and countryside, singing a short service in six churches along the way, and ending with a meal together. Inspirational music and contemplative words for worship. Come prepared to sing or simply listen.

Meet at 9.45am at St Mary's Church, Walton IPI I 9DS. Walk ends 6pm approx. at Maidstone Road Baptist Church, followed by the meal. Distance: 7 miles.

Requested donation £10 per person (under 30s £5) to cover music costs. Meal £5. Advance booking by 30 June essential. All music provided. Bring packed lunch.

More information and booking: w: www.cantusfirmus.org.uk t: 01473 659048 e: pilgrimage@cantusfirmus.org.uk

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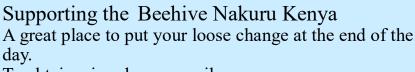
Monday 1st July - 7:00pm

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Fundraisers





To obtain a jar please e-mail thepaellalady@gmail.com or Pam@jenkins-net.co.uk



BEEHIVE FUNDRAISERS











£2168.53p has been raised through our blessings jars so far Our grateful thanks to all who have contributed

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 £406 was raised

> **QUIZ NIGHT** Seckford Hall hotel Date to be confirmed

For details streetjesus2012@gmail.com or-thepaellalady@gmail.com



The famous opera singer Christina Johnson will soon be performing in concert. Dates to be announced shortly



CROSSROADS-Saxmundham High Street THE RUNWAY-St Michaels and all Angels Martlesham OPEN DOORS -All Saints Wickham Market-Every Friday morning.

COMMUNITY CAFE`-Felixstowe River of Life church HUB COMMUNITY CAFÉ-St Johns Woodbridge - Every Monday morning 10-12





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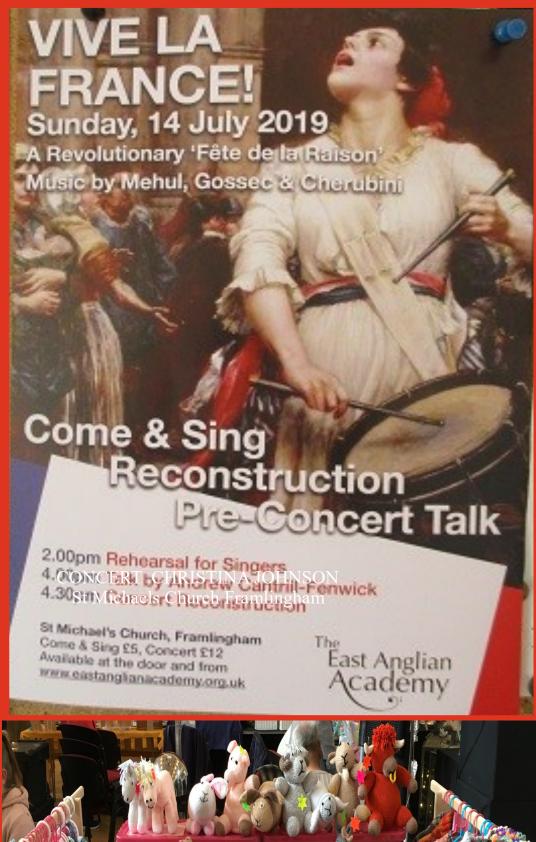
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CAR WASH [BREAKFAST RAISING FOR YOUTH MONEY \$5 PER/CAR FOR FIND]

9AM-12 NOON, ST AUGUSTINE'S, IPSWICH









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Wickham Market All Saints July 3rd 3pm

Languages, Livestock and Life



Farmer's daughter, farmer's wife, sometime modern languages teacher, chairman of The Rare Breeds Survival Trust, and breeder of Southdown sheep, Gail Sprake, will be talking about her life at St John's church,

Ilketshall St John on Wednesday 24th July, 2019, at 7:30pm.

Come and hear about her experiences in teaching, farming, conservation, agricultural shows and, maybe, even the various musical instruments she plays in local churches.



Tickets for the event, which is in aid of St John's church - and will include a glass of wine and nibbles -, are available in return for a donation

from:



Rosemary Watkin, St John's House, Ilketshall St John [01986 781225] Lynne Morton, Hill Farm, Ilketshall St John [01986 781240]

Gail Sprake, Meens Farm, All Saints South Elmham [01986 782251]

Further information:

Gail Sprake 01986 782251 gail.sprake@outlook.com Maurice Philpot 07817 108239 maurice.philpot@gmail.com

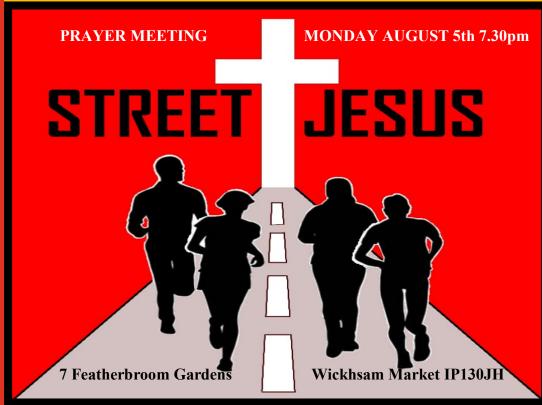


Saturday 26 October 201

Bury St Edmunds

Sunday 27 October 2019







at Peter's

Friday 9th August - 4PM

@ Church Institute
Tickets to be booked in advance





For more details follow us on facebook @
"St Peter's Community Events"

Or Email Amanda:- amandapalmer@stpetersbrandon.co.uk

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@ Church Institute



Saturday 24th August

2pm till 7pm

Gallery



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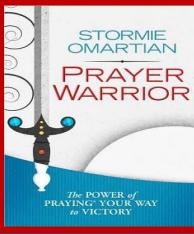
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Book of the month



BOOK OF THE MONTH

A must read manual for active effective prayer. This book by Stormie explores how we gain strength, purpose and personal advancement in our prayer life. Reflecting on spiritual warfare this book looks at the quest to bring heaven down to earth.

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Jean Varnier– Prophet
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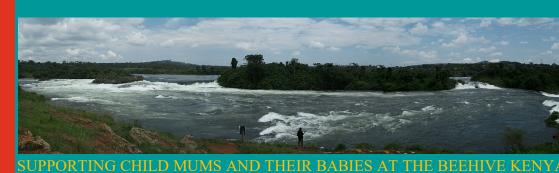
Gatherings



New Wine 2019– July 27th August 7th www.new-wine.org Soul Survivor 2019 August 17th–27th info@soulsurvivor.com Spring Harvest 2020 April 4th –18th www.springharvest.org Big Church day out 2020 May 23-24th www.bigchurchdayout.com Keswick 2019 -July 13th— August 2nd Keswickministries.org Greenbelt 2019 - August 23rd-26th www.greenbelt.org.uk Word Alive 2020 April 4th-9th www.wordaliveevent.org Davids tent 2019August 23rd-26th www.davidstent.net Faith camp 2019 August 25th-29th www.kingdomfaith.com/faithcamp

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Bible reading

Once Jesus was in a certain place praying. As he finished one of his disciples came to him and said "Lord teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples" Jesus said "This is how you should pray" Father may your name be kept holy. May your kingdom come soon. Give us each day the food we need and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us and do not let us yield to temptation. Then teaching them more about prayer he used this story. "Suppose you went to a friends house at midnight wanting to borrow three loaves of bread, you say to him 'A friend of mine has just arrived for a visit and I have nothing for him to eat'. And suppose he calls out from his bedroom 'Don't bother me the door is locked for the night and my family and I are all in bed. I can't help you' But I tell you this—though he wont do it for friendships sake, if you keep knocking long enough, he will still get up and give you whatever you need because of your shameless persistence. And so I tell you, keep on asking and you will receive all you ask for. Keep on seeking and you will find. Keep on knocking and the door will be opened to you. You fathers, if your child asks for a fish do you give them a snake instead? Or if they ask for an egg do you give them a scorpion? Of course not. So if you good people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly father give the holy spirit to those who ask him. Luke 11:1-13

Prayer

Lead us from death to life. from falsehood to truth Lead us from despair to hope from fear to trust. Lead us from hate to love from war to peace Let peace fill our hearts Our world Our universe. Amen

Quote to note

You can't give without loving and you can't love without giving

J John

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 July 8th 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