

ST. DAVID'S FOOD BANK Please give if you are able. There is great need.

Please see Lesley or Derek about specific needs.

Our contributions are usually collected up on the last Sunday of the month.

ABINGTON STREET MINISTRY— Each Friday 12—2pm. Andy Little : 5th & 26th April. See Sam for more information. Please pray or come if you can.

COUNTYWIDE MINISTRY—

Pray for our brothers and sisters we also fellowship with in other churches, particularly those in leadership roles :

Pollard Evangelical Church, Kettering— Elders Rod Badams & Rowan Gosnal-Tyler, & Andy Boulter; **Brixworth Community Church**—Andy Lloyd-Williams; **All Saints, Brixworth**—Rector David Reith;

Slapton & Wappenham Independent Evangelical Church (Sunday mornings in Towcester)—Trevor Thomas; **Moulton Parish Church**—Rev Nick Alexander; their church plant **Grace Church, Duston**—Jonnie Deja & Neil Menon; **Grace Baptist Church, Rushden**—Oliver Baker & Peter Hadley (in ministry training).

SPECIAL NOTICES

SPENCER CONTACT

We are really in need of some help, due to staff being off ill. Even a few hours would be a great encouragement.

We would really value you enabling us to share God's love in practical ways here in Northampton.

It's mostly sorting, cleaning & preparing all kinds of things ready for needy people to use in their homes—or for us to sell in our sales to bring in funds for this work. We'd love you to join with us.

Please see Ruth Magombo

Free CPR & Defibrillator Training -

9th April 7pm-9pm.

Free Bleed Kit Training

23rd April 7pm - 9pm.

Both meetings are at Reynard Way.

They are open to all & the surrounding community.

No need to book...just attend.

See Lesley Duke for more info



The next **INSPIRE**

Meeting is on Saturday
20th April 2pm—3.30pm
'SING TO THE LORD'

Come prepared to praise our awesome God!

Add your favourite hymn or chorus to the clipboard & we will try to include them all.

See Ruth , Elaine & Helen

Creation Ministries at Pollard, Kettering on
20th April

Suitable for children and adults

2pm 'Truth about Dinosaurs'

3.15pm 'Faq's about creation & evolution'

FREE admission

See Mark Wilkinson for details.

Pastor Paul Milner
Associate Pastor Allan Huxtable

Elders :

Derek Alcock, Graham Wheeler,

Peter Scurr & Andy Welsford

Evangelist : Sam Baxter

Women's Worker: Julia Horne

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- **Preaching Christ**
- **Reaching out**
- **Caring for one another**
- **Training up**
- **Loving our community & town**

**'Be strong in the grace
that is in
Christ Jesus'**

2 Timothy 2 v1

SUNDAY MINISTRY FOR APRIL 11am & 6pm

7th April am Allan Huxtable pm Nathan Taylor followed by communion

14th April am Allan Huxtable (Sam Baxter at Kettering) pm Christy Wells

21st April am Ken Houghton followed by communion. (Sam Baxter at Kettering)

pm Christy Wells

28th April am FOOD BANK SUNDAY Allan Huxtable (Sam Baxter at Kettering)

pm Christy Wells

SUNDAY SCHOOL : Pray for these youngsters & their teachers. Anyone wishing to help, please see Mark Wilkinson.

'CORAM DEO' — 14th & 28th April afternoon fellowship, venues vary.

'FIRM FOUNDATIONS' - 7th & 21st April at church. 4.15pm

*PRAYER TIMES are before each Sunday service in the Sunday school room.

MONDAYS at 9am at church as arranged, meeting in classroom 3.

SATURDAYS 8am— 9am James & Janet's except 6th April 8am and 7- 8pm at church.

MONDAY

'CRAFT AND CHAT' meets after the prayer meeting, from about 10.15am. Informal fellowship and an opportunity to be creative. See Julia Horne for more info & holidays.

TUESDAY

GAMES NIGHT

A weekly games night is starting this month! 7pm—9.30pm. Please see Andy White for details.

WEDNESDAY

'Tots Time' pre-school fun time 9.30—11am. See Julia Milner OR Sarah Welsford.

Closed for holidays 3rd & 10th, return on 17th **There is also a MORNING

community group, please see Graham Wheeler for more information.

7.30pm 3rd - Central Prayer Meeting, 10th & 17th CGs. 24th Members' AGM.

THURSDAY

4TH APRIL Coffee Morning Enjoy some informal all-age fellowship, do join us at 10.15am, our speaker this month is Allan Huxtable.

Ministry & witness at Boughton Lodge Care Home, we are there by invitation—our next visit is planned for 18th April. See Derek Duke for more info.

FRIDAY

'RENEWED' group for ages 11-18, at church on Fridays during term time at 7-8.45pm.

'The Huddle' (Year 10+) meets at the Kearley's for food & fellowship once a month.

See Pete Scurr for more details.

SATURDAY

Men's Breakfast 6th April 2024 Come and be fed twice : 9am—10.30am

Speaker : Ken Houghton

Sign up ASAP on the clipboard, please.

Pastor Paul writes -

"Be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus." - 2 Timothy 2:1

At our last Communion service we began considering the Lord's Supper as 'a means of grace' and asking what it does for us and how do we commune with the Lord in it. This month Spurgeon helps us further, considering Christ as the fountain of all grace and how his grace flows to us and we receive from him:

Christ has grace without measure in himself, but he has not retained it for himself. As a reservoir empties itself into the pipes, so Christ empties out his grace for his people. "Of his fulness we have all received, and grace for grace" (John 1:16).

He seems only to have in order to dispense to us. He stands like the fountain, always flowing, but only running in order to supply the empty pitchers and the thirsty lips which draw near and come to it. Like a tree, he bears sweet fruit, not to hang on boughs, but to be gathered by those who need.

Grace, whether its work be to pardon, to cleanse, to preserve, to strengthen, to enlighten, to quicken, or to restore, is ever to be had from him freely and without price; nor is there one form of the work of grace which he has not bestowed upon his people. As the blood of the body, though flowing from the heart, belongs equally to every part, so the influences of grace are the inheritance of every saint united to the Lamb;

And here there is a sweet communion between Christ and his Church - they both receive the same grace. Christ is the head upon which the oil is first poured; but the same oil runs to the very skirts of the garments, so that the weakest saint has an unction of the same costly oil as that which fell upon the head.

This is true communion when the sap of grace flows from the stem to the branch, and when it is perceived that the stem itself is sustained by the very nourishment which feeds the branch.

As we day by day receive grace from Jesus, and more constantly recognize it as coming from him, we shall behold him in communion with us, and enjoy the delight of communion with him.

Let us make daily use of our riches, and ever return to him as to our own Lord in covenant, taking from him the supply of all we need with as much boldness as men take money from their own purse.