

# WELCOME

15<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER



## TODAY...

**9.45am & 11.30am:** David will launch the new series looking at the Armour of God, beginning with Truth.

**Readings:** 2 Kings 6: 8-23 & Ephesians 6:10-18

**6.30pm:** Rosey will continue the Upper Room series, looking at John 17.

Communion will be served

# SUNDAYS

The **prayer team wear yellow badges** and will be available at each door at the stewards' stations during worship and at the end of the services.

If you know anyone who would appreciate pastoral support or prayer, please contact Brian Gooding. For urgent prayer requests call Janette Buick on 07931 927414 or email [prayerchain@stirlingbaptist.co.uk](mailto:prayerchain@stirlingbaptist.co.uk) or join our 'Prayer for the Community' on Wednesdays, **7.15 - 8.00am** in Level One.

If you are new to SBC please stop by the welcome area which sits beyond the information desk. Members of the **welcome team wear blue lanyards**. Come and enjoy a coffee and a chat.

CDs will not be available after 9.45am service on 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> October. All services will be recorded and CDs made later this month.

# EVENTS

## A Church that Loves to Pray

Join us for 4 weeks of prayer and worship as part of our evening services, with open prayer, reading scripture and space to reflect through extended worship.



## Wedding of Lisa Mckee & Rob Fraser-Binns

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October at 12.30pm in SBC**

The church family are warmly invited to join the couple with their family & friends for the ceremony at 12.30pm.

## Shoebox Appeal 2017



**...by Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November**

Please consider filling a shoebox this year and blessing the life of a child or two..

## Learn to Read Music

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October at 7:30pm in the McCallum room**

Ian McDonald will show you how to crack the code on reading music in just 2 hours.



## Christmas Choir

**Tuesdays beginning 7<sup>th</sup> November at 7:30pm in the Sanctuary**

Whether or not you can read music, come and sing carols in glorious harmony!

# FAMILY NEWS

Please pray for Beverley & Ruth following the passing of their mother, Betty Pickles. Remember, too, Barbara McElhinney and family in your prayers following the passing of Barbara's father.

# UNDER 25'S

**KIDS** (0-12yrs)

Livewires Re-launch

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 6pm-7pm**

Our mid week programme for P4-7s is back! If you have a child in this age group or would like to get involved with the team please contact Ruth Crockett.

We run a range of programmes for 0-25s throughout the week. Check out the website for more info.

**YOUTH** (12 -18)

Remedy

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October, 7-9pm**

**Level One**

Our new Friday night monthly event. contact Jo for more info

Laser Tag Youth Social

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October**

We're heading to the Megazone in Falkirk! Open to ALL young people who are P7-S6. Keep an eye out over the next week for details. Contact Jo for more info

*faith at home*

In History Makers we are following the weekly sermons, looking at the armour of God. Take some time to discuss with your children how we can apply this in our daily lives.

Our memory verse is Ephesians 6:10; 'Be strong in the lord and in his mighty power.'

**Students**

**Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 7pm - Level One**

Student Collective

# COMMUNITY

A lot of our Community work runs from the Family Life Centre (FLC) and The Haven. Speak to Rab Donald for more information.

Afternoon Alpha at the Haven

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 12pm-2pm**

If you aren't able to attend the evening course why not come along and explore the Christian faith.

The Daniel Plan

**Tuesdays evenings from 17<sup>th</sup> Oct in Dunblane**

A 6 week Rick Warren course covering faith, food, fitness, focus & friendship. For more info contact Sheila Drummond or Lone Wright via office.

Art and Craft Market

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November**

**Taylor room**

This year's Art and Craft event. Put this date in your diary. Come and enjoy some coffee and cake and make a start on your Christmas shopping!

Art Classes in the FLC

Registration is now open for 6 week Portraiture & Ceramic 1 class starting 23 October.

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# PASTORAL STAFF

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Mon - Thur 9am - 1pm

# GIVING

Stirling Baptist relies on the generous and faithful giving of the fellowship. If you would like more information, please contact our Finance Manager in confidence at [susie.gooding@stirlingbaptist.co.uk](mailto:susie.gooding@stirlingbaptist.co.uk)

## Gift Aid Status

Gift aid declarations are generally valid until cancelled. Please let the Finance Manager know if you no longer pay tax and would like SBC to stop claiming Gift Aid on your giving.