

**Lasers & TNL (P7-S4):** Sundays, 9:30am

**Youth Fellowship (S1-S6):** Sundays, 8pm

**Small Groups (S1-S4):** A variety available, contact Rob

**Drop In Youth Cafe (S1-S6):** Thursdays, 4pm

**The Surgery (S1-S6):** Youth Alpha, Mondays - Launching February

*All of our youth activities take place in Level One (just down the street from SBC) unless otherwise stated.*



### PROPHETIC WORD OF ENCOURAGEMENT

If you would like an appointment between the Sunday morning services, please contact the church office at [admin@stirlingbaptist.co.uk](mailto:admin@stirlingbaptist.co.uk). You will then be offered an appointment and the names of the team members who will meet with you.

**Service Recording** - All services are recorded. If you want to listen to a service/sermon or if you missed one, you can order a CD using a form on the Information Desk. - **cost is £1 per CD.** If you are unable to attend due to illness or are involved in another ministry during the service then you are entitled to a free CD. For more details contact Hugh McWhinnie ([hugh.mcwhinnie@stirlingbaptist.co.uk](mailto:hugh.mcwhinnie@stirlingbaptist.co.uk))

*Alternatively all sermons are on the church web site or as a podcast from iTunes*

If you wish to know more about services available at SBC Family Life Centre or to book accommodation within the centre please contact Stirling Baptist Church administration staff on 01786 450581

### Key Contacts

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### The Office

**Office open times:** Monday to Thursday 9am- 1pm  
**Notices for Sundays:** Items for the Welcome Sheet should reach the office by **Wednesday Midday at the latest.**



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**Sunday 6 March 2016**



**We are delighted to share fellowship with you today.** Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee in the Foyer on the middle floor after the morning services.

Information about SBC is available at the Information desk. Members of the Welcome team wear blue badges. Please approach them for any help at all. If you are visiting or new to the church please fill out one of our welcome cards which can be found under the chairs, on the pews or at the Information desk.

### PRAYER

Prayer team (wearing yellow badges) will be available at the stewards' stations during worship and at the end of the services. Available also in the prayer room.

If you are new to the church and would like to receive regular updates please fill in a Welcome Card in the pews or give your contact details to the church office.

### Today's Services

**9.45am & 11.30am:** Tearfund and Chomno from CHO will take today's service.

**Lifeway Bible Class :** 12.30pm - 1.30pm in the Taylor Room.

**6.30pm:** David Gooding will be speaking.

**Communion** will be served at the **6.30pm** service. Communion is for all those who know and love the Lord and have a personal relationship with Him.

**Please note that due to the Youth and Students Weekend away there will be no TNL, Lasers or Youth Fellowship TODAY.**

### CHILDREN

**9.45am**

0-2 yrs: **Crèche** -  
McCallum Room

3-4 yrs: Pre-school **Bubbles** -Taylor  
Room

P1-P6: **History Makers** -FLC

P7 - S1: **TNL**—Level One

S2-S4: **Lasers** -Level One -

Breakfast is available for TNL &  
Lasers from 9.30am.



**11.30am**

0-2yrs: **Crèche** -  
McCallum Room

P1-P6: **History Makers** –children's  
tables outside crèche on middle floor.

Please can all 9.45 parents &  
children vacate the crèche  
in the McCallum Room  
after the service by  
11.25am at the latest. This  
will greatly help the set-up and  
baby settling process at the 11.30  
service crèche.



**"To be a spirit filled and empowered witnessing community" Acts 1:8**

## Dates for your diary (For all Youth events see back page)

**Children & Youth:** Our young people are spending this **weekend at Gartmore House**. They look forward to a great time with fun, worship and teaching by Jamie Hill. Pray that they will be challenged and encouraged and will build up good relationships with each other and their leaders.

**Family News:** Continue to pray for **Margaret Young** as she has been transferred back to Stirling Community Hospital, also remember **Anne and Donald Pollock** in your prayers.

**For urgent prayer requests contact the office.**

A prayer box is available at the Information Desk for prayer requests.

**Pastoral Care: If you or anyone you know would appreciate pastoral support, contact Heather Spence : 07889 631111.**

**Baptismal Service Sunday 27th March:** If you are think about getting baptised or know someone who is, please get in touch with Rab Donald.



The latest display in the Reflective Corner is on our current sermon topic of God's World and how we should live in it and care for it.

Resources from the Psalm 24 group can be found there, please browse and help yourself to leaflets.

### TRAIDCRAFT STALL TODAY

In between the morning services the Traidcraft stall will be open, so please do visit and purchase! If there are any products we don't currently stock but you would like to buy, please let us know and we can order them in. Contact: Helen Laing or Rebecca Curtis [helenlaing@gmail.com](mailto:helenlaing@gmail.com). **The Traidcraft stall is able to do monthly orders for folk. Order forms are available from the stall.**

**It is FairTrade fortnight at the moment so the team would encourage anyone who hasn't visited the stall before, to do so this week.**

On Sunday 13th March, the book **Ruth - A Parable of the Kingdom and a Love Story that Changed the World**, launched at Lovesong in Harvest, will be available for sale on the middle floor between the morning services and after the 11:30 service. Easter books and cards from the FM Christian Bookshop will also be available.

### Big Questions

The gents Big Questions discussion group will be meeting again on Thursday 31st March @ 7:30pm at the Birds and Bees in Causewayhead. This month we will look at 'Is death too difficult to talk about?' Big Questions is an informal, fun and thought provoking discussion open to all blokes from inside and outside the church. Join us for some lively chat, laughs and manly banter. For more info contact Graham Oxburgh 07847 187278, [graham@gaoconsulting.co.uk](mailto:graham@gaoconsulting.co.uk)



**TODAY** Traidcraft Stall

**Wed 9 Mar** **Prayer For the Community** in Level One at 7.15am  
**Living with your Muslim neighbour** @ 7.30pm Taylor Room

**Sun 13 Mar** **Bookstall** will be open

**Tue 22 Mar** **Book Club** @ 7.45pm on the middle floor



The next Book Club will be on **Tuesday 22 March at 7.45pm** on the middle floor. The title of the book is 'JESUS AND HIS FATHER' by Trevor Galpin and explores the way Jesus revealed God as his Father and the implications of this truth for each of us. It is a collection of stories by 15 eye witnesses to the life and work of Jesus. Anyone welcome.

### Natty Knitters

#### Donations of Cadbury's Crème Eggs please!

Natty Knitters are knitting chicks to sit on the eggs and they will be used at various outreach activities. Any donations put in the box by the pigeon-holes on the middle floor gratefully received! If anyone would like to help sew and/or stuff the chicks please see Becky Lawrence. The next meeting will be on **8th March**.



We are delighted to invite you to the wedding of Lisa Wright and David Young on Friday 11th March at 2pm at SBC. Refreshments and wedding cake will be served to all following the ceremony.

One of the massive issues of our time.... **Living with your Muslim neighbours**. Hear SBC Global Partner Stewart Moulds, 7.30pm in the Taylor Room on Wednesdays 9th, 16th and 23rd March.

We have received a request from Dr Mark Donaldson, secretary of Peterhead Baptist Church, asking if there might be someone within our congregation who would be able to accommodate and offer hospitality to 5 people coming over from the United States on a theology research project. This would be 1 Professor (Ray Van Neste) and 4 Students. They will only be in Stirling for one day as part of their research on Scottish Covenants. Ideally they would require an evening meal, overnight accommodations on May 28th 2016, and breakfast the following morning. If you could offer hospitality to these guests from the USA please contact Dr Mark Donaldson on 07811 396627 or by email [J.MarkDonaldson@gmail.com](mailto:J.MarkDonaldson@gmail.com) to confirm and for further details on the guests.