



Welcome to RBC!

18th February 2018

Morning Service: 10.30am

**All-age service
In Christ (6)
Revd Ian Bunce**

Evening Service: 6.30pm

**Evening of prayer
with Communion
Revd Vikki Bunce**

We give you a very warm welcome to our services of worship here today especially if you are a visitor or it is your first time here.

There are opportunities to receive prayer after each service. Please make your way to the prayer spaces, or speak to someone wearing a yellow lanyard.

Children and young people are welcome and in the morning we normally have activities for ages up to Year 13, leaving midway through the service. We also have a crèche in the Oak Room for the under 3's.

Please feel free to stay and join us for refreshments in the entrance foyer after the service.

Ministry team:

Ian Bunce Minister - Team Leader
Jan Loveard Minister - with a focus on Youth and Children
Vikki Bunce Minister - with a focus on the older generation

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Family News & Prayer Requests

- Please continue to pray for:

Jim & Iris Hooper	Lynn Anderson
Marge Slade	Lilian Wingate
Maria Elder	Beryl Dunnings
Brian Sharp	Josie Eborn's dad, Richard
Dana Gherasim	Betty Davey's family
Sarah Delaney	Dickie & Brenda Beaver
Beryl Mather	Samantha (Evelyn Brown's daughter)
Nick Lear	Sheila Cross
	Steve Kirby
- Please pray for Mike Simpson and Peter Feinson who are preaching at Chase Cross Baptist Church and Cranham Baptist Church this morning.

Notices:

Day of prayer and fasting

Today, we are calling the church to a day of prayer. Both services will pick up the theme of prayer & ideas for praying will be in next weeks' notice sheet and online. If you are able to fast or eat more simply we would encourage you to do that too. We are particularly focusing our prayers for the new Youth and Children's worker, the new worship leader, & that we will move forward towards the projects God has called this church to be involved in.

Gospel Choir

The Gospel Choir will be meeting today after the morning service in the Oak Room, and for the next 6 Sundays in preparation for Easter Sunday. It's also not too late to join the Gospel Choir!

Women's world day of prayer

This is at St Michael's Church on Main Road, Friday 2nd March, at 1.45pm.

Notices:

London Walk with Gordon, Thurs 22nd Feb From Alexandra Palace to Finsbury Park, meet at Romford Station 9.45am or Liverpool St platform 12 at 10.30am. Phone Gordon for further details.

Baptismal classes, from Sun 4th Mar, 4.30pm The next baptismal service is Easter Sunday. Please pray about whether God is calling you to be baptised.

Easter book folding, Sat 10th March, 10am-12pm If anyone is interested in learning how to do book art, there is a one-off book-folding workshop; create a cross for Easter. Sign up at the Welcome Desk or for more information, speak to Hilary Salisbury.

Faith in Seniors, Sat 17th March, 10am-3pm A day looking at a Biblical view of God's purposes in later life, support for those affected by dementia, and other topics. See leaflets for more details, £10 per delegate.

Moldova trip There are plans to take a group to Moldova to visit Andy & Rianna Stannard, if interested, please let Ian know. Andy & Rianna's latest newsletter is also at the Welcome Desk.

Baptist Assembly, Sat 12th May, 10.30-18.30 This is at KingsGate Conference Centre in Peterborough. For more information & to book, go to baptistassembly.org.uk. If you have booked, and you would like a space in the minibus, please speak to Ian/Ruth.

The week ahead (From 18th February 2018):

Sunday	10am & 6pm 12.15pm	Prayer before services Gospel Choir	Juniper Room Oak Room
Monday	10am & 12.50pm 11am-2pm 12-2pm 7pm 7.30pm	Parent & Toddlers Kerygma Foodbank Streetlight Bible course	Willow Hall Foyer Juniper Room Youth Lounge/Hall The Church
Tuesday	9.30am 10am 8pm 8-9pm	Outside bookings Needlecraft Group Men's Group Evening prayer meeting	Hall/Pine Room Oak Room Youth Lounge Foyer
Wednesday	9am 9.45am 7.45pm	Outside booking Parent & Toddlers All Church Prayer evening	Foyer Willow Hall The Church
Thursday	9.30am 1pm 8pm	Thursday morning small group Outside booking Music Team Practice	Foyer Willow Hall The Church
Friday	12.30pm	Daytime prayer meeting	Oak Room
Saturday			
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