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#### Our services are live-streamed

so you may appear on camera if you sit in the front rows or come onstage. If you do not consent to being filmed, then please sit further back. Speak to one of the Welcome Team if you are unsure of what to do or require further information.

Thank you

## **Prayer Box**

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, grieving or have family problems.

# We also have an email prayer network.

If you would like to join the prayer network or wish us to pray for you or someone you know, please contact **Jen Bache** on 07545 847115 or email jennifer.bache95@gmail.com

If you have any items for the Weekly Welcome please contact Bob Bache at robert.bache@sky.com or on 07545 531296 by Wednesday evening.

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# "Shining for Jesus in the darkness" 17th November 2024

# We welcome you to our service today!

You are welcome here among our growing church family.

If you live in the town or are just visiting, then we pray that you will know the light of the Lord in your life as you join us. Whether it's your first time in church or you're regularly in a worship service then know that we have a relaxed, informal style. So you can sing or listen, stand or sit, be upstairs in the balcony or downstairs in the comfy seats.

Brixham Baptist Church are committed to SHINE for Jesus, SHARE and SHAPE our community for Jesus. We believe that you will meet with Jesus today and hear God's Word speak into your life. If you are troubled or worried, then do ask and we have a team who can pray quietly with you, or one of our Pastors can even visit you this week. If you want to get to know us as a congregation, then please stay for drinks after the service in the hall. And if you are visiting, please do sign our Visitors Book in the foyer.

For children and families there is a session called SHINE where you can enjoy a brunch and some age-appropriate activities.

## PRAYER PRIORITY

Please continue to pray for direction as a church, and also for wisdom as we have a few new exciting enquiries and opportunities open to us for using our building that the leadership team need to make decisions about.

Each Sunday we hear from God's Word. We love it when <a href="the-regular congregation">the regular congregation</a> want to add an insight arising from that, or to share an answer to prayer. If appropriate to be included in the livestream, why not share that in the time that will usually be given after the sermon?

At Brixham Baptist Church we believe in the power of prayer. If you have heard something in the service that prompts you, or simply want someone to pray with you, or pray for someone you know, then please come to the front after the service and our Prayer Ministry team will be happy to pray with you.

## **OUR SERVICES**

## Today, 17th November 2024

9.45am-10.15am : Pre-service Prayer Meeting (Front Room) 10.30am : Communion Service : Darrell Holmes : Altitude in

Attitudes: Blessed are the Persecuted: Matthew 5:10

10.30am: Shine (Hall)

11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)

## Sunday, 24th November 2024

9.45am-10.15am : Pre-service Prayer Meeting (Front Room)

10.30am: Morning Service: Colin Opie

10.30am: Shine (Hall)

11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)

## **CHURCH DIARY**

Mon 18th	1.00pm-3.00pm 5.30pm-7.00pm 7.00pm	Drug and Alcohol Rehab Drop-in (Front Room) Ignite (Front Room) Induction Service : Rev Dr Philippa Bellows
Tues 19th	10.00am-1.00pm	Front Room open
Wed 20th	9.30am	Mid-week Prayer Meeting (GA) (Front Room)
Thurs 21st	10.00am-12.00pm 10.30am-1.15pm 5.45pm-7.00pm 8.00pm	Community Coffee Morning (Hall) Live Longer Better (Front Room) Girls' Brigade (Hall) Mens' Meeting
Fri 22nd	10.00am-1.00pm 10.00am-11.30am 2.00pm-3.30pm 2.00pm-4.00pm	Front Room open Toddlers Group (Hall) Packing of Rucksacks (Hall) Craft and Chatter (Front Room)
Sat 23rd		
Sun 24th	9.45am-10.15am 10.30am 10.30am 11.45am	Pre-service Prayer Meeting (Front Room) Morning Service : Colin Opie Shine (Hall) Drinks/Biscuits (Hall)

## PLEASE SEE BACK OF PASTOR'S PATCH FOR MORE NOTICES



## RUCKSACKS FOR THE HOMELESS

We will once again be packing small rucksacks for the homeless which will be delivered to PATH Torquay for distribution. Everyone is welcome to help with the packing of the rucksacks on **FRIDAY 29th November 2024 – 2.00pm to 3.30pm** in the Hall. Tea. coffee and cake will be served afterwards, Items

still needed are: small torches, wordsearch books and nail clippers. A big thank you to all who have already donated items and cash for this most worthwhile project. **Judy Lee** 

## **CHRISTMAS HAMPER PROJECT**

Our Christmas Hamper Project for families in need in the local community will be taking place on **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November at 5.30pm in the Hall**. As with previous years, we've invited social services and local health visitors who will join us in the packing and delivering of these hampers. You can help by coming to pack the hampers on the evening and also by

donating the following items:

Good condition or new items for children such as toys, soft toys, puzzles, books, craft, confectionary, gloves, hats and scarves.

Good quality or new items for parents : Women's or men's toiletries or gift sets, Books, Confectionary.

Each hamper will contain an invite to our Christmas service and events. We value your prayers for this ministry and practical act of service. May it share the love of Jesus to families in need in the community. Thank you very much. *Maria Orton* 

#### **INDUCTION SERVICE**

for Revd Dr Philippa Bellows as Rector of the local Anglican Churches will take place on **Monday 18th November at 7.00pm**. Please do pray for her and the congregations that the Lord will meet their needs in the way ahead.

## **CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING**

Members please diarise the next Church Members' meeting which will be held at **7.30pm on Tuesday 26th November** in the Hall. *Julia Andrews* 

#### WEEKLY WELCOME ITEMS

Michele will be away for the next 3 weeks ie the weeks ending Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November, Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December and Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December. Therefore, please send any items for the Weekly Welcome to Bob Bache either by email at robert.bache@sky.com or mobile 07545 531296. Thanks. *Michele* 

## **OUR DAILY BREAD**



Throughout the year we distribute 40 copies of this helpful booklet. It gives people a Bible based message for each day of the year. If you would like to receive a copy of, or indeed, if you no longer wish to receive it, please let **Judy Lee** know.

The booklets are completely free but at this time of the year we normally send a donation to Our Daily Bread to cover their

costs. Please let Judy have any contribution you wish to make to this wonderful ministry. Thank you. *David Percy* 

#### THANK YOU FROM FIRST BRIXHAM GIRLS' BRIGADE

First Brixham Girls Brigade would like to thank the church for their kind donations towards their recent fundraiser for Girls Brigade. They raised £202.00 and this was split between the National Girls Brigade and First Brixham Girls Brigade. Your generosity is so much appreciated and this money will go towards materials for the valuable work of Girls Brigade. *Captain Rebekah, Charlotte, Maria and Hilary*