



This week @ a glance

Life Groups meet on Sun, Tues, Wed & Thurs evenings & Wed morning, see Dave S or Christine S for details.

Monday

9.00am Staff meeting & prayer

Tuesday

10.00am Prayer meeting @ Forefront

10.30am Coffee & Co @ Forefront

Wednesday

9.30am Prayer meeting @ Forefront

10.30am Coffee & Co @ Forefront

Sunday

10.00am Prayer before the service in the cafe area

10.30am Morning service @ the Guildhall speaker *Ron Clarke*

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Welcome to forefrontcommunitychurch

Sunday 15 August 2010

This morning's service will be led by *Andrew Conlan* and *Nick Francombe* will be speaking on *Be wise about – lifestyle* as we continue in our Proverbs series.

Friends & Heroes will be running throughout the summer for children aged 4-11 years upstairs. There will also be a Crèche.

Updating the contact sheet

The contact sheet is a list of names, addresses and numbers of Forefront members to help us keep in contact with one another. Obviously this needs to be updated periodically as new people join us and people leave. At the back today is a print out of the existing contact sheet. Please take a minute to...

- check you have an entry & add yourself if required
- correct your entry
- add information, particularly e-mails & post codes – we hope to be using e-mail more in our communication to you although there will continue to be paper copies available

When we have collated the information, copies of the revised contact sheet will be available to all church members.

Visitors

If you are a visitor here this morning, welcome! We pray that you have an enjoyable time with us. If you would like to know more about us or other activities that happen during the week please speak to one of the connect team, who you should have met on your way in. We'd be grateful if you could also take the time to sign our visitors book before you leave. Thank you.

PRAYER DIARY – PLEASE PRAY FOR	
MONDAY	... us all this week as we are missionaries wherever we are, whether at home, work, with friends, families or neighbours.
TUESDAY	... the Tues & Wed coffee mornings continuing throughout the summer. Particularly pray for opportunities for faith sharing & for there to be significant conversations.
WEDNESDAY	... the NHS counsellors who use Forefront during the week for their appointments. Pray for wisdom & strength for them & for their clients.
THURSDAY	... Patrick, Deb & the kids in Thailand. Esther & Peter went back to school last week, pray they would continue to enjoy their studies. Also pray for Hannah who recently celebrated her 2 nd birthday, particularly that she would start walking soon. And continue to pray for the whole family as they learn Thai.
FRIDAY	... Andrew at camp from today (see below)
SATURDAY	... Sue Clarke. The weather is a big problem at the moment – v heavy rain. Pray for Sue as she travels to the various outpost clinics to assess the work during August. And continue to pray with her for guidance over future work. Pray for the Lord's clear leading.
SUNDAY	... those with a preaching gift. Pray that each would grow in their gifting & know the Holy Spirit's leading.

Advanced notice

Emily Nicholson is getting baptised on Sun 19 Sept in the afternoon in the Baptist Church. Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate with her. If anyone else is considering getting baptised please speak to Andrew. It doesn't necessarily have to be the September date.

Andrew's away

Andrew is away from this Friday 20 to Tuesday 24 as Camp Pastor for a camp at Fleet, near Weymouth. This is for the leaders of a youth camp and for other adults from the London area. Please pray that he will be led in the teaching and in one to one conversations.

175th Anniversary Thanksgiving Service

The trustees and staff of the London City Mission invite us to their 175th Anniversary Thanksgiving Service on Thurs 30 Sept, 6.30-7.45pm at All Souls Church Langham Place, London. Rico Tice will be the guest speaker. Everyone is invited, however, places are limited so if you would like to accept this invitation tell Christine ASAP so that she can reserve you a place.

If for whatever reason you are unable to attend perhaps think about sending them a personal message of support/encouragement, or a memory of a specific missionary or ministry instead. These will then be displayed on the 'Anniversary Thanksgiving Wall' at the service. There are some slips you can use to write your message on the back table today.

God loves Muslims & wants them to know him

The 11 August was the first day of the month of Ramadan, a special time for Muslims when they fast and pray. A prayer guide called '*30 days of Prayer for the Muslim World*' has been produced to coincide with this as a means for Christians to identify themselves with Muslim's during a fixed period of the year, and for them to call upon God's sovereign intervention in the lives of Muslims during a time of the year when they are particularly observant of their religion. The booklet provides lots of information as well as prayer points, and aims to inspire and direct readers to intercede for the Muslim world.

There are copies of this booklet on the back table today. We can order more if needed, so please speak to Christine if there are no copies left and you would like one.

Dates for the diary...

- **Church prayer meeting @** the Laurel Centre on Wed 29 Sept, 7.30pm.
- **The Big One – CVM @** Belmont, Exeter on Sat 9 Oct, 9.30am-4.30pm. Conference for men. Cost £15. See Andrew C.
- **Arts & crafts exhibition @** St Mary's Church 10-12 Sept. Entries need to be registered with Iris Castleton by mid-August. She can be contacted through St Mary's office 67867.