

**THE WEEK AHEAD** – for your information and prayers

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**TUESDAY – 28<sup>th</sup> February**

- 10.30 am OASIS Coffee Shop – tea, coffee and home-made cakes.  
7 pm Beta Recovery in the upstairs lounge.

**WEDNESDAY – 29<sup>th</sup> February**

- 10am & 1pm Baby & Co – outreach to mums and toddlers.  
8 pm It's a Man Thing!  
8 pm Bible Study series on Revelation and prayer led by Terry.

**THURSDAY – 1<sup>st</sup> March**

- 3.15 – 4.40 pm School Pastors meet outside Bexleyheath Academy.  
8 pm Worship Band meets for praise and music practice.

*BCU at Trinity until 3.30 pm*

**FRIDAY – 2<sup>nd</sup> March**

- 8 pm YP Quiz Night.  
8 pm – 1 am Street Pastors go out on the Broadway; prayer supporters meet at Trinity.

*BCU at Trinity until 2.00 pm*

**NEXT SUNDAY – 4<sup>th</sup> March – the Second Sunday of Lent**

- 10.30 am BAPTISMAL SERVICE – at which Athena Evans will confess her faith and respond to the Lord's command to be baptised. The service will be followed by a Bring & Share lunch.  
7.30 pm THE POINT with Communion and Healing. All who know and love the Lord Jesus Christ are invited to share with us at the Lord's table

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**SMALL GROUPS** – several small groups meet during the week: there is something for everyone, with groups meeting on various days, daytime and evening, in various parts of Bexley Borough – see the latest list on the noticeboard. For more information, contact Andy Banks.

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**SUNDAY**

**26<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

**The first Sunday of Lent**

**Welcome to TRINITY!**

*Sowing – Reaping – Keeping – Sending*

We give a warm welcome to all our visitors, including relatives and friends of Chris and Kerry O'Sullivan who are presenting Isaac for blessing this morning. Please make yourself known to us and ask for a copy of our Welcome Pack; please don't feel obliged to contribute to the offering. An audio loop system is installed, for anyone downstairs wearing a suitable hearing aid.

**10.30 am SERVICE OF INFANT BLESSING**

Terry Griffith will be continuing our Lent series on Fasting and Prayer preaching from Joel 2:12-27.

'How to Fast'.

Crèche facilities for under-3s are available in one of the halls throughout the service.

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, this is available in the chapel – look for the sign in the back corner by the stairs, or look for people with prayer ministry team badges.

Tea and coffee will be served in the middle hall after the service – everyone is welcome to stay for fellowship.

**BUFFET LUNCH** We are all invited to a bring and share celebration lunch.

**7.30 pm THE POINT**

Andy Banks will be preaching from Joshua 5:13 - 7:1,

"Whose side are you on?"

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**CONGRATULATIONS**

to Martin Seymour who has accepted the post of Pastor at Blackheath and Charlton Baptist Church.

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### **GROWING LEADERS YOUTH EDITION**

Any YP still considering attending the course need to let Andy know by the end of tomorrow at the latest: further details available on the YP Facebook page.

### **SERVICE OF BAPTISM.**

Athena Evans will be baptised on 4<sup>th</sup> March. The service will be followed by a bring & share lunch. Please see Louise or Stuart Campbell if you are intending to come and can bring food.

### **SMALL GROUP LEADERS**

The next meeting will be on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March 12:30 -2:30pm upstairs. Please bring your lunch with you, and let Andy know whether or not you intend to come.

### **CALLING ALL MEN**

We are running a Christianity Explored Course at Trinity on alternate Wednesday evenings from 25<sup>th</sup> April to 18<sup>th</sup> July inclusive, with an additional away day probably on Sat 7<sup>th</sup> July. The course is based on Mark's Gospel and is a chance to learn and experience what Christianity is all about, or to brush up on the basics.

Please consider helping in one of the following ways:

- a) bringing a friend, neighbour or work colleague with you to the course;
- b) welcoming visitors on the doors each Wednesday evening;
- c) being part of the catering team who will buy and prepare a light snack;
- d) committing to partner with us in prayer, either by coming to the venue prior to starting or by praying in your own home.

Ladies, we'd love your support and prayers as well, especially if you can send your man along to be a part of the course

### **AZAR PAMPER EVENING**

24<sup>th</sup> March at Trinity. Come and relax in a tranquil, candle lit environment. Treatments include massage, facials, foot spa, manicures and pedicures. All money raised goes straight to AZAR. Please bring friends and family – a perfect treat for Mother's Day! Contact Lexi and Beth Erian or Louise Brady.

### **LEPROSY MISSION FESTIVAL OF FLOWERS**

The theme is transforming lives for a world without leprosy. The festival will be held at Southwark Cathedral from Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> and is described as "a magnificent celebration of colour and creativity in a special spiritual environment". More details to follow.

To: **Pastors Terry Griffith/Andy Banks** *Please return via the offering.*  
Delete as appropriate: **I am interested in:** joining an Alpha course/ finding out about Christianity / becoming a Christian / being baptised / becoming a Church Member / joining a small group;

OR **I would like to talk to / pray with someone about:** developing spiritual gifts / possible areas of service / opportunities for:

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Name:.....Tel.: .....