



**SUNDAY**

**17<sup>th</sup> March, 2013**

**Welcome to TRINITY!**

*Sowing – Reaping – Keeping – Sending*

We give a warm welcome to all our visitors: 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 COMMUNION SERVICE**

Terry Griffith will preach on: *2 Corinthians 8: 1-15 & Acts 4: 32-35*

*A Commitment to Generosity*

All who know and love the Lord Jesus Christ are invited to share with us at the Lord's table. The communion offering is for the Fellowship Fund.

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 near the front by the worship team, 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.

**5 pm ALL-AGE PRAYER EVENT**

Tonight's meeting of The Point will be an all-age prayer event similar in style to the one at New Year. It will start at 5 pm and last for one hour.

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## **OFFERINGS IN FEBRUARY 2013**

General Fund: February's gifts amounted to £15,519 against a budgeted figure of £14,228.

Communion offerings for the Fellowship Fund: £444.

Oasis: £112. New Manse Fund: £1175. Tanzania Fund: £574.

It is very encouraging to see that we are currently exceeding our budget very comfortably, especially as our thoughts turn to the year ahead. Please don't let the encouraging position put you off from taking a full part in this exciting part of our worship together.

## **ANNUAL REPORT**

Today is the deadline for submission of Annual Reports. If you have received an email asking for a report, please submit it to Kerry ASAP. Thank you.

## **COFFEE AT THE NEW MANSE**

Andy and Fiona Banks invite us to have coffee with them at the New Manse on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March between either 10 – 12 or 2 – 4. Everyone welcome.

## **CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING**

The next Church Members' meeting will be at Noon next Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> March. The agenda is on the noticeboards in the middle hall. All members should have received a letter from Terry and the draft budget. Please ensure you have prayerfully considered this prior to the meeting. Thank you.

## **CRIBS CELEBRATION**

Next Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March, CRIBS will be leading the evening service which will start at 6.30 pm and includes a showing of their Easter play.

## **LADIES EVENING AT ZIZZIS**

The Just Women ladies are going to Zizzis for a meal on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7 pm and invite all Trinity ladies to join them. Let Angela Roach or Kerry O'Sullivan know if you would like to come.

## **TANZANIA TRIP 2013**

To the Team: The next instalment of £250 per person is due this month. Please either give Stuart a cheque payable to Trinity or make an online payment to Trinity clearly marked as being for Tanzania 2013 (and copy in Stuart by email to confirm the transfer). If you want to pay-in more that would also be great. To the congregation: If anyone would like to make a gift towards the trip whether you are going to Tanzania or not that would be very welcome. Please follow the same instructions as above. Remember that gifts are eligible for gift aid recovery that will also go towards fund raising for the trip. Thank you.

## **GOOD FRIDAY BREAKFAST**

The Centenary SETH Good Friday breakfast will be at Christchurch Church Hall Erith 8.45 am on the 29<sup>th</sup> March. There are 200 tickets available at £2 per adult and 50p for under 18s. The speaker is Margaret Gibbs of BMS World Mission who is the Asia Regional Team leader with responsibility for mission workers and partnerships in Nepal, Thailand and China. Please contact Irene Woosnam ASAP to book tickets.

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## THE WEEK AHEAD – for your information and prayers

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### MONDAY – 18<sup>th</sup> March

8 pm Deacons' Prayer Meeting at the manse.

### TUESDAY – 19<sup>th</sup> March

10.30 am OASIS Coffee Shop – tea, coffee and home-made cakes in aid of the 2013 Tanzania Trip.

7 pm Beta Recovery.

### WEDNESDAY – 20<sup>th</sup> March

10 am & 1 pm Baby & Co. – outreach to mums and toddlers.

8 pm Bible study and prayer in the lounge: Led by Terry Griffith.

8 pm It's a man thing!

### THURSDAY – 21<sup>st</sup> March

*BCU at Trinity until 3.30 pm*

10 am New Look Group meets at 67, Rudland Road.

2 – 5 pm School Pastors meet at Trinity.

8 pm Worship Band meets for praise and music practice.

### FRIDAY – 22<sup>nd</sup> March

*BCU at Trinity until 2.00 pm*

7.30 for 8 pm YP Quasar, see Stuart and Louise for details.

8 pm – 1 am Street Pastors meet at Trinity.

### SATURDAY – 23<sup>rd</sup> March

10-12 & 2-4 pm Coffee at the New Manse, see inside for details.

2 – 9 pm Chapel used for sound technician training.

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### NEXT SUNDAY – 24<sup>th</sup> March

10.30 am MORNING SERVICE Preacher: Terry Griffith

Noon to 1 pm CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING; agenda on noticeboard.

4 pm CRIBS Ambassadors Meeting.

6.30 pm CRIBS CELEBRATION, see inside for details.

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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 list on the noticeboard. For more information, please contact Andy Banks.

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Newsheet contributions should be submitted to Kerry by midday on Thursday.