

## Some dates

### September

- 5 An evening with Alastair & Juliet Curry, 7pm
- 6 World Mission Focus (all services)
- 15 Church members meeting, 7.45 pm
- 20 Induction service for David Lockwood, 6.30 pm preceded by fellowship tea (4.30)
- 24 Cornerstone, 8.30 pm
- 27 Harvest Thanksgiving Services, 9.15 & 11 am  
Harvest Tea for senior citizens, 4.45 pm  
Harvest Praise, 6.30 pm

### October

- 4 Cross Links 6th Anniversary
- 6 Mission Evening with Peter Bisset, 8 pm
- 10 Music Marathon
- 18 Interserve - David Taylor, 9.15 & 11 am  
Service of Believers Baptism, 6.30 pm
- 22 Cornerstone, 8.30 pm
- 25 Bring & Share Lunch, 12.30 pm

### November

- 17 Church Members' Meeting, 7.45 pm
- 22 CAP Sunday
- 26 Cornerstone, 8.30 pm
- 29 Bring & Share Lunch, 12.30 pm

### December

- 5 Christmas Craft Fayre, 10 am
- 6 Church Anniversary - Jim Graham, 9.15 & 11 am
- 13 All Age Christmas Services, 9.15 & 11 am
- 17 Christmas Celebration at Sele Community Centre
- 20 Carols by Candlelight, 4.30 & 6.30 pm  
Cornerstone - reflective worship, 8.30 pm
- 24 Christmas Crib service
- 25 Christmas Day services, 9.30 & 10.45 am

### Network course

A four-week course to help you discover your gifts and how to use them in the church and community.

*Starts Thursday 5 November*

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(Monday - Friday, 9 am - 1 pm)

*One of the Pastors is usually available on the office number weekday mornings and afternoons and Saturday mornings.*

*For more information on any activity, ring Heather Read in the church office.*

### Church Text for 2009

*"We walk by faith,  
not by sight."*

*2 Corinthians 5:7*

# HERTFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

Port Hill, Hertford

# What's On

## Autumn 2009

## Sunday Services

Our two morning services at **9.15 & 11.00** are identical, with the same worship and preaching. Crèche facilities and children's and youth groups are available at both services. All worship together for the first fifteen minutes and then the children and young people leave for their age-related groups. Morning Communion is normally celebrated on the third Sunday. Coffee and tea are served in the hall as a meeting point between the two services, with Fair Trade stall on the first Sunday of each month.

The evening service is at **6.30** and Communion is every first Sunday. Tea and coffee are served in the hall afterwards.

There is an opportunity for prayer ministry at the end of all three Sunday services.

Overall we aim for a mix of worship styles in our services and seek to preach the Scriptures in an applied and relevant manner.

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### Sunday mornings at 9.15 & 11.00

Zechariah, with its powerful imagery and prophecy, is a challenging but rewarding study, especially understood in its Old Testament context and references to the coming "Day of the Lord". Jesus quoted Zechariah as he approached his own crucifixion; to understand Zechariah is to understand the mission of the Lord Jesus.

### Sunday evenings at 6.30

Please refer to the separate schedule in the church magazine, church office or web site for details.

## Home Groups

These provide a good opportunity for people in a large fellowship to feel involved and to grow in their faith. By learning together from Scripture and supporting one another in prayer and concern we help each other follow Jesus. This session the groups are following the Sunday morning sermon series in the book of Zechariah.

*Week beginning:*

<b>Sept.</b>	15 (Tues)	Church meeting
	21	(1) Zechariah - introduction
	28	(2) "Everything belongs to God"
<b>Oct.</b>	5	(3) Zechariah 3-4 & 6:9-15
	12	(4) Zechariah 7-8
	19	(5) Zechariah 9-10
	26	Half term break
<b>Nov.</b>	2	(6) Zechariah 11
	9	(7) Zechariah 12-13
	17 (Tues)	Church meeting
	23	(8) Zechariah 14
	30	(9) "Stewardship"
<b>Dec.</b>	7	(10) "Live within your resources"
	14	Social evening

Leaflets giving full details of the various groups are by the home group map in the foyer entrance.

## Prayer Groups

- every Saturday, 9.00 - 10.00 am
- 2nd Wednesday, 10.30 - 11.30 am
- 2nd Thursday, 8.00 pm (Mission)
- 3rd Saturday, 8.30 am (Men's Breakfast)
- last Friday, 8.00 pm (Pastoral)

## Activities

### Golden Lunch

lunches for Senior Citizens, first Thursday, 12.30 pm

### Senior Fellowship

for women and men, alternating Tuesdays, 2.30 pm

### Tuesday Circle

ladies' gathering, alternating Tuesdays, 2.15 pm

### Cross Links

for people with learning disabilities, first Sunday, 3 pm

**Cross Links Extra:** first & third Sundays during 11.00 service

### Christians on Sele

**The Hub:** monthly family event, third Sunday, 3 pm

**Lunch Club:** second and fourth Friday, 12.30 pm

### Baby & Toddler Club

for parents & pre play-school children

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday mornings, 10 - 11.30

### Brownies

Thursdays from 6 pm

### Wyldlife

weekly club night for young people (years 7-9)

Mondays, 7.15 - 8.30 pm

### The Zone

for teenagers (14-18s), Sundays at 8 pm

### Vantage

discipleship group (15-18s)  
alternate Tuesdays, 5.30 - 7.30 pm

### Declare

young adults' group, Sundays at 8 pm

**ALSO Male Voice Praise, Ladies keep-fit, Connect, Active Retired Group, Bring-and-share fellowship lunches (monthly social activities)**