Perry Beeches Baptist Church Newsletter

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HARVEST SUNDAY – FAMILY SERVICE

The Harvest Sunday Family Service on 22nd October, was about the meaning of the word Harvest. We were advised about how you gather the produce so that it can be sent to shops for us to buy. One child said, *"The produce can grow from a seed like a baby grows."* The children aged between 5-9 years old worked on designing T-shirts to demonstrate what they were thankful for as below:



We also spoke of how there was always much to do, but there were never usually enough people to do God's work; telling people about God's love for us.

LADIES CONFERENCE

Perry Beeches Baptist Church hosted a Ladies Conference on Saturday 14th October, which was attended by various other churches and Mustard Seed, a Christian charity which desires to work closely with all local Christian Churches and organisations. Over 50 ladies attended the conference, which was led by Rev. Jessica Griffith. The theme was "Going to the next level" in your Christian journey.



It was a great conference and Rev. Jessica Griffith prayed and annointed the ladies that attended. The conference ended with a lovely lunch.

Thanks to everyone who supported the conference and those who prepared the lunch.

QUIZ NIGHT

On Saturday 21st October, we had a fish and chips quiz night at Perry Beeches Baptist Church. There were seven teams answering a range of questions from general knowledge, sports, music and biblical knowledge



All teams were named after books of the bible, and the winning team was Ruth pictured above. Congratulations to all team members.

WATERAID

Perry Beeches Baptist Church held a BBQ on 29th July and all donations on the day were given to WaterAid.



A total of £350 was raised for WaterAid, a dedicated water charity bringing lifesaving clean water to people around the world, by installing taps and toilets and convincing governments to change laws.

Perminder Balu came to collect the cheque on behalf of WaterAid.

Thanks to everyone who came out to enjoy the BBQ, donated money and everyone who helped on the day.

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MESSY CHURCH

On Monday 30th October, we gathered for Messy Church. Messy Church was a little different this half term. We had a 'light party', all children received a glow stick on entrance, we had our crafts all based on light, so lanterns, glowing stars, pumpkin prayer hangers, to name just a few of the crafts, and of course the favourite, decorating biscuits.



We then went upstairs for our story and understanding the importance of being kind to each other. We then went downstairs and watched Patch the Pumpkin video.

This was followed by party time, music, lights, not forgetting the disco ball! We played pass the parcel, musical statues and bumps. We ended with party food.

Thirty-seven children went home very happy with a party bag with books about Jesus being the light of the world and bible stories.

Thank you to all who helped.

EVENTS COMING UP IN NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD (Shoe Box Appeal) – 13th to 17th NOVEMBER Drop boxes off at Perry Beeches Baptist Church by Friday 17th November between 10am to 3pm.

BLACKPOOL TRIP - SATURDAY 18th NOVEMBER

Meet at Perry Beeches Baptist Church at 10.15am, coach leaving at 10.30am sharp.

CAROL SERVICE - SUNDAY 24th DECEMBER

11am to 1pm at Perry Beeches Baptist Church.

WEEKLY SERVICES AND EVENTS		
MONDAY	THURSDAY (continued)	
6pm Youth Bible Study (Zoom)	11am Coffee Morning	
TUESDAY	7.30pm Bible Study (Zoom)	
9am to 2.30pm Perry Beeches	FRIDAY	
Community Cafe	7.30pm Prayer Meeting	
10am to 12.30pm Food Bank	SUNDAY	
WEDNESDAY	11am Sunday Morning Service P YouTube @perry.beecheschurch	
9am Prayer Meeting (Zoom)	6.30pm Evening Service (Zoom)	
THURSDAY		
9am to 2.30pm Perry Beeches	ZOOM DETAILS:	
Community Cafe	Meeting Number: 3416748317	
-	Meeting Password: 554593	

DEACONS	PRAYER REQUESTS
Chair of Deacons: Pastor Tracy Sweet Secretary: Barbara Quarless (Interim) Treasurer: Angela Bent	GOD HEARS OUR PRAYERS (Psalm 116.1) Do you or a loved one need prayers? You are not alone; we all need prayers.
Worship: Robert Lewis Premises: Antonio Dewar Ministries: Vinnett Madourie Community: Barbara Quarless	Please send your prayer requests online to <u>admin@perrybeechesbaptistchurch.com</u> or put in the Prayer Boxes located on the ground and first floors.
Community: Belinda Belle Children & Young People: VACANT Communications & Marketing: Zoeta Brown	All prayer requests are treated in strict confidence. BAPTISM AND CHURCH MEMBERSHIP
If you have any concerns, please contact the appropriate Deacon who will endeavour to deal with the issue as soon as possible.	If you are interested in Baptism or Church Membership, please speak to Pastor Tracy or Pastoral Deacon Patricia Wright.

BOOKINGS

To book the Church Hall or Meeting Room for any events – Weddings, Funerals, Baby Dedications, etc. If you would like to add any announcements, prayer requests, suggestions to this newsletter, please contact Zoeta Brown or email: admin@perrybeechesbaptistchurch.com

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