

## MONTHLY PRAYER DIRECTORY

This will also include prayer for our mission partners. The bulletin will be made available by email or a printed copy only to those on the church list. If you wish prayer information to be included send it to [Maggie Knee](mailto:Maggie.Knee) by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month



## The Elders Encourage...

Going along to a Home Group (Wednesday or Thursday evenings, ask for details) or Ladies or Mens group on Thursday mornings in church and coming to the Church Prayer meeting on last Thursday each month (next one 25th January).

## ABC CONTACTS

Church telephone No: **07311 253720** (only when Martyn is working in the office)

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Church Business: Please contact one of the elders –

Martyn Colley (Pastor), Stephen Brown, Nicholas Aitalegbe, Colin Smith, Maggie Knee.

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## WEBSITE

Please visit the website [www.abcm Maidstone.co.uk](http://www.abcm Maidstone.co.uk) for: [MISSION BOARD](#), [HOMEPAGE AND WHAT'S ON](#), [ROTA FOR WELCOMING](#), [CHILDRENS WORK ETC](#), [PREVIOUS TALKS](#) and lots more....

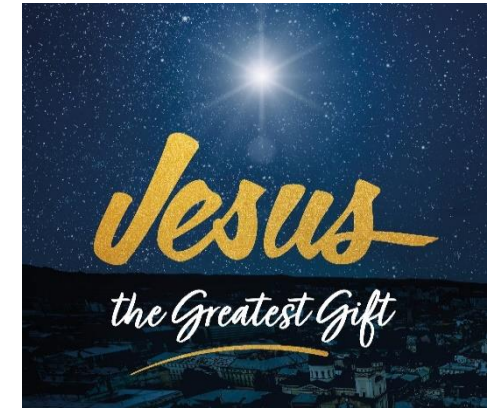
## PASTORAL SUPPORT

Any suggestions for how the elders or trustees can support the fellowship, please let us know. Please be praying with us as we consider the way forward for our church. Please contact one of the elders: Martyn Colley (Pastor), Stephen Brown, Nicholas Aitalegbe, Colin Smith or Maggie Knee (telephone numbers and email addresses in the Church Directory) or via [elders@abcm Maidstone.co.uk](mailto:elders@abcm Maidstone.co.uk)

**THIS NEWS SHEET** is compiled and edited by Stephen Brown. If you wish to receive copies by email, please let Stephen know. If you know of anyone who is not on the internet, or is not able to come to church, please take or print out a copy and deliver it to them so that nobody misses out.



## A VERY WARM WELCOME DETAILS OF SERVICES DECEMBER 2023



Sunday 3rd Dec	<b>Into The Bible Service (10.30am) Including 'Grid' and 'Searchlight'</b> . Maggie Knee leads the service, Hilary Hooker leads the worship. Martyn Colley speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (1) Advent: Isaiah 9:1-7 "Unto us a son is given"</b>
Sunday 10th Dec	<b>Family Service (10.30am)</b> Martyn Colley leads the service, Tim Rotter leads the worship and Martyn speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (2) Luke 2:1-20 - A Saviour born to you</b>
Sunday 17th Dec	<b>Christingle Family Service (10.30am)</b> Martyn Colley leads the service and speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (3) John 3:16 - God so loved that He gave...</b>
Sunday 24th Dec	<b>Morning Communion Service (10.30am)</b> led by Maggie Knee <b>Christmas Eve Candlelit Carols (6pm)</b> led by Martyn Colley who speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (4) 1 John 4:9 How God showed His love</b>
Monday 25th Dec	<b>Christmas Day service (10am)</b> led by Martyn Colley who speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (5) John 1:14 The Word made Flesh</b>
Sunday 31st Dec	<b>Into The Bible Service (10.30am) Including Communion</b> Nicholas Aitalegbe leads the service and Annabel Aitalegbe leads the worship. Josh Hooker speaks on <b>The Greatest Gift (6) Titus 2:11-15 For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people</b>

## Regular Weekly Events

Monday	2pm	Table Tennis Club. Contact Bella Ho or Marina Lambert
Tuesday	7pm	Early evening prayer from 7pm – 7.30pm, <b>by Zoom</b> . Contact one of the elders for the internet link. Led by a variety of members. An opportunity to pray for our church and activities.
Wednesday	10am to 11.30am	Babes & Toddlers every week during term time up to 13 December
Thursday	10.30am 10.30am 2.00pm	Ladies Bible study in Church (Main Hall) up to 14 December Men's Bible Study in Church (Lighthouse) up to 14 December Get Together on 7 <sup>th</sup> December and then next on 18th January 2024
Friday	6.30pm	Youth Club. For Y7-13 up to 15 December
Saturday	9am	Prayer in the Lighthouse, 9am – 10am

**Babes & Toddlers**



Wednesday  
10am – 11.30am

Weekly in term time

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

**table tennis** in the Main Hall

**Mondays**  
2 pm – 4.00 pm & in evening

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

**ABC Youth**  
Allington Baptist Church - 76a London Road

FUN FUN FUN...  
We meet every Friday, 6.30pm - 8pm




MUSIC GAMES  
CRAFTS  
Bible talk  
TUCK  
CHILL  
SPORTS  
SNACKS  
SQUASH COFFEE FIZZ  
TABLE TENNIS  
ACTIVITIES

FOR SCHOOL YEARS 7-13

For the children & youth at 10.30am (Lighthouse Hall) in our church Second Monday of Month

**PRAY**



## Men's Curry night

**Men's curry night @ Mughal Dynasty**



Please enter name on booking sheet or let John Lambert know

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December: 7.30am

the **Ladies' Mens' Bible Study**

Bible Study Group  
At 10.30am  
Thursdays  
In the Main Church Hall

Thursdays  
10.30am in the Lighthouse  
During term time

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

Prayer Meetings

**IN CHURCH:**  
Saturday @ 9am

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

## Messy Church – Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

**Messy Church**

76A London Road, Maidstone  
Car Park off Leafy Lane. ME16 0DT

Messy Church is an opportunity for families to come together, have fun, be creative together, eat together and worship together. We offer a warm room and tasty food.

**Messy Church Christmas!**

3.30pm – 5.30pm on Saturday 2nd December

A Church at Prayer is a **Powerful Church**

**POWER**

You're Invited!

Meet on Zoom every Tuesday Evening 7pm – 7.30pm

'GET TOGETHER' COFFEE AFTERNOONS

FIRST & THIRD THURSDAYS  
2.00pm – 3.45pm



Entertaining  
Accessible  
Profound  
Life-changing

Sundays in January @ 6.30pm at Allington Baptist Church, FREE  
Pizza served during discussion. All welcome

**just10**  
God's Timeless Values for Life Today

**J. John**



Prayer for Israel (monthly) meets on the first Friday at 11am in Lighthouse

PRAYING for Israel



Contact Maureen or Bruce Corp for details.