

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 20th 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 28th March).

ABC CONTACTS

Church telephone No: **07311 253720** (one of the elders will normally answer)

To email all Elders: elders@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

Trustees: trustees@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

Church Business: Please contact one of the elders –

Stephen Brown, Nicholas Aitalegbe, Colin Smith, Maggie Knee.

For finance issues: treasurer@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

Donations: donations@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

For bookings: bookings@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

Data Protection: dataprotection@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

Youth Club: youth@abcm Maidstone.co.uk

WEBSITE

Please visit the website 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: 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

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 MARCH 2024



Sun 3rd March	Into The Bible Service (10.30am) Including 'Grid' and 'Searchlight'. Colin Smith leads the service, Sue Smith leads the worship. Jonathan Jankowski speaks on <i>The armour of God (7) The sword of the Spirit, Eph 6:17b</i>
Sun 10th March	Early Morning Communion Service (9.15am) led by Colin smith (Lighthouse Hall) Family Service (10.30am) Led by Stephen Brown who speaks on <i>Zaccheus, Luke 19:1-10</i>
Sun 17th March	Into The Bible Service (10.30am). Maggie Knee leads the service and worship. Leon Mileham speaks on <i>The armour of God (8) The weapon of 'all prayer'/ Each part put on with prayer, Eph 6:18</i>
Sun 24th March	Into The Bible Service (10.30am) Palm Sunday Stephen Brown leads the service, Ruth Jordan leads the worship and Chris Tolley speaks on <i>Jesus Rides In (Luke 19:28-40)</i>
Thu 28th March	Church Prayer Meeting at 7.30pm in the church Hall. We encourage you to give thanks to the Lord and pray for the church's events, fellowship and mission. (Maundy Thursday)
Fri 29th March	Good Friday Communion Service at 10.30am led by Stephen Brown (Main Hall) who speaks on <i>Characters around the cross: The Thief on the Cross, Luke 23:32,33,39-43</i>
Sun 31st March	Easter Sunday Breakfast at 9am, followed by Service at 10.30am Nicholas Aitalegbe leads the service, Tim Rotter leads worship and Stephen Brown speaks on <i>A Momentous Day (Luke 24:1-12,36-49)</i>

All main services are in church and are live streamed to YouTube

Regular Weekly Events

Monday	2pm	Table Tennis Club. Contact Bella Ho or Marina Lambert
Tuesday	7pm	Early evening prayer from 7pm – 7.30pm, by Zoom . 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 & Tots every week during term time
Thursday	10.30am	Ladies Bible study in Church (Main Hall)
	10.30am	Men's Bible Study in Church (Lighthouse)
	2.00pm	Get Together on 7th and 21st March
Friday	6.30pm	Youth Club. For Y7-13. (No club on 29 th March)
Saturday	9am	Prayer in the Lighthouse, 9am – 10am

Monthly Prayer Events

- Prayer for Israel, Friday 1st March, 11am
- Prayer for Youth, Monday 11th March, 10am

Pastor on Sabbatical Leave

To allow a time of spiritual refreshment, Martyn Colley is on sabbatical leave for 10 weeks from 22nd January – 31st March 2024. During this time, please do not ring or email Martyn but contact one of the elders: Colin, Maggie, Nicholas or Stephen using elders@abcmaldstone.co.uk or using their contact details in the fellowship booklet.

Note the following events: (see right for more info)

- Sunday Evenings: "The Challenging Lifestyle" by Nicky Gumbel: continues throughout March (not 31st)
- Ladies Card making on 9th March
- Jerusalem Joy, a showing of a recording of an ABC production from around 20 years ago, Saturday 23rd March, 7pm
- Prayer meeting on Maundy Thursday, 28th March
- Easter Sunday breakfast at 9am following by service (31st March)

Babes & Toddlers




Wednesday
10am – 11.30am

Weekly in term time

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

Ladies' Card Making Morning



Sat 9th March 10 – 12noon

Materials & refreshments provided.

Please let Sue Colley if you'd like to come

Men's Fellowship Walk in Loose Valley

9th March 2024



IF INTERESTED CONTACT JOHN LAMBERT FOR FURTHER DETAILS

ALLINGTON Baptist Church

76a, London Road, ME16 0DT
(Car park entrance off Leaky Lane)
www.abcmaldstone.co.uk

A one-off showing of ABC's 2003 Easter production of 'Jerusalem Joy' and drama.

Saturday, 23rd March
7:00pm

Light refreshments provided after the showing (please let Betty know if you are coming. Thank you.)



CELEBRATE EASTER

Easter Breakfast
9am, then usual
10.30 service

Sunday
31st March



the **Ladies' Mens' Bible Study**

Bible Study Group


At 10.30am

Thursdays

10.30am in the Lighthouse

In the Main Church Hall

during term time



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Family Church is on the second Sunday of each month. There are a selection of activities from Craft, Quizzes, Puppets, Children's activity / game, videos and a short talk. Next one:

10.30am on Sunday
10th March

Theme:
Zaccheus, Luke 19:1-10



'GET TOGETHER' COFFEE AFTERNOONS

FIRST & THIRD THURSDAYS

2.00pm – 3.45pm



Thursday Evening
28th Mar @ 7.30pm

PRAYER MEETING



ALLINGTON Baptist Church

The Challenging Lifestyle Video Series 6.30pm

Free. All welcome. Coffee & biscuits during discussion...

Starts 25th Feb 2024

