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Newsletter




Thought – “No Worries”

We have recently had the birth of twins in our family. They are the first babies born into the family that I have been old enough to appreciate. It has been amazing to watch them grow from scans inside the womb, to the walking and talking little people they are now. These two little people have learnt how to sit up, walk, control their movements, use their hands and legs, understand words and form their own words.

If God can create such a miracle as human life, from a microscopic speck, through to a fully grown adult, with all the amazing intricacies it entails, then... why do we worry about things that happen in our lives? God is such an amazing power. He can create human life, make it grow, think, see, hear, smell, move, heal itself etc. With power like that just a prayer away, we shouldn't have any cares in the world at all.

We may think that winning the lottery will help us, and stop us from ever worrying again. But simply putting our faith and trust in God can give us so much more than any amount of money.

So think of something simple that you may have taken for granted before – how your eyes work reading this leaflet, a beautiful plant, a flower or tree growing from a tiny little seed, a baby transforming into a grown adult – all of the amazing miracles and everyday examples of God's power – then say a prayer and put your life in God's hands – He will look after you and there will be no need to have worries in your life ever again.

If you've got time, why not read Matthew chapter 6 verses 25-34 from your Bible.

1 minute interview ... with Martyn the Church Secretary:

Q: What made you decide to become a Christian?

"I was brought up in a Christian family. Later on in life I went through a period of questioning and as a result of this I became convinced in my own mind about God's love shown in Jesus."

Q: Why do you come to the Bethel?

"Mainly because of the warmth and friendship that I have experienced there over the years. Also it's important to me the way that all kinds of people are accepted and given a genuine welcome here."

Q: What do you do as Church Secretary?

"My Job is to have an overview of all the activities of the church and to give guidance and leadership. I'm actually part of a lay-based leadership team as we don't have a paid ministry at our church."



What's On?

(At Henrietta St. unless otherwise stated)

Sunday evening Services at 6:00 pm (unless otherwise stated)

DATE	SUBJECT
3-Jul	Guest Speaker
10-Jul	"Stand up for what you believe in" - Daniel's story
17-Jul	The history of the world foretold - Nebuchadnezzar's Dream
24-Jul	The Meaning of life
31-Jul	Rahab, the unlikely hero
7-Aug	Jesus the healer
14-Aug	Forgive as you have been forgiven (Service starts at 2:45)

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21-Aug	Guest Speaker
28-Aug	Jesus can set you free
4-Sep	God's plan became a man
11-Sep	All about Baptism
18-Sep	Countdown to God's Kingdom
25-Sep	Guest Speaker

Saturday 9th July – Party in the park, 1:00 - 6:00 in Seymour Park. Don't miss this excellent event, please make sure you come and say hello to us at our gazebo.

Sunday 14th Aug – Community Lunch starts at 12:30.

Every Tuesday – “The Bible Course” 7:15 p.m. at Chorlton adult Education Centre. A new course has just started looking at the book of Revelation in the Bible, please get in touch if you'd like to come along.

Regulars:

- Sunday
 - Breaking of Bread Service 10:30 a.m.
 - Sunday School 2:45 p.m. (From Kids aged 4, up to Adult Discussion Group)
 - Evening Service 6:00 p.m. (See above for details)
- Tuesday
 - Junior Youth club 6:45 p.m.
- Thursday
 - Bible Class 8:00 p.m.
- Friday
 - Senior Youth Club 7:30 p.m.

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