

## Prayer Matters

Continue to pray for Jayne Fleet, Gordon Hind, Stew Johnson, Kath Bosworth, Purvis MacNaughton and Katharine Sutcliffe. Pray for the Church leadership team, who, together with Rev. Graham White (the Moderator), consider the future pastorate needs of the church.

## Thank You

John and Maureen Stafford would like to thank the fellowship for their prayers after their recent injuries. Olga Abrahams is now back home following her chest infection and would like to thank the fellowship for their prayers at this time. Joan Humphreys would like to thank everyone for their support in prayer for her mother Edna, currently in Princes Court, but hoping to move to Rosemount soon.

## Preaching elsewhere

Stew Johnson 21st. Feb. @ Peoples Mission, South Shields

## Change of Address

As Cleveland Park has now closed Jenny Ismay is now resident in Heatherfield, Lee Street, Annitsford. Please contact Fiona before visiting. Fiona's revised details are:  
mobile 07874743782 email: fionaismay824@yahoo.co.uk

## It's that time of year again.

Would secretaries of organisations, and treasurers where appropriate, please prepare their annual reports and accounts for the year 2015. When completed they should be submitted to the secretary. The finalised annual report will be published in February.

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Welcome to

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**Baptist Church**  
[www.whitleylodgebaptist.org.uk](http://www.whitleylodgebaptist.org.uk)



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We see judges every day, on television or in the press; sometimes real, sometimes fictional. Some are portrayed as good, others as bad or biased. Some set legal precedents, some show compassion, some just like the sound of their own voice. In the Old Testament book of Judges, they are human with human frailties and weaknesses.

Despite all of this the theme of the book is  
"The Lordship of God"

## Sundays in February 2016

### 10am at Whitley Lodge First School

#### 7th February

“No hiding place - Not from God”

Judges 6

Rev. Graham White

#### 14th February

“The magnificent 300”

Judges 7

#### COMMUNION

John Fleet

#### 21st February

“The odd man out”

Judges 9

Rev. Graham White

#### 28th February

“The man who kept his promise” (Poor girl)

Judges 10 v.6-18 & Judges 11 v.1-10 & Judges 11 v.29-39

Stew Johnson

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And this month, just to be different, a quiz.

What is the connection between the three images below?



And which one is missing?

## Dates for your diary

### Spring Bible School

This will take place on weds 17th Feb, 9th Mar, 13th Apr & 11th May.  
Further details will be announced later.

### Women Together

Mon. February 1st 7.00pm in the Community Lounge  
“Testimony and Talk” - Angel(a) Abrahams

### Church Leaders Meeting

Mon. February 15th 2.00pm @ Knaptons - Business meeting

### Pastoral Team Meeting

Fri. February 19th 10.30am @ Knaptons

Good News Club - Every Wed. afternoon in term-time (not 17th Feb.)

3.30-4.30pm in the Community Room at Whitley Lodge First School.

For further information please contact the Children's Team on:

[children@whitleylodgebaptist.org.uk](mailto:children@whitleylodgebaptist.org.uk) Tel: 07581278485

Time for Prayer – 7pm to 8pm every Tuesday.

We thank God that we are seeing prayer answered and that the number attending is steadily increasing. All are welcome, for any length of time that suits. No need to turn up for 7pm and no need to stay until 8pm.

### Women's Prayer Meeting

Every Monday in February at 1.45pm at Hilary Buck's home.

### Light Bite and Banter

Thurs. 11th February 12.30pm – 2pm

Please continue to pray for this outreach venture.

### Housegroups

Groups take place at the following homes:

Wed 19.30pm @ Eileen Hudson's

Thurs 19.30pm @ John & Glenda Penman's

N.B. When there is a midweek evening meeting at church, there will be no evening housegroups that week.

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If you have a mobile phone with you in Church, will you please ensure that it is either switched to silent, or preferably switched OFF.

### News

If you have items for the bulletin, could you please send them (preferably by e-mail) to David Green by the Thursday prior to the final Sunday of the month.