

CHBC Verse for the year, Matthew 22: 37-40.

Jesus said "love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is *the* first and great commandment. And *the* second is like it: 'love your neighbour as yourself.'

Power of Prayer – 6 week course, Mondays 7.30-9.30pm. at Oasis Church, Essex Road, Chadwell Heath, RM6 4JA

Do you desire a deeper relationship with God?
Is your life so busy you can't find as much time to pray as you would like?
Disappointed because your prayers are not being answered?
Feeling spiritually empty?

The Power of Prayer will help you rediscover that intimacy and guess what, when we give Him the time He desires, life becomes less stressful, problems get sorted out and you can hear Him more clearly, guiding and directing your paths. You will find yourself praying the prayers your Father wants to answer. **Register at www.kingdom-keys.org.uk**

Christian Education Project – 'serving schools, sharing faith'.
Last Sunday we heard from Rob and Rebecca who go into schools in schools in Redbridge, taking lessons and assemblies sharing their faith and the amazing news of Jesus to thousands of children. As a church we support them financially, but if you're interested in finding out how you could be a friend of CEP, or receive prayer updates then please visit: <http://christianeducationproject.org.uk> or call 020 8551 3070

Happy Birthday! Gwen Warren (27th)

Praying for each other during this week:

22 nd May	Kelechi Atulomah
23 rd May	Janet Aveling
24 th May	Irene Ayi-Bontay
25 th May	Nelly Berkeo-Derby
26 th May	Daniel Black



CHADWELL HEATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome! Witajcie! Bienvenue! Willkommen! Croeso! Bine ati venit! Karibu!

Welcome

Are you new?

An especially warm welcome if you are visiting us. We hope you enjoy your time here. Please stay after the service for refreshments.

Refreshments

Tea, coffee & biscuits are served in the back hall after the service. Everyone is very welcome!

Welcome to our Service.

Pastor James Thomas is leading our service today, and will continue our sermon series on the book of Amos – 'there is judgment – always.'

Junior Church & Crèche

Our children join us for the first part of our worship then leave for their groups at approximately 11am. There is a crèche for children aged 0-4, and junior church is in the back hall for 4-14 year olds. If you're here for the first time and would like your children to attend please speak to one of the stewards on the door who can direct you.

Prayer

Would you like to be prayed for? There is joy and peace when we pray together, so please speak to one of the leaders or to James, our prayer team (with yellow badges), or the stewards.

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Prayer focus on: Indonesia

The trial of “Ahok” Tjahaja Purnama, the Christian governor of Jakarta (see “Prayer Focus”, 12/2/17) has resulted in his being found guilty of blasphemy and sentenced to two years in prison. The lead judge told the court that Ahok had “convincingly conducted a criminal act of blasphemy”, even though prosecutors had dropped their claim that Ahok had insulted Islam and were no longer pursuing his conviction for blasphemy. Ahok is understood to be planning an appeal.

The judges’ decision marks a troubling shift of policy in Indonesia, and has fueled concerns over rising religious intolerance in Indonesia, the world’s most populous Muslim-majority nation.

Please pray that Ahok would keep trusting God for the outcome of this matter. Pray, too, for God’s protection over the Christian minority in Indonesia. May the church in Indonesia be able to maintain, with God’s wisdom and discernment, a clear Christian witness in that country.

➤ Praying for our church and community

Thank God! Please thank God for the safe arrival of Janet & Peter’s grandson. Born on Tuesday 16th May, 7lbs 14oz to David and Kate – thanks to everyone who was praying for them.

Christian Education Project – after hearing about the work of this project in schools in Redbridge please pray for Rob and Rebecca as they share the Gospel to children in our local area.

Please pray for those young people who we know that are having exams at the moment; Cara, Hazel & Megan Byrne, Jonathan Fakile, and for those at university – Will Mwaura, Jordan Fakile, and for others we know that they would sense God’s peace and presence at this time.

This week (Mon 22nd – Sunday 28th May)

Tuesday:	Morning prayer	6.30am, prayer room
	Leaders meeting	8pm, manse
Wednesday:	Noah’s Ark (Parent & toddler group)	10am-12pm, back hall
Sunday:	Morning service	10.30am Sanctuary

Dates for your diary

Church meeting with lunch – Sunday 4th June, 12.30pm. Everyone is welcome – please stay for lunch with us.

Change of date – Next month the Thursday morning small group is meeting on 8th June instead of 1st June

WellSpring- Sunday 11th June, 8-9pm. Come along to CHBC for an evening of worship, prayer & ministry. Take time out to enjoy God’s presence and relax as we worship together, allowing the Holy Spirit to minister to us.

Safeguarding training – Saturday 24th June. This is training for everyone involved with children and youth work within the church. If you help with creche, junior church, Creative Minds or the summer club, please make sure you are able to come to this training session.

An evening with Hope International –Wed 28th June, 8pm at CHBC

Give blood – Thursday 1st June at Dagenham & Redbridge Football Club. Ring 0300 123 23 23 or visit blood.co.uk to find out more.