

June 17th 2018



"I will be a Father to you, and you will be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty."
2 Corinthians 6:18

Welcome to our worship service today

From 10am to 12noon at Tetbury Street

Our morning begins with refreshments being served upstairs from 10am followed by a service for everyone downstairs. At 11am parents will be asked to take their children to their groups as follows:

- **Jelly Babies, Jelly Tots and Jelly Beans** for pre-school children upstairs in the Church Centre, Tetbury Street
- **Charge 123** and **Fuel 456** for children in school years 1 to 6 in The Hub
- **Youth** - upstairs at Tetbury Street

This week the service will be led by Jon Dexter and Steve Thomson's talk will focus on it being Father's Day.

Next Sunday

- Our morning begins with refreshments at 10am, followed by our service at 10.30am. The service will be led by Agnes Grace and Steve Thomson continues our series on "Who do you think you are?" – next week, the title is 'Gifted'.

During the coming week (all in the Hub)

Monday 18th: Youth 7.00pm
Wednesday 20th: Sparklets 10.00am
Friday 22nd: PEEPs 10.00am

For our prayers this week

For our prayers this week, please pray for Roger and Isha Hulford and Operation Restoration in Bolivia, and for all those at church who need God's strength and help as they face difficult times with health, money or relationships. *Please email prayer requests to prayer@minchbc.org.uk.*

Small Groups at MBC

If you would like any information about small groups at MBC, please contact the following group leaders or Sarah Beaumont (07837 035844 or sarah.beaumont@minchbc.org.uk).

An Expression of MBC in Tetbury: Andy & Raewyn Platts – 01666 500211
Berrymore Group: Jenny Bernard – 01453 872881
Group Around the Park: David Roberts & Nick Stening – 01453 872471 or 887234
Hilltop Group: Graham & Yvonne Hobbs – 01453 884778
Nailsworth Group: Gary Raw – 01453 452276
Hungry: Rowena Stapleton – 01453 299877
Logos: Sue Glanfield & Chrissie Eccles – 01453 883283 & 0145 887622
Men's Fellowship: Jim Coubrough – 01453 297974
Men's Prayer Breakfast: Nigel Stapleton – 01453 299877

Summer at MBC: Service planning is underway but we need **2 people each week** (29th July to 26th August inclusive) to do the children's programme (primary school age). Material will be provided and the session will be no longer than 45 minutes, possibly including a DVD. So if you'd be able to help out for one or more weeks, please contact Naomi Williams asap. If we can't get enough people, then unfortunately we won't be able to provide any children's work over the summer.

Football World Cup: Come and join Steve and others to watch England vs Tunisia at 7pm on Monday 18th June at the Manse (76 Glebe Road).

Sunday 8th July – after the service will be a **bring and share lunch** in The Hub, followed by our next **Shaping MBC Meeting**. Everyone is very welcome but you can only vote on relevant matters if you're a church member. If you're not already a church member but would like to be, please contact Naomi Williams.

Do you work in education - on Saturday 14th July, Steve and Rachel are inviting anyone who works in education (teachers, lecturers, caretakers, TA's, administrators etc whether in primary, secondary or further education) to their house (76 Glebe Road). Please come with your families from 5pm onwards – Steve and Rachel will provide the food but please bring your own drinks. If you like to join them, please contact Rachel (raftthomson@gmail.com) or Naomi Williams so that they know numbers for catering.

Cricket at MBC: Wednesday 20th June at 6pm against The Peak and Sunday 15th July at 1.30pm against Cirencester Baptist Church (The Annual Test Match!). Both games are to be held at Minchinhampton Cricket Club (behind the Hub). All abilities are welcome!! Contact Mike Allen (01453 884063/ mikeallen007@hotmail.co.uk) if you'd like to play.

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