



**CTNA (Christians together in the Newbury Area)**  
**prayer breakfast – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30 am** at KCC. This is not just for church leaders. It's

for anyone who wants to find out what is happening around our churches and a time of sharing and praying together.

**COINS (Christian Outreach in Newbury Schools) AGM** on Tues 16<sup>th</sup> November at 8pm at St. Marys Greenham. Come and find out what is happening in our schools

**CTNA AGM - Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November**, at 7.30 p.m. at Newbury Baptist Church, all welcome.



You can download audio & comment on the daily readings here: [www.ychurch.co](http://www.ychurch.co)

Readings for this week are:

*Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Day 68*

Leviticus 19:1 – 20:27 Mark 14:43 – 72 Proverbs 6:30 - 35

*Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Day 69*

Leviticus 21:1 – 22:33 Mark 15:1 - 32 Psalm 31:19 - 24

*Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Day 70*

Leviticus 23:1 – 24:23 Mark 15:33 – 47 Psalm 32:1 - 11

*Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November – Day 71*

Leviticus 25:1 – 26:1 Mark 16:1 – 20 Psalm 33:1 - 11

*Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November – Day 72*

Leviticus 26:14 – 27:34 Luke 1:1 – 25 Proverbs 7:1 - 5

*Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November – Day 73*

Numbers 1:1 – 2:9 Luke 1:26 - 38 Psalm 33:12 - 22

*Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November – Day 74*

Numbers 2:10 – 3:51 Luke 1:39 – 56 Psalm 34:1 - 10

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

If you want to give money to Pastor Mfisa in South Africa for his **church building project** please place in the offering in an envelope clearly marked “South Africa church building project” **We have so far collected £1,055**

**NEW CHAIRS** –The cost of new chairs, plus some new tables is around £9,000. If you wish to contribute please put your gift in an envelope in the offering bag marked “Chairs”. **We have so far collected £1965.00**



### HARVEST HOME

The hymn “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” is often sung at Christian services of thanksgiving. Written in 1844 by Henry Alford, it begins with thanks to God for crops safely gathered in before winter. But it is more than gratefulness for the bounty of the land. The hymn ends by focusing on God’s “harvest” of His people when Christ returns:

*Even so, Lord, quickly come  
To Thy final harvest-home:  
Gather Thou Thy people in,  
Free from sorrow, free from sin;  
There, forever purified,  
In Thy presence to abide:  
Come, with all Thine angels, come—  
Raise the glorious harvest-home.*

As we give thanks for material needs supplied, it's essential to remember that our plans are uncertain and our lives are a vapor that quickly disappear ([James 4:14](#)). James encourages us to be like a farmer waiting for his crops to grow and mature. “You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand” (5:8).

As we thank God for His faithful provision for our needs, let's turn our thoughts to the promised return of Jesus Christ. In patient expectation, we live for Him and look for the day when He will come to gather His glorious harvest home.

Work and pray! Continue faith  
When the Savior calleth, “Come,”  
Till at last we all are garnered  
To that heavenly harvest-home. —Stinson

**Even so, come, Lord Jesus! —[Revelation 22:20](#)**

OFFERINGS FOR SUNDAY 24th and 31st October		
9.00am	£28.00	10.30am £452.30
	£ 7.52	£2143.25
		6.30pm £142.00
		£145.00
<b>TOTAL 24.10.10 £622.30 (banked 30.10.10)</b>		
<b>31.10.10. £2295.77 (banked 02.11.10)</b>		

**Dates for your diary:** Please take note of these – it's a very busy time of year!

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> November "CAP Sunday"**

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup> November** – CAP Quiz night – This is a fundraiser for CAP. We would like teams from every activity group in the church. Please give your team names to Faramade as soon as possible or call her on 01635 36324



**Sat 1<sup>st</sup> December** – "Not ashamed day". A special day for Christians to speak out for what they believe. Sign up on the petition and also get your special badges – speak to Leslie and Steven Day for more information. The "Send a Prayer" Team are giving Christians in Newbury an opportunity to unite together to stand outside St. Nic's. If any passers-by are interested, we can let them know why we think Jesus Christ is good news for us and our country. We will be wearing the badge and hope to have leaflets written by Lord Carey to hand out.

Please email [sendaprayer@ctna.org.uk](mailto:sendaprayer@ctna.org.uk) to let them know if you are available

**Sat 11<sup>th</sup> December 7 pm Charity Auction of Promises**

in aid of OPEN DOORS Tickets £1  
 Entertainment from Rock solid, The Base Band and local contemporary singer songwriter Sophie Cooke Refreshments for sale  
 Items or services needed to auction PLEASE!

Already we have a complete 'start to pass' driving package from Sue at Tony Hart Driving School!!!! And other great pledges too

Tickets for sale from Shoemakers, or Zoe or Raine. Tel 40330 for info

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December – 10.30 service traditional carol service** and presentation by Kidzchurch.



**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December – 6.30 service – visit of Mark and Rahel Landrum** on behalf of Jews for Jesus.

**Carol singing** – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> (evening) and Sat 18<sup>th</sup> (morning and evening) If you were in our "choir" last year please put these dates in your diary – sign up sheet will be available next week!

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> December** – 10.30am **Divine healing service**  
 6.30 pm **Christmas Special**



**SERVICES OVER CHRISTMAS - NO service on Christmas eve**

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> December – 10.00am – 11.00am **Family service**

Sun 26<sup>th</sup> December - 10.30 service only.

We will also be doing something special on New Year's Eve – more details to follow!



**HOMEGROUPS** To prepare for this week's homegroup please read Nehemiah 7 v 1 - 3



**To join a homegroup speak to Ian (phone 01636 42077) or Rose (phone 01635 580346 or 07842164934)**

**HOSPITALITY NEEDED** - Mark and Rahel Landrum from "Jews for Jesus" are visiting KCC on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December and will require accommodation for that night (they will be speaking at our evening service). They will want to leave on the Monday morning after breakfast. Please can you email Rose or speak to her if you are willing to do this. Thanks!

**NEWS FROM BASE :** The Base team are leading a worship service for all Newbury youth on Dec 4<sup>th</sup> – please pray for the band and for all the youth to encounter the living God.

**Rainbow Activity Centre needs you!**

Are you free week mornings? Would you like to help this growing ministry? Rainbow would love you to come along and help them. There are opportunities to chat to the mums, help clear up and wash up, help with craft, cleaning toys – and much more. Please talk to Jayne Rankin if you want to find out more. Jayne can be contacted on Newbury 872536 or email [Jayne.rankin@gmail.com](mailto:Jayne.rankin@gmail.com). Thanks!

