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Readings for this week are:

Sunday 19th December – Day 110

Deuteronomy 31:30–32:52 Luke 19:45–20:26 Psalm 48:9 - 14

Monday 20th December – Day 111

Deuteronomy 33:1 – 34:1 Luke 20:27 – 21:4 Psalm 49:1 - 20

Tuesday 21st December – Day 112

Joshua 1:1 – 2:24 Luke 21:5 – 38 Proverbs 10:11 - 20

Wednesday 22nd December – Day 113

Joshua 3:1 – 5:12 Luke 22:1 – 38 Psalm 50: 1 - 15

Thursday 23rd December – Day 114

Joshua 5:13 – 7:26 Luke 22:39 – 62 Psalm 50: 16 - 23

Friday 24th December – Day 115

Joshua 8:1 – 9:15 Luke 22:63 – 23:25 Psalm 51: 1 - 9

Saturday 25th December – Day 116

Joshua 9: 16 – 10:43 Luke 23:26 – 56 Proverbs 10:21 - 30



Prayer requests

Pray for the lunch on Christmas day being organised by CTNA – that this will be a very special event for those who go.

Pray for those who are homeless at this time of year when it is very cold. Pray that they will get the help that they need. Pray for organisations like Loose Ends who help the homeless.

Pray for all our services over Christmas that we will get lots of visitors and that they will have an encounter with the living God and understand the REAL meaning of Christmas



News from Base:

We are now working towards our big launch on January 15th. We have Chip Kendall as our guest speaker (for those not up to date he's a Christian singer) please pray for this

event as we really need your support. Thanks the Base Team

Jesus is the reason for the season!



Newsletter

IMPOSSIBLE SITUATIONS

Luke 2:37 *For with God nothing shall be impossible.*

For years Elizabeth longed for a child, but it wasn't until she was well past her childbearing years that the angel Gabriel visited her husband Zacharias while he served in the temple and announced that she would have a son. Impossible! It was too late.



Six months later, a young virgin who was pledged to be married, sat in her home many miles away. Without warning, this same Gabriel appeared and brought news that stunned her. She, who had never been intimate with any man, would conceive and bear the long-awaited Messiah. Impossible! It was too soon.

Gabriel delivered promises of hope sent from God. No doubt Elizabeth and Mary clung tenaciously to his words because biologically neither of them should have been able to have a child. It was impossible, yet both of these precious ladies knew the scriptures and they awaited the fulfilment of God's plan. Each believed the words of Gabriel when he came to them, and they rejoiced. They were ready to see God's power at work.

The same God that brought life to an old and barren womb, and then formed a child in the body of a virgin, is still at work today. Through all of the centuries His power has not diminished! His plan has not been altered! His promises have never been broken! What impossible situation are you facing today? Turn to the One who has what it takes to meet your every need. Surrender to His purpose. Cling to His promises and claim His power. Let the God of the impossible rearrange the pieces of your problem and bring you hope and joy.

Almighty God, throughout this Christmas season, let me be mindful of the fact that You are the God of the impossible. Open my eyes to see Your hand at work all around me.

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19th December 2010

Christmas @ KCC

Sunday 19th December – 10.30 – Divine Healing Service and presentation by Rock Solid

6.30 - Christmas Special! And presentation by Rock Solid – this will be an evening of fun and entertainment as well as carols – followed by mince pies!

A good event to invite family and friends to.



CHRISTMAS EVE - Fri 24th December – 11.30pm – Christmas Eve communion

CHRISTMAS DAY - Sat 25th December – 10.00am – 11.00am Family service
 Sun 26th December - 10.30 service only.

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

Looking forward to 2011 – please put these dates in your new diary!

8th Jan 2011 - Men's breakfast at KCC 8.00am

Week of prayer and fasting – date changed – more news after Christmas



15th Jan - Base "Launch" – an evening of Praise and worship for young people from across Newbury. More details nearer the time

15th January – football match - @ the Reading FC training dome, next to the Madejski Stadium off junction 11 of the M4.

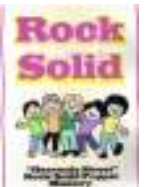
We are playing against a team from the Mortimer West End Chapel.

We have the Y-Church kids team playing there from 3 - 4 pm if anyone wants to come along & support them.

Then at 4pm we have an adults game for anyone over the age of 14 who wants to come along & join in. If people want to play can they either: leave their contact details on the list I have left on an A4 pad at the back of the Church or alternatively contact James on 07825 779 456. There is a £5 charge for each player as we are using a facility used by pro football players.

23rd Jan - service from 10.00 – 10.50 followed by church AGM to which all partners are invited.

MONDAY 20TH DECEMBER – 11.00am
"HEAVENLY STREET" puppets present a Christmas Special. This is open to ANYONE. There will be coffee and refreshments afterwards so if you could bake a cake that would be great. Also some of the Rainbow children and parents/carers will be singing some Christmas songs they have been learning!



OFFERINGS FOR SUNDAY 12th December

9.00am	no service	10.30am	£278.61	6.30pm	£131.60 given to Jews for Jesus
TOTAL banked on 7.12.10				£278.61	

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 £2,065**

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 the offering bag in an envelope marked "Chairs". **We have so far collected £3,120.00**

On Christmas morning it is traditional that we take up a collection for Pastor Ian and his family as a token of our love and thanks - so please come along prepared to bless our Pastor and his family.

AUCTION FOR OPEN DOORS – this was a very successful event and raised in the region of £1600. Money is still coming in for this, so we will let you have a total when all monies are collected. Over £1000 has been banked already.

CAROL SINGING – Our two open-air carol singing events raised £43.94 for CAP

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT – WEDDING BELLS.....

David Sharp and Sallie Hillman-Copeland have announced their engagement. They are planning to get married in 2011.

CONGRATULATIONS TO DAVID AND SALLIE FROM ALL OF US AT KCC!

