

BULLETIN

Forest Fold Baptist Church
London Road Crowborough TN6 1TD www.forestfold.org.uk

13 Apr 2025

Jesus said

“ And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself “ John 12v32

Regular Worship Times

Sunday 10.20 am Prayer Time ; 11.15 am & 6.30pm Services at FF & Live stream via website

Thursdays 7.30pm (Not live streamed)

Communion Services on first Sunday each month at 3.00pm

Forthcoming Services

Sun 13 Apr 11.15 am John Cowley “ He cannot save himself” Matt 27v42

Sun 13 Apr 6.30pm John Cowley “ “ What a come down” Exo 32

NB No Evening Service on Thursday

Good Friday 18 Apr 6.30pm Including Communion David Skull preaching. Followed by coffee and cake

Easter Sunday 20 Apr 10.30 am Easter All Age Service . Mark Philpott . Hot Cross buns and Easter Eggs for children after the service

Easter Sun 20 Apr 6.30pm Evening Service followed by a time of singing

Thurs 24 Apr 7.30pm Prayer Meeting with groups

Sun 27 Apr 11.15 am Morning Service (**Fellowship Meal** after. Please sign up on list in Foyer)

Sun 27 Apr 6.30pm Evening Service

Meetings and Notices

Tues 15 Apr 6.0pm Elders and Deacons meal and Meeting

Wed 16 Apr 7.30pm Men's Bible Study

17 and 18 May Spring Bible Weekend

Tues 22 Apr 7.30pm Quarterly Church Meeting

Thurs 15 May 7.30pm Stanley Delves Trust Annual Meeting at FF Geoff Thomas preaching

Sat 7 June Southern Women's Convention (SGP) at All Saints. Fully Booked .

Finance

Giving in March Day to Day General Fund. Balance £8668. Income £10892 Expenses £7990

Charity of the month April :

Open Doors Ministry for the persecuted Church

Financial Questions should be sent to finance@forestfold.org.uk

There are **Giving Forms** in the Entrance Hall Donations generally can be made via the Church bank account-details on “Charity of Month” information on the notice board. **Send all FF expense claims (including a note of the total amount) to expenses@forestfold.org.uk**

Information

Worship services can be accessed from our **website** <https://forestfold.org.uk> by live video streaming. Use the “Listen Live” button. Video recordings are now available on the “Video” tab and sound recordings on the “Sermon Download” button or from the Forest Fold App. For friends **without internet access** services can now be heard through the telephone. To join our live streamed services dial 01892 335466.

For messages, prayer and praise points for the Bulletin please email bulletin@forestfold.org.uk

**Proclaiming the Truth
Honouring the Lord
Serving the people**

Pray for:

- ◇ God to be glorified as we worship Him together today
- ◇ John as he preaches for us today
- ◇ Martin Hook at Lewes Prison this morning
- ◇ David Skull as he prepares to preach at our Good Friday service
- ◇ The Elders and Deacons as they meet on Tuesday
- ◇ Ruth Dickinson as she recovers in Tunbridge Wells hospital and for the team as they plan her future care. Also for Roger as he undergoes treatment at East Grinstead Hospital on Tuesday
- ◇ The family of John Barton whose funeral is arranged for Friday 25 April with the burial at Halland at 11.00am and memorial service at FF at 1.00pm
- ◇ The Saywell's who have now serving God in The Philippines for 3 years

Give thanks for

Those who preach for us week by week and all who lead and teach our children and young people groups

Preachers in May

Sun 4 May 6.30pm Joe Percy (Guildford)

Sun 11 May 6.30pm Martin Hook

Cyprus Lefkosa Message from James Swanson

“There are three main prayer points

- 1, For Philip as he is really not very well and waiting test results and further treatment.
- 2, For us as a church and particularly the Turkish side as we need to press on while Philip is out of action,
- 3, For Rachel and I as we have increased responsibilities and the challenge of doing more in Turkish.”

Safeguarders

Our safeguarders are Jean Hare, Kate Bishop and Dave Holman

Bookings of FF Church Hall

Please book through bookings@forestfold.org.uk or Jenny Baldwin on 07856 539152

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