



“Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is – his good, pleasing and perfect will.”



Romans Chapter 12 verse 2

SUNDAY 12th JANUARY 2025

10:30 Worship Service with Guest Speaker – Peter Twigg, Lighthouse Church, Teignmouth Christian Hub
Eagles & Owls meet this week
Bring Your Own Fellowship Lunch

Live at the hall. For those at the hall there will be opportunity for socialising. Refreshments will be served at the end of service.

Live on Zoom which will be open from about 10:20am.
If you miss a sermon the recording will be made available the following week on our website. More instructions for Zoom and the Sermon recording are at the end of this newsletter.



Prayer chain Nat Bond 01626 366668 email: natfromfife@gmail.com

If you are not on the chain at the moment, would like to put things on the prayer chain or would like to be involved please talk to Nat.



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Please remember this week's diary in your daily prayers

Monday 13th	19:30	Leadership Meeting
Tuesday 14th	09:00	KILTS' set up
	10:30	KILTS families arrive
Sunday 19th	10:30	Communion Worship Service Eagles & Owls meet

If you have a regular group which meets and you wish to add it to the diary prayers, please do let me know – kbcscscribe@hotmail.com



Notes for your diary

- **Church Members' Meeting** – 21st January 1930hrs MHS
- **Friday Outing** – 24th January
- **THAT Collection** – 26th January
- **Church@Prayer** – 27th January
- **Introduction to the Old Testament** – 1st February ([see below](#))
- **Hub/Pathways Taster Day** – 8th February ([see below](#))

UPCOMING EVENTS SWBA

Pathways: "Introduction to the Old Testament" – Saturdays 11th January & 1st February 10am until 3.30pm, SWBA Exeter.

Rev Dr Helen Paynter, Director of Theological Education and Tutor in Biblical Studies at Bristol Baptist College will be teaching a module over the above two Saturdays to help us “engage with the OT and think about how to use and apply its themes and messages in your life and ministry.”

Further details are available by following this link: <https://www.swbaptists.org.uk/pathways/>

[Pathways: Hub/Pathways Taster Day](#) - Saturday 8th February 10am until 4pm, SWBA Offices

“Whether you are considering fully accredited Baptist Ministry, starting one of the Pathway options or just interested to know what options are available, this day is for you.”

Further details are available by following the above link.

THAT COLLECTION - 26TH JANUARY - KCBC's first collection of 2025. Thank you everyone for your on-going generosity to our quarterly foodbank donations. Sadly food poverty continues to be a fact of life for too many in our society, so whatever we may be able to provide may it be a blessing to those in need.

Items specifically required are:

**Toilet Rolls, Toiletries and Laundry products
Custard, Rice Pudding, Jam and Sugar
Gravy Granules and Instant Mash**

Just a gentle reminder that items need to be in date, otherwise the Foodbank is unable to redistribute.

We pray that these items may provide relief to those who receive them as we contemplate on the Word of God: **“Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ” - Galatians 6:2.**

Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing” 1 Thess. 5:11



From time to time we all need an extra word of encouragement, a boost or a spiritual hug, so if you have something you'd like to share with the whole fellowship, please do pass it along - a Bible Verse, a particular passage, a faith song, study resource, an idea or simply a passing thought. If you feel that something has been of benefit to you, and you want to share kbcscscribe@hotmail.com

“So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand” Isaiah 41:10



Dear Lord, as we look ahead to this new year, we thank you for your continued presence in our individual and family lives and in the life of KCBC, your church in this community. Each of us will approach you with our own praise and petitions, knowing that nothing can be achieved in our own strength, but with you nothing is impossible. We have learned over the years, Lord, the answers you provide might not be as we hoped or expected but we understand that you have a plan and a purpose in our lives and the life of KCBC and that you fulfil every promise you have made. So we need only sit and listen to what you are saying to us and pray that we are obedient servants, just as our Lord Jesus taught us.

Lord, our human expectations, and desires are but mere whispers and longings of a fallen people but when we truthfully, honestly, humbly, and reverently approach you, we know you hear us, listen to our hearts, and will answer.

Thank you Lord that you never leave us, that you do not expect us to struggle on our own, that in both times of hardship and times of joy you are present at the centre of every situation waiting for us to turn to you.

So, Lord, be with us we pray as we venture into this new year. Guide our thoughts and actions, fill us with compassion and grant us that peace and deep joy found only through you. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.



Christian Response to Eastern Europe

[A reminder](#) – The Christmas lorry was loaded on Tuesday 3rd December, and in 2024 a total of 5,500 Christmas boxes were sent to Moldova and Ukraine. Our Christmas appeal was very well supported again this year, and we are very grateful to all the people who so generously filled the boxes. It is very expensive to make a good Christmas box, and many families and groups joined together to make a fantastic box. If you would like to see the video of the Christmas aid being

unloaded please click here:

<https://www.facebook.com/689261597/videos/1156777869146608/>

There is so much more happening in Moldova and Ukraine that requires our prayers if you would like to know more about the ongoing prayer requests or answers to prayer please ask Sarah.

If you would like further information about CR2EE or have anything to donate, Nick & Sarah would be only too pleased to hear from you, as they will continue to collect items to send over during 2025. Something to note: when we all get around to preparing our 2025 Christmas Boxes(!) we may find it difficult to buy hats and scarves so why not take a look at the sales now and be prepared!

Thank you for everything you so generously continue to donate to CR2EE

KingsCare Warm Space - Running now until April 2025. Everyone is welcome to attend there is no charge - includes a free cuppa and biscuits, chat, games, information about local community services & support, and advice on benefit support and energy, if required. Important details - No need to book, Fridays 2pm til 4pm, Mary Hall Suite, Community Hall, free to all!

The Last Word "We really enjoyed playing with and acting out the Travelling Nativity - the children, one a Star the other acting out the story with the figures, mummy the Narrator and daddy the audience. Thank you."

How to join the Sunday Service via Zoom

1. Go onto the internet and type kcbchurch.org.uk
2. On the Home Page in the top right-hand corner is a green bar and on it is written "online service" with an arrow.
3. Click on the green bar/arrow and you'll go to the online services page.
4. On Sunday morning there will be a link title "Join Zoom Meeting" click the link and Zoom should open and connect you to the meeting.



Sermon Recordings

The Sunday service is recorded but we only post the sermon on the website.

From the website homepage there is a link on the righthand side labelled "Recent Sermons" - this will take you to a page with all the recent sermons. The latest sermon is at the top, click either the audio only link or the video link.

