

**2012 - Year of opportunity in Scarborough!**

Conferences

**ECG (Equipping, Calling, Going). The Journey.** 10 - 15 April

at the Spa. Flyers now available in the church entrance.

If you live within a 20 mile radius of Scarborough, you are entitled to a 50% discount on the price of a weekly ticket, if you have a voucher. If you require a voucher please see Ray Beadle.

Ray and Sheena can tell you more about ECG.

*CVM (Christian Vision for Men)/ North East Coast Men's Day*

*at S.C.F. Saturday 11 Feb. 9.30 - 4.30. Book via Nick Welford,*

*nwelford@me.com, 07528 550240 or*

*[www.facebook.com/events/359775567370600](http://www.facebook.com/events/359775567370600)*

*Flyers available.*

*Evangelistic Men's Breakfast*

*Rugby Club, Sat. 10 Mar. 8.45 to 10.30*

*For all Scarborough Churches to invite non-Christian men to hear speaker, Douglas Greenfield. Cost £7. Book with Ray Beadle by*

*26th Feb. Tel. 351109, [ray.beadle@btinternet.com](mailto:ray.beadle@btinternet.com).*

Hi Everyone!

Just a quick note to say thank you to everyone who has sent us cards and messages. Jo is continuing to heal well from the operation and hopefully time will tell that it has improved the MG. Oli is busy at work and we have just moved house again so are settling into the new place. We appreciate your continued prayers for us and pray you will all have a happy and peaceful 2012.

Love Oli and Jo Preston.

**Welcome to Ebenezer Baptist Church**

**TODAY - Sunday February 5th 2012**

**10.30am Worship & Word: God in our Future (Ruth 4)**

**7.30pm – 8.45pm United Prayer Service venue is now at Holy Apostles –  
Auborough Rooms, Castle Road**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February at 12.00 mid-day here at E.B.C.**

**Jean Bang's Thanksgiving Service**

**Jean went to be with the Lord on Tuesday night, surrounded by her family. They said she passed away peacefully. We rejoice that she is now with her Lord and enjoying His presence.**

**ALL WELCOME**

**Join with us to give thanks for Jean's life**

**PLEASE REMEMBER THE FAMILY IN YOUR PRAYERS**

**SUNDAYS in February**

**12<sup>th</sup> – 10.30am Worship & Word (Matt G)**

**6.30pm Service led by Young Adults Cell**

**19<sup>th</sup> – 10.30am Worship, Word (John Wells), & Communion**

**6.30pm Praise & Testimony Service led by David Grassam**

**26<sup>th</sup> - 10.30am All Age Service led by Bruce Clark**

**6.30pm Worship & Word (Bruce)**

**PRAYER**

**Bert and Violet are in need of our prayer.**

**Pray for Michael as he prepares for his sabbatical visit to Zoraida and her church – Las Acacias in Caracas, Venezuela.**

**Michael flies off to Venezuela early Tuesday morning for 3 weeks. This is the first part of his sabbatical. He asks for prayer that this time would be fruitful, and that we would pray for Cath who will be on her own during this time.**

Dear "Ebbie" Friends,

Thank you very much indeed for all the love which you have shown me and my family since the "crossing over" of my dear Mark. There was Michael, Anna and Nick's visits on the first day, then all the cards and gifts which have helped to ease the pain. And all those who came to share the funeral and memorial services - I am truly grateful. For those who came to help lead the singing, for Nick's sermon, and again Michael's sensitive leading of the prayers. And for all your prayers HE has been answering and blessing. THANK YOU. Please keep praying! with my love to you all, Frances Simons.

#### KESWICK 2012

There is a twin room available in the house that a few of us rent in Keswick for the convention - July 21st to July 28th. If you would like to be part of that please Eunice for more details or to confirm your interest.

#### Prayer List 2012

A new prayer list has been published and copies are available in the church entrance. I have tried to include everyone who attends Ebbe. If your name is missing or mis-spelt, my apologies and please let me know. The names are divided up so each person can be prayed for once a month and each ministry once a week. There is also room for you to add your own prayer requests. Keep the list in front of the bible you use for your daily devotions. - David Grassam.

#### The Beach Team

An opportunity to learn how to communicate the gospel to all ages; to make new friends, work with others and learn how to depend on God; try new things without pressure and make mistakes without embarrassment; gain confidence and fresh enthusiasm for evangelism - join The Beach Team this year.

Missions

will be held in England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Italy, Spain and Portugal. Application forms are on the table at the back of church.

*David Grassam*

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#### OLIVER'S MOUNT PRAYER

Saturday February 11th. Meet at Oliver's Mount at 9am or at church if weather is bad.

#### KITCHEN MISSIONAL MEETING

Sue and Bill hold the monthly Missional meeting for The Kitchen on the first Wednesday of every month at their house. Phone Sue on 07888998962 to get the address!

#### MEN'S DAY SATURDAY FEBRUARY 11TH SCARBOROUGH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Doors open at 9-30 for a 10-30 start. finishing at 4-30. Dean Gray from CVM and Mark Tanner, Warden at Cranmer hall will be leading a day of talks. seminars, worship and a floor dedicated entirely to fun. £15 includes a cooked lunch.

Early booking will be a great help for the caterers so, if you are going to join us for the day please contact Nick Welford on [nwelford@mac.com](mailto:nwelford@mac.com) or 07582550240. You can pay on the day but early booking is helpful.

#### Needed for ECG Conference

Amy Wyatt, who is involved with the children's work at the conference, asks if anyone has a bouncing castle and/or some indoor football nets that they would be willing to lend her for the conference. She will need them at The Spa from Monday evening 9th April until Saturday night. If you can help her contact details are [chatmoretoami@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:chatmoretoami@yahoo.co.uk)  
t: 01782 575129 m: 07736 953860

For up to date info on the conference see article on **ECG The Journey**.

#### Christian Institute.

Those of us went to C.I. meeting were impressed by the way they help us as churches to be salt and light in education and politics with wise counsel. They represent our churches by their campaigning, and by helping us to be a Kingdom influence in our fallen society through informing us what to pray for, what and how to write letters to influential people, and join their campaigns.

There are some very helpful leaflets at the back.