

# Wantage Community Church

Hope for the future - Hope for now



## February 9<sup>th</sup> 2020

Welcome to our morning service. We hope you feel at home here - if you would like prayer or would like to know more about Christianity please talk to the meeting leader, the speaker or the person on the welcome desk.

*This morning Neil is continuing our new series in Ephesians. He'll be speaking on Ephesians 1:13 - 2:10, who we are as Christian.*

### Welcome ...

**Welcome to Wantage Community Church!**

It is great to have you with us this morning. We hope that you feel at home with us.

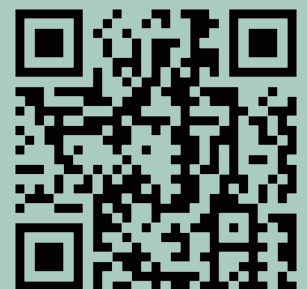
*Please note after the meeting children remain the responsibility of their parents at all times. Children are not allowed in any of the classrooms and ideally should remain in the hall.*

If you would like to **borrow a Bible** for today's meeting, please ask a steward at the front door.

We will be taking an **offering** as part of our worship today. For more information on giving to the church, contact Neil on 01235 771152

If you would like someone to pray with you after the meeting, please talk to the meeting leader.

**If you would like to sign up to our email /text list please talk to Neil.**




**Adventure Ready? Kids Camp!**  
23 - 24 May 2020 at Court Hill near Wantage  
For children in Year 1 - Year 6  
Email [tessa@casebase.co.uk](mailto:tessa@casebase.co.uk) for a camp form

*Advance Notice:  
The Kings School Open Day*

## THE KINGS SCHOOL, WITNEY

OPEN DAY : Saturday 7th March 2020  
from 10.30am – 12.30pm,  
with a talk from our Principal at 11am.




**FOR THE NATION  
25 - 30 JULY 2020**  
LENCHWOOD CHRISTIAN CENTRE  
Book online at [saltlight.org/transform2020](http://saltlight.org/transform2020)

Transform 2020 "For the Nation" will be a time of fresh encounter with Christ, the commander of the Lord's army. It will be a time during which God will help us break through the limits of our faith.

We will encounter fresh levels of expectation of what is possible within our towns, cities and nation as we align with the one who promised us he'd give us every bit of ground we were prepared to put our feet on.

With speakers Gavin & Anne Calver.

***If you'd like to go but money is an issue - talk to your small group leader or Neil & D***

Visit [saltlight.org](http://saltlight.org) for more info or go to the facebook page



## Forthcoming Events

**We run a number of local events for the community**

**Baby & Toddler Group** - every Friday in term time talk to D, Jenny, Linda, Kristal or Jo Mums, dads, grandparents, carers & mums to be all welcome. 9.15- 11.15 Wantage Methodist Church Hall.

Starting again on Friday 10th January

**Dad's out: 10-11.30 Wantage Methodist Church Hall** for all dads and male carers of children aged 0-5(Ish) (typically 3rd Saturday of each month) next one: 15th Feb

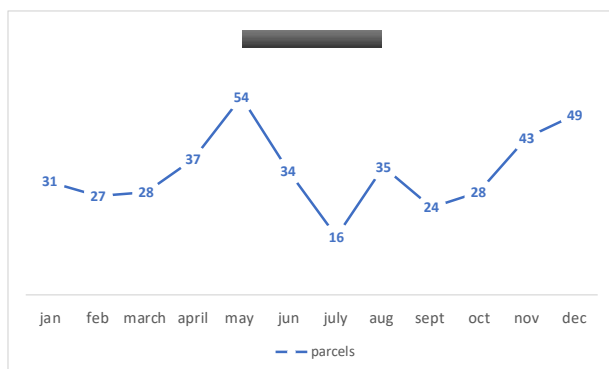
**Men's Meal** (typically 1st Friday of each month) Talk to Tyrone or Andy White.  
Next one:

**Sunday Social The Hill's - an informal time of eating and talking for everyone!**  
(Typically 1st Sunday of each month)  
Next one tbc

**Prayer & Worship Evenings for everyone!**  
(Typically 2nd Sunday of each month)  
Next one: Cornerstone February 9th

## FoodBank

*We are very grateful for all of the time, money and food people donate. Last year we gave out 406 parcels to needy families - not including 46 summer parcels to cover school breakfast & lunches and 110 Christmas parcels. So thank you! For more detailed numbers email D :)*



## Young People

*We still need 2 more youth workers on a Sunday morning - you would be supporting Dan, Andrew, Liz & Sarah - so you wouldn't be on your own!!*

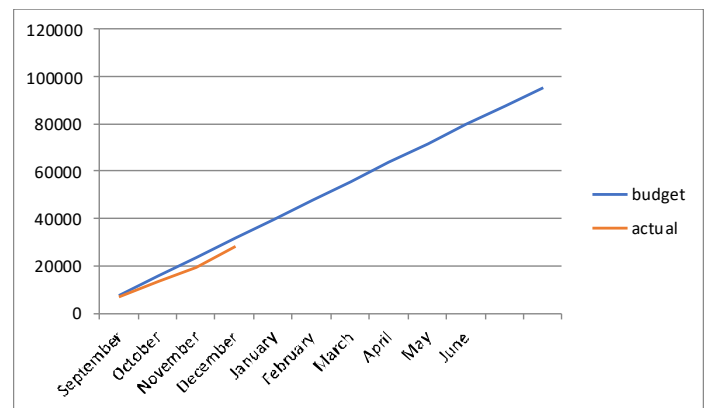
**We really want to invest in our young people so please talk to Dan Harbour**  
([Danharbour@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:Danharbour@yahoo.co.uk))



Prayer space is happening at King Alfreds over lunchtimes. If you could spend 30 minutes manning the space with Jane Beckley please contact Jane on [jbeckley@kaacademy.org](mailto:jbeckley@kaacademy.org)

## Finances

Many thanks for all your generosity in tithing and giving to WCC. Here's the finance graph for our "year to date". Our financial year starts in September:



The blue "budget" line is a predicted annual spend for the year evenly spread through the year - what it costs to run WCC. The red line is the actual general giving so far this year. Income is slightly behind, but not excessively.

Again, many thanks for your generosity, please pray with us for God's provision that we might invest more and more in what he is calling us to do.

Finally, a massive thank you also to all who have given to our building fund, which now stands at over £87,000! Praise God.

## Contact Us

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