

Sunday Services at Springfield Hall

09:00 Morning Worship

11:30 Mid-morning
Worship with live
stream (online)

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Whilst you are no longer required to social distance, we encourage you to do so and adhere to the following:

- Access to the church is limited to those with a seat booked (ticket)
- A seat must be pre-booked using the link above at least 12 hours before the service
- **Senior citizens can book over the phone.** Please call 020 8801 1873 each Friday between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon)
- Wear a face mask when on site
- Sanitise your hands on entry
- You will be required to present your reservation receipt on entry (Paper-based or phone screen)

You can join the 11:30 live streamed online service via the [PCF website](#), and [YouTube](#)

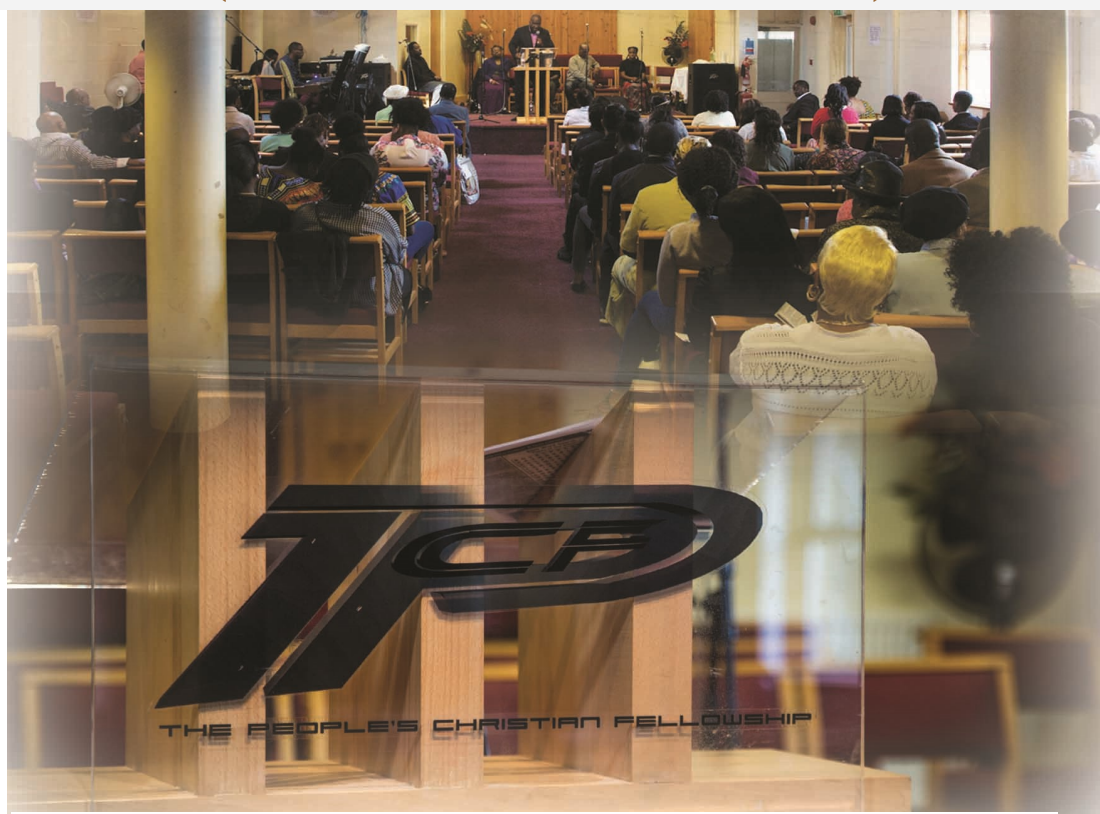
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SPRING INTO ACTION

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(This edition will cover the month of October)



SERVING WITH JOY

'Whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.' 1 Corinthians 10:31

Joni Eareckson Tada once wrote: 'Elsie runs a Christian home for young girls who have left lives of prostitution and drug dealing on the streets of Hollywood. She walks the streets, shares the gospel, and leads these girls to Christ. If these new converts truly desire to change their lives and commit to new responsibilities, they can have a place in Elsie's home.'

Pam is one such convert. She is a Christian with a sweet spirit, she bears scars

from knife fights and heroin needles. However, she shares her role with joy and deep appreciation and explains, "I scrub the toilets and bathrooms... That's my job and I love it!" This young woman was so grateful to have structure in her life, safety in her surroundings, and an honest-to-goodness job of service in Christ's kingdom, that a day of ministry in Elsie's home was far better than a thousand days lived in the sordid pursuit of self-destructive pleasures. Her humble spirit towards her job and delight in cleaning toilets sprang from a

keen awareness of her role in the body of Christ. Few believers have a background like Pam's, but every day each of us rolls our sleeves up to accomplish menial, basic tasks like changing oil [in the car], changing ink cartridges in printers, or changing [nappies].'

There are so many everyday tasks but when we 'serve the Lord with gladness' (Psalm 100:2) we will be able to find joy in them because we remember who we are working for.

Stay connected with prayer at PCF

You are warmly invited to join us each week:

Tuesdays

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Wednesdays

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

and

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Saturday mornings

7:00 to 8:00 am


Email connect@tpcf.org.uk to request the link to join by Zoom

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Convention 2021: 'Let the Church be the Church'

The Events Team are currently planning PCF's 2021 Annual **Convention which will take place from Friday 29th to Sunday 31st October**. The theme is 'Let the Church be the Church' based on Matthew 5: 13-16.

The convention venue will be Springfield Hall and live streaming platforms.

Further information will be available closer to the date, including registering your attendance for both online and Springfield Hall. You are encouraged to join this year's convention to glorify the Lord and praise His Holy name. Already, we are excited as we await God's presence, His marvellous works and we join in corporate praise and worship plus the Anointed Word brought to us by a number of Ministers.

a brief word of

Encouragement

"Acts of Kindness"

"... I will draw water for your camels also." Genesis 24:19 (Hebrews 13:2 NLT). Rebekah's giving Eliezer a drink of water was kind, but expected. But it was much more unusual to offer water for the camels. One camel can drink forty gallons, and Eliezer had ten of them. Drawing enough water from the well, one bucketful at a time, would have taken ages and been very hard work. Rebekah was generous to a stranger, **seeking nothing but the joy of serving**. What she didn't know was that these camels would transport her back to Isaac, who would make her his bride, shower her with great wealth, and put her in the lineage of Christ.

One day Abraham sent his servant Eliezer to find a wife for his son Isaac. As he was standing by a small town well, Eliezer prayed, 'Let the woman who offers to water my camels be the one you have chosen.' Suddenly Rebekah showed up and said, 'I will draw water for your camels also' (see Genesis 24:13-19). Rebekah had no idea that Eliezer would change her life. She didn't know that her act of kindness would open the door to great blessing.

In the Old Testament times, it was customary to offer water to a stranger. It was called the law of hospitality. The Hebrews believed the words: 'Don't forget to show hospitality to strangers, for some who have done this have entertained angels without realising it!' In Matthew 5:41, Jesus encourages us to go the extra mile. That's what Rebekah did, and that's what we should also try to do – not **only doing what's expected of us, but a little bit more too**.



Celebrating Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries in October

Jasmine Stevenson Fri 1st
 Elder Martin Finegan Tue 5th
 Pastor David & Donna Daniel's
 Wedding Anniversary Thu 7th
 Deaconess Helena Lynch Fri 8th
 Raymond & Yvette Lewis'
 Wedding Anniversary Fri 8th

Jolly Williams Mon 11th
 George Wilson Tue 12th
 Yvonne Simpson Wed 13th
 Lois Ekipitini Wed 13th
 Maliha Johnson-Powell Thu 14th
 Josiah Peters Thu 14th
 Mia Hird Fri 15th
 Charlene Earnest Fri 15th

Karar Daniel Tue 19th
 Johnel Lynch Thu 21st
 Jannelle Thu 21st
 Daniel Alleyne Sat 23rd

Mahli Isaac Sun 24th
 Patrick Myers Sun 24th
 Leonie Robertson Sun 24th
 Grace Simpson Sun 24th
 Elder Martin & Lorraine Finegan's
 Wedding Anniversary Sun 24th
 Courtney Daniel Mon 25th
 Seymour & Pauline McCalla's
 Wedding Anniversary Tue 26th
 Callum Daniel Wed 27th
 Jayden Johnson Wed 27th
 Paulette Miller Sat 30th
 Iwona Pajak Sun 31st
 Jamie Dobson Sun 31st

ENCOURAGEMENT AS YOU CELEBRATE

***"But the fruit of the Spirit is love,
 joy, peace, patience, kindness,
 goodness, faithfulness, gentleness,
 self-control; against such things
 there is no law."
 Galatians 5:22-23***

***"Now to him who is able to do far
 more abundantly than all that we
 ask or think, according to the
 power at work within us, to him be
 glory in the church and in Christ
 Jesus throughout all generations,
 forever and ever. Amen."
 Ephesians 3: 20-21***

***"Blessed is the one who perseveres
 under trial because, having stood
 the test, that person will receive the
 crown of life that the Lord has
 promised to those who love him."
 James 1:12***

***"But I say unto you, Love your
 enemies, bless them that curse
 you, do good to them that hate
 you, and pray for them which
 despitefully use you, and persecute
 you."
 Matthew 5:44***

*We want to celebrate
 with you and your family.
 Whether you are a
 member or regularly
 attend PCF, let's
 celebrate together. E-
 mail your dates to
SIA@tpcf.org.uk and we
 will get them printed in
 SIA.*

*Do you have some
 encouragement you
 would like to share with
 SIA's readers? Please e-
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*Be still
 and know
 that I am
 God*
 -PSALM 46:10



ANSWERS:-THE GOOD SAMARITAN:

- 1) a priest and a Levite
- 2) The Jews and Samaritans were enemies
- 3) Extend your love to everyone in the world.
- 4) Temple leaders had become legalistic and forgotten the spirit of the Law

ANSWERS-MIRACLES OF JESUS

- 1) Turning water into wine
- 2) Simon Peter's
- 3) Sleeping
- 4) Jairus
- 5) 5 loaves and 2 fishes

THE GOOD SAMARITAN

1) In Jesus' Parable of the Good Samaritan, a Jewish man had been beaten by robbers and left beside the road to die. Who passed by but did not stop to help the injured man?

- a priest and an elder of the temple
- a Levite and an elder of the temple
- a priest and a Levite
- a priest, a Levite and an elder of the temple.

2) Finally, a Samaritan man passed by, took pity on the poor man who had been robbed and beaten, bandaged his wounds, put him on his own donkey, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. Why is it significant that the man was a Samaritan.

- Samaritans were known for their generosity.
- The Jews and Samaritans were enemies.
- The Samaritan man was in a foreign country.
- The Jews and Samaritans were allies against the Romans.

3) What is the primary lesson of this parable?

- Be prepared for the second coming of Jesus.
- Temple leaders had become legalistic and forgotten the spirit of the Law.
- Money is the root of all evil.
- Extend your love to everyone in the world.

4) What is a secondary lesson of this parable?

- Be prepared for the second coming of Jesus.
- Temple leaders had become legalistic and forgotten the spirit of the Law.
- Money is the root of all evil.
- Extend your love to everyone in the world.

MIRACLES OF JESUS

1) Jesus performed many miracles during His ministry, and they served as signs that the Kingdom of God had truly come.

What was Jesus' first miracle?

- Walking on water
- Turning water into wine
- Feeding 5000 with the loaves and fishes
- Cursing the fig tree

2) Whose mother-in-law did Jesus heal when she had a fever?

- Martha's
- Mary Magdalene's
- Matthew's
- Simon Peter's

3) As Jesus and His disciples were crossing the Sea of Galilee in a boat, a terrible storm arose and threatened to drown them. Jesus rebuked the wind and waves and the storm disappeared.

What was Jesus doing when the storm arose?

- Praying
- Sleeping
- Eating a meal
- Explaining the parables to His disciples

4) Whose daughter did Jesus bring back to life?

- Jairus'
- Herod's
- Simon Peter's
- Martha's

5) Jesus miraculously broke just a few loaves of bread and fishes and fed 5000 men, plus women and children. How many loaves and fishes did he start with?

- 3 loaves and 2 fishes
- 2 loaves and 3 fishes
- 5 loaves and 2 fishes
- 2 loaves and 5 fishes