



## Sunday Services at The People's Christian Fellowship

Join us at 10:30 on Sunday  
mornings for collective  
worship at Springfield Hall.

You can join our service which is  
streamed live, via the [PCF  
website](#), and [YouTube](#)



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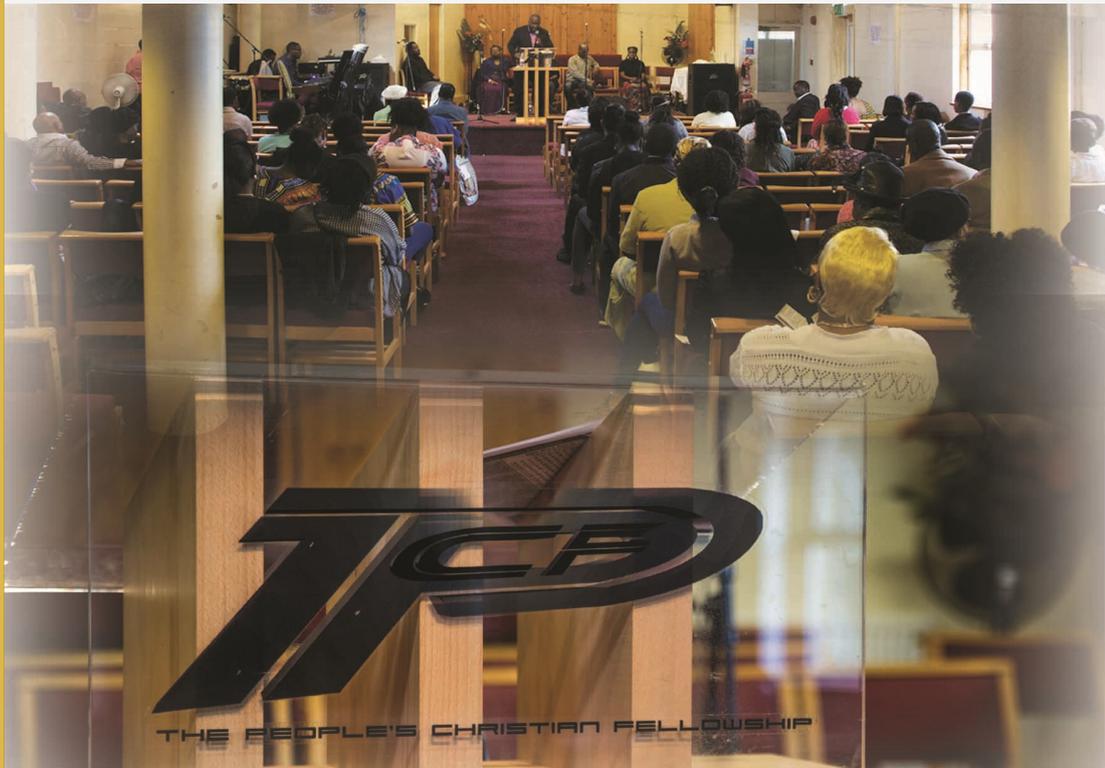
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# SPRING INTO ACTION

## August 2022

(This edition will cover the month of August)



### PREPARE FOR GREATER THINGS

**“You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things.” Matthew 25:23 (NIV)**

To succeed in life you need thick skin to handle criticism. It's what separates those who say they want success from those who are prepared to pay for it.

If you were asking God to increase your business, are you providing outstanding service in your existing line of work? Someone once said that a peacock that rests on its feathers is just another turkey. Sometimes we're in love with the image of success, but we haven't counted the actual

cost of succeeding. It's a good thing God doesn't automatically give us everything we ask for.

Often we want something because it looks good in someone else's life. But God in His wisdom knows that right now it would hurt us because we're not mature enough to handle it. God tests us with what we have, in order to develop our consistency and strength. He observes how we handle the pressures that accompany the blessings He's

already given us. He wants to bring us to the place where we do not always run from adversity; where we have learned to appreciate the giver more than His gifts. When we reach that point, we will hear Him say, 'You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness.' (v. 23 NIV). **Those words will make everything you've been through worthwhile.**

Stay connected with prayer at PCF

You are invited to join via Zoom 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](mailto:connect@tpcf.org.uk) to request the link to join by Zoom

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# Convention 2022

## 27-30 October 2022

The Events Team are looking for an individual or a group of people to create an advertisement for the upcoming Convention.

**Can you help?**

We would also welcome interests from PFC's Young People, as we know and appreciate how talented, creative and innovative you are.

We are looking for the creation of a video for the weekly notices and a poster/flyer. These need to be eye catching, exciting, and vibrant to encourage people to attend. **Are you interested?**

Please contact Dianne Whyte or Maureen Mckenzie via email [events@tpcf.org.uk](mailto:events@tpcf.org.uk) or you can speak to either Dianne or Maureen at church on Sunday.

**We look forward to hearing from you.**

TPCF YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS



THE PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

# FUSED FRIDAY YOUTHCLUB SUMMER DATES

Fused will be held on **5th August & 26th August**

6:15pm - 8:00pm 89 Broad Lane, N15 4DW

For info- [courtney.daniel@tpcf.org.uk](mailto:courtney.daniel@tpcf.org.uk)  
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*"We aim to Touch lives with God's love, to Unite them with Christ minded youth. Challenging them to Grow and be Active in dynamic lifestyles that Honour God".*

# Encouragement

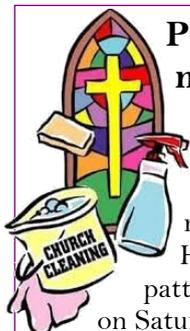
## ACTS OF KINDNESS

**"... I will draw water for your camels also."  
Genesis 24:19**

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!' (Hebrews 13:2 NLT). Rebekah's giving Eliezer a drink of water was kind, but unexpected. 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.

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.**



## PCF Cleaning Team need volunteers

You will be working alongside 2 to 3 other persons and will join the rota to clean Springfield Hall once a month, to a set pattern. Cleaning takes place on Saturdays between 10:30am and 12:00 noon.

This is a valuable ministry team, more so during this season, but we are in need of volunteers. If you are interested, please contact Dexter or Debi for further information. You can leave your contact details with the main office (020 8801 1873) or email [cleaning.team@tpcf.org.uk](mailto:cleaning.team@tpcf.org.uk).

**We look forward to hearing from you.**

## PCF Trustees are recruiting

We are looking for experienced individuals to join the Board which is responsible for the financial management and the legal compliance of the church.

We are keen to recruit individuals with experience in:

- **Fundraising and Marketing**
- **Business Finance**
- **Health and Safety in the workplace**
- **HR and People Management**
- **Knowledge of Charity Structure**

If you feel you have skills to offer we would love to hear from you. Contact us at: [trustees@tpcf.org.uk](mailto:trustees@tpcf.org.uk).

**We look forward to hearing from you.**

# Board of Trustees



**For all those celebrating this month, Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary from PCF!**

**“Now this I know: The Lord gives victory to his anointed. He answers him from his heavenly sanctuary with the victorious power of his right hand. Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God.”**

Derrick & Colleen Brown's

Wedding Anniversary.....Mon 1st

Marcus Johnson .....Tue 2nd

Victor & Audrey Callendar's

Wedding Anniversary.....Tue 2nd

Tyrone & Shauna Johnson-Powell's

Wedding Anniversary.....Wed 3rd

Amelia Falana.....Wed 3rd

Audrey Martin.....Fri 5th

Joshua Marshall .....Sat 6th

Jemma Regis .....Sun 21st

Ryan Allen.....Sun 21st

Emmanuel Waldron.....Mon 22nd

Michael & Cassandra Bertrand's

Wedding Anniversary .....Mon 22nd

Lindy Treasure.....Tue 23rd

Donna Hughes.....Thu 25th

Fay Brown.....Fri 26th

Franklin Lee.....Sat 27th

Keith Treasure.....Mon 8th

Angie.....Fri 12th

Daniel Shodiya.....Fri 13th

Sheryl Dennis.....Sat 14th

Sam Lynch .....Tue 16th

Petra Johnson.....Thu 18th

Vincent & Jolly Williams'

Wedding Anniversary.....Fri 19th

Keith & Grace Simpson's

Wedding Anniversary.....Sun 28th

Joyce Allen.....Mon 29th

Colin Dash .....Tue 30th

Colin & Kemi Dash's

Wedding Anniversary.....Tue 30th

Sister Edwards.....Wed 31st

Kelvin & Mary Hall's

Wedding Anniversary.....Wed 31st

Marcia Latty.....Thu 1 Sept



ANSWERS:

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|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1: d. Jesus' baptism by John | 6: a. Suffer and die  |
| 2: b. Baptisms               | 7: b. A cosmic figure |
| 3: a. A dove                 | 8: b. Blasphemy       |
| 4: b. John the Baptist       | 9: c. At Jesus' death |
| 5: d. Jesus' suffering       | 10: d. 65-70 C.E.     |

**This month's quiz is based on  
Mark's gospel.  
Give it a go!**

- 1) The Gospel of Mark begins with:
  - a. John the Baptist's birth
  - b. Jesus' birth
  - c. The angel Gabriel appearing to Mary
  - d. Jesus' baptism by John
- 2) John, the forerunner of Jesus, proclaims forgiveness of sins and performs:
  - a. Circumcisions
  - b. Baptisms
  - c. Weddings
  - d. Miracles
- 3) When Jesus is baptized, the Spirit of God descends on him in the shape of:
  - a. A dove
  - b. Flames
  - c. Angels
  - d. A sunbeam
- 4) All of the following figures recognize Jesus in Mark except:
  - a. The demons
  - b. John the Baptist
  - c. The Gentile soldier at the cross
  - d. The reader of the Gospel
- 5) The phrase "Jesus' Passion" refers to:
  - a. Jesus' birth
  - b. Jesus' violent actions in the Temple
  - c. Jesus' love for humanity
  - d. Jesus' suffering
- 6) According to Mark, the messiah must:
  - a. Suffer and die
  - b. Preach and baptize
  - c. Become the high priest
  - d. Take control of Israel
- 7) In first-century apocalyptic Judaism, the term "Son of Man" referred to:
  - a. God's son
  - b. A cosmic figure
  - c. The king
  - d. The high priest
- 8) At Jesus' trial in Mark, the Sanhedrin charges him with:
  - a. Theft
  - b. Blasphemy
  - c. Being empowered by Satan
  - d. Not observing Sabbath laws
- 9) In Mark, the Temple curtain rips:
  - a. At Jesus' birth
  - b. At Jesus' trial
  - c. At Jesus' death
  - d. At Jesus' resurrection
- 10) The Gospel of Mark was probably written around:
  - a. 35-40 C.E.
  - b. 45-50 C.E.
  - c. 55-60 C.E.
  - d. 65-70 C.E.