

Sunday Services at The People's Christian Fellowship

Adult Sunday School Class 09:30 - 10:25 every week on the first floor

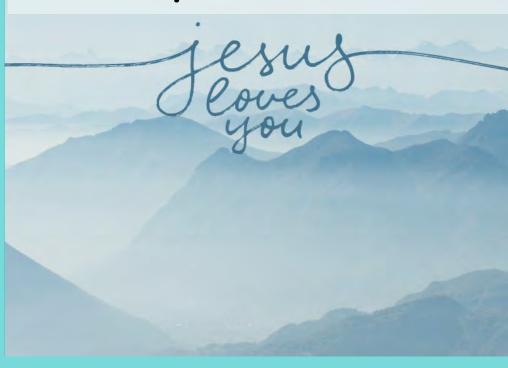
Collective Worship 10:30 every Sunday

You can join our service which is streamed live, via the <u>PCF website</u>, and <u>YouTube</u>

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SPRING TO ACTION April 2024



CHRIST'S LOVE FOR YOU

"Christ's love is too wonderful to be measured" Ephesians 3 v.19

Princess Alice was Queen Victoria's daughter. When her son contracted an incurable disease called black diphtheria, the doctors quarantined the boy and warned his mother to stay away from him lest she get infected. Yet she couldn't. One day she overheard her son whisper to his nurse, 'Why doesn't my mother kiss me anymore?' His words melted her heart and she ran to him, smothering him with kisses. Within a few days, she died and was buried. What would compel a mother to risk her life for her child? Love!

Now stand at the cross and ask what would lead Christ to do something even greater for us? Love! Writing to the believers at Ephesus, Paul says, 'I want you to know...Christ's love...is too wonderful to be measured.' You can trace the greatest action of Christ to his greatest attribute – love. Perhaps the

people who should have loved you, didn't; and those who could have loved you, wouldn't. Maybe you were left at the hospital, or left standing at the altar, or left with an empty bed and a broken heart. Regardless of the cause, you were left with the question, 'Does anybody love me?' And today Christ answers unequivocally, 'I do!' The truth is, His love for you 'is too wonderful to be measured'.

Hymn writer Charles Gabriel wrote: 'I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene, And wonder how he could love me, a sinner, condemned, unclean. How marvellous! How wonderful! And my song shall ever be: How marvellous! How wonderful! Is my Saviour's love for me!' God couldn't love you more than He does right now, and that will never change.



2024 Bible Challenge | Sunday 28th April 2024 at 4.00 pm

University Pastor David is excited to announce that the first of our 'University Unchallenged' social evenings unchallenged scheduled for Sunday 28th April at 4.00 pm.

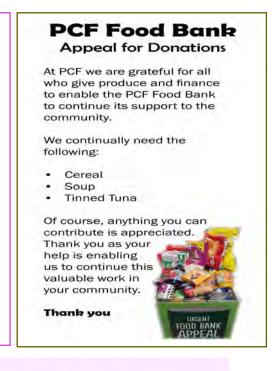
We are still looking to increase our participant numbers so if you are eager to partake in this enriching Biblical journey, please reach out to connect@tpcf.org.uk or call us on 0208 801 1873.

Everyone is welcome to come along on Sunday 28th April even if you are not in a team. You will enjoy this social event with games and a lot of fun.

Teams and Captains:

Doxa State School (Helena Lynch) • Eklektos University (Tessa Bennett) • Zoe Academy (Shirland McKoy) Saints Academy (Diane Jacobs) • Abba State School (Petra Johnson) • Dikaioo University (Donna Daniel)









Join Our Church Finance Team

Are you passionate about making a difference within our church community? Are numbers your thing? Do you have a heart for responsible financial stewardship? If so, we invite you to become a vital part of our Church Finance Team!

Bookkeepers Wanted

We are on the lookout for meticulous and dedicated individuals to join our bookkeeping team. As a bookkeeper, you'll play a crucial role in maintaining our financial records, ensuring transparency, and helping us make informed financial decisions.

Requirements:

- Attention to detail
- · Basic accounting knowledge (training provided)
- · Commitment to confidentiality
- Team player



Contact one of the finance team on the following email addresses for more information

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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

cleaning.team@tpcf.org.uk.

1873) or email

We look forward to hearing from you.





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 include them in SIA.



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

Sonia Marshall	Tue 2nd	Diane Jacobs
Elisha Marshall	Thu 4th	Natalie Willian
Keith & Lindy Treasure celebrat	e	Holly Christian
their Wedding Anniversary	Fri 5th	Ava Dash
Etta Love	Sun 7th	Jenniah-Mae L
Vernetta Lynch	Sun 7th	Audrey Callend
Marsha Shodiya	Tue 9th	Elly-Mae Orr
Geoff Allen	Sat 13th	Camille Lee
Gail Peters	Sun 14th	Veronica Benn

Diane JacobsMon 15thNatalie WilliamsTue 23rdHolly ChristianTue 23rdAva DashWed 24thJenniah-Mae LynchThu 25thAudrey CallenderThu 25thElly-Mae OrrFri 26thCamille LeeSun 28thVeronica Bennett-GayleTue 30th

"Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. The Lord, the Lord himself, is my strength and my defence; he has become my salvation. With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation."

Isaiah 12: 2-3



Jesus is Raised from the Dead

Level: MID

Jesus was crucified on a Friday, and hastily laid in a tomb before the Sabbath began at sunset. Early Sunday morning, after the Sabbath was over, some women came to the tomb with spices to properly prepare Jesus' body for burial according to Jewish custom.

1)	Wł	no was among these women?
		Martha
		Mary Magdalene
		Mary, mother of Jesus
		Phoebe
2)		nat did the women notice when they arrived at tomb?
		Jesus was standing beside the tomb to greet them.
		A blinding white light was shining from inside the tomb.
		The large stone covering the entrance to the tomb had been rolled away.
		A cloud of smoke and fire encircled the tomb.
3)		w did the women find out Jesus had risen from e dead?
		A voice from the clouds told them Jesus had risen.
		Peter came running with the news that he had seen Jesus alive.
		Someone at the tomb told them Jesus had risen.
		The "disciple Jesus loved" came running with the news that he had seen Jesus alive.
4)	ton	e of the women saw the risen Jesus near the nb, but did not recognize Him at first. Who did mistake Him for?
		Jesus' brother James
		The gardener
		One of the disciples
		A stranger from Samaria

ANSWERS

IESUS IS RISEN

- 1) Mary Magdalene
- 2) Stone rolled away
- 3) Someone at the tomb told them
- 4) The gardener

DOUBTING THOMAS

- 5) He was not with the other
- 6) He saw the wounds in Jesus'
- 7) My Lord and my God
- 8) Because you have seen me, you have believed...

Doubting Thomas

Level: MID

5)	fir	Thomas, one of Jesus' disciples, did not believe at irst that Jesus had arisen from the dead. Why not?		
		His faith was too weak.		
		He believed the story of the religious leaders that Jesus' body had been stolen.		
		He was not able to see Jesus because of his sinfulness.		
		He was not with the other disciples the first time the risen Jesus visited them.		
5)		What did it take to finally convince Thomas that Jesus had risen?		
		He saw the wounds in Jesus' body left by the crucifixion.		
		He heard the testimony of Mary Magdalene about seeing Jesus alive at the tomb.		
		He recognized Jesus' voice when Jesus spoke to him.		
		He recognized Jesus' face when Jesus came close to him.		
7)		it did Thomas say when he realized Jesus really d arisen?		
		"Christ the Lord has risen!"		
		"Glory be to God!"		
		"My Lord and my God!"		
		"Master, You are alive!"		
3)	Wł	nat did Jesus say to Thomas?		
		"Whoever believes in Me is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name		

of God's one and only Son."

have believed."

 $\ \square$ "The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent."

□ "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet

□ "I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things?"