

MAY 2022.



Psalm 119:89-90
“Forever, O Lord,
your word is firmly
fixed in the
heavens.
Your faithfulness
endures to all
generations; you
have established
the earth, and it
stands fast.”

A Message From The Pastor

BY MIKE WILLIAMS

IN ISRAEL TWO WEEKS AGO, I WAS REMINDED OF SO MANY THINGS, THAT I HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO REALLY TAKE STOCK OF ALL I SAW. HOWEVER, I WANTED TO SHARE THIS PICTURE WITH YOU, IN THE HOPE IT MIGHT ENCOURAGE YOU, AS IT PROVES GOD'S FAITHFULNESS THROUGHOUT THE GENERATIONS. THE PICTURE IS OF JOHN BRIDGER OUR FOUNDING PASTOR, JOHNNY POZZO OUR PREVIOUS ASSOCIATE PASTOR WHO RAISED ME UP IN MY EARLY DAYS OF FAITH, KATE POZZO - A SPECIAL PART IN MY SPIRITUAL GROWTH, ELIAS - OUR PREVIOUS ASSOCIATE PASTOR AND ELDER, A MAN WHO TAUGHT ME MANY YEARS OF WISDOM IN JUST A YEAR, AND HIS WIFE LINDA WHO HAS DISCIPLED MANY OF OUR CHURCH.

I CANNOT TELL YOU HOW BLESSED I WAS IN ISRAEL, AND I CANNOT VERBALISE WHAT IT MEANT TO SIT AMONG THIS GROUP OF SPECIAL PEOPLE. MAY I LEAVE YOU TO PONDER IN MAY HOW GOD IS FAITHFUL THROUGH THE GENERATIONS, HOW HE HAS SURROUNDED US BY GODLY PEOPLE, AND HOW WE NEED TO THANK HIM FOR THESE BLESSINGS AND NOT TAKE THEM FOR GRANTED. MAY YOU REMEMBER HOW GOD HAS BLESSED RBC WITH GODLY LEADERS IN YEARS GONE BY AND HOW WE CAN TRUST IN THE YEARS AHEAD!

DON'T GET TOO BUSY THAT YOU MISS OUT ON THE PEOPLE GOD HAS PLACED IN OUR LIVES. I THANK GOD FOR ALL OF YOU, I THANK GOD FOR THE WONDERFUL 21 BAPTISMS IN APRIL, I THANK GOD THAT HE IS MOVING IN OUR WONDERFUL CHURCH!

WITH LOVE AND BLESSINGS
MIKE

Highlights for May

PRAYER MEETING
SUNDAY 1ST MAY - 7.30PM

GO!
SATURDAY 14TH MAY - 9.30AM

OVERCOMERS
SATURDAY 21ST MAY - 6PM

SISTERS IN CHRIST
THURSDAY 26TH MAY - 7.45PM

THE KIDS ARE BACK!
29TH MAY - KIDS WILL JOIN
ADULTS IN MAIN SERVICE FOR
WORSHIP

FOR ALL OTHER EVENTS
PLEASE VISIT OUR
WEBSITE

Prayer is the rope that pulls God and man together. But it does not pull God down to us; it pulls us up to Him.

BILLY GRAHAM

Sandcross Church Jubilee Celebrations

Sandcross Church is organising a few Jubilee events over the public holidays in June more details to follow however on Friday 3rd of June they are planning to host a 'street party' for the families connected to the church with traditional games, races and fun activities.

If you would like to get involved and volunteer, please could you let us know. One of the areas they need help in is with Face Painting! This is a fun and friendly role that always bring some excitement to any street party.

Please email either Jenny at info@reigatebaptistchurch.org.uk or Laura Cox at info@sandcross.com

Connect Groups

run throughout the week. To get connected please email Tim Hatari discipleship@reigatebaptistchurch.org.uk

Children in the Main Service

As you may have noticed, one of the highlights for the May diary is that the children will be back in the service in the main hall for the praise part of the adult service.

We are planning to bring them in on Sunday 29th May.

I am sure that you will agree that we have many areas to consider and plan for so please keep the leaders, parents and children in your prayers as we make the change.

One of the changes would involve the live streaming of the service where we intend to start live streaming the sermon section only.



Street Pastors Relaunch!



Saturday 7th May, 9.30 to 11am.

Join us for information on what it is, experience from current team members and refreshments.

Contact redhill@streetpastors.org.uk for any questions or [click here](#) for more info.

www.reigatebaptistchurch.org.uk

Email info@reigatebaptistchurch.org.uk for general queries

Telephone hours

9.00am to 1.00pm; 01737 248 258

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday; 9am to 3pm

ACCOMMODATION SOUGHT - FOR ABOUT A YEAR - FOR A YOUNG CHRISTIAN LADY FROM NORTHERN IRELAND WHO IS COMING OVER TO ENGLAND TO WORK.

IDEALLY, SHE WOULD LIKE TO HOUSE/FLAT SHARE WITH ANOTHER YOUNG, SINGLE WOMAN. BUT WOULD CONSIDER OTHER OPTIONS.

IF YOU THINK YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO HELP THEN PLEASE EMAIL KATH:

info@christ-central.org.uk

*Walk by Faith,
Not by Sight*

SAVE THE DATE!

June 13th

Membership class

July 6th - 10th

Mission Week

July 9th

Woodhatch Summer fun day

Newcomers Meal

Date to be confirmed, register your interest with the office.

29th October

Reasons to Believe: 2022 (Apologetics Conference) With a Meet the Speakers Zoom event on the 27th July - details to follow.