

OUR WHOLE PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

Monday 21 st :	7.30-9.00p.m.	Men: Meal at the Slug and Lettuce
Tuesday 22 nd :	10.15-11.45a.m.	Prayer
Thursday 24 th :	10-11.45a.m.	Tots & Co.
	7.30-9.15p.m.	Prayer
Friday 25 th :	6.15-7.45p.m.	Explorers
	8-9.30p.m.	Connected
Sunday 27th:	9.00-9.45a.m.	Prayer
	10.30a.m.-12.30p.m.	Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion
Tuesday 29 th :	10.15-11.45a.m.	Prayer
Thursday 1 st :	10-11.45a.m.	Tots & Co.
	6.00p.m.	Decorate & Pray
Friday 2 nd :	6.15-7.45p.m.	Explorers
	7.30p.m.	Women@Elim: <i>The Gift</i>
	8-9.30p.m.	Connected
Saturday 3 rd :	8.45-11a.m.	Men: <i>Let's Go U.S.A.</i> Breakfast
Sunday 4th:	10.30a.m.-12.30p.m.	Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion
Monday 5 th :	12.00-3.00p.m.	Oasis Monthly
Tuesday 6 th :	10.15-11.45a.m.	Prayer
Thursday 8 th :	10-11.45a.m.	Tots & Co.
	7.30-9.00p.m.	<i>"You're the God of this city!..." Part 1</i>
Friday 9 th :	6.15-7.45p.m.	Explorers
	8-9.30p.m.	Connected
Sunday 11th:	9.00-9.45a.m.	Prayer
	10.30a.m.-12.30p.m.	Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion
	1p.m.	Bring & Share Lunch
	4(ish)-5p.m.	Carol Singing
Tuesday 13 th :	10.15-11.45a.m.	Prayer
Thursday 15 th :	10-11.45a.m.	Tots & Co.
	7.30-9.00p.m.	<i>"You're the God of this city!..." Part 2</i>
Friday 16 th :	6.15-7.45p.m.	Explorers
	8-9.30p.m.	Connected
Saturday 17 th :	11.00-45a.m.	Carols.. & More, in Shirley Precinct (C.T.I.S.)
Sunday 18th:	10.30-11.45a.m.	All-Age Carol Service
Tuesday 20 th :	10.15-11.45a.m.	Prayer
Sunday 25th:	10.30-11.45a.m.	Good Morning, Christmas
Sunday 1st:	10.30a.m.-12.30p.m.	Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion
Thursday 5 th :	10-11.45a.m.	Tots & Co.
Friday 6 th :	6.15-7.45p.m.	Explorers
	8-9.30p.m.	Connected
Sunday 8th:	10.30a.m.-12.30p.m.	Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion
	1.00p.m.	Prayer Lunch



Elim UPDATE

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WELCOME



May you be blessed each day as you look forward to celebrating the coming of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ

IN THIS NEWSLETTER we have tried to put all the information to enable you to know what's happening through 'til the beginning of 2012. Please take note of all aspects of the programme, pray for the events and be part of it. Also please listen for any changes or additions.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

From Sunday 4th there will be a section of the notice board where you can put your greetings card to others in the church. We do this to help ease the stress of having to pass out many cards, and also in the hope that the money saved can be given to help others.



Our Christmas invitations will be available from Sunday 27th. Please take some for family, friends and neighbours. Pray that the invitation will be taken up and for an openness to the Christmas message.

BONJOUR!

Pastor Brian & Jan, together with Ron & Pat, will be in France from Thursday 24th 'til Tuesday 29th. Pastor will be speaking at services next weekend at the A.o.G. church in St Germain En Laye, near Paris (the home church of the Lemaire and Nozile families. Please pray for them.

COME ON & DECORATE!

Thursday 1st December, 6.30p.m. onwards. Come and help put up some festive decorations in the Church. Have some fellowship and fun, and help with our preparations.



"In him was life, and that life was the light of men."



SUNDAYS

ADVENT+

Sunday 20th November. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion

Speaker: Pastor Brian. Theme: 'What I have I give you.' (Acts 3:6)

Sunday 27th November. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion

Speaker: Pastor James. Theme: 'Run The Race' - Part 1: On Your Marks!

Sunday 4th December. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion

Speaker: Pastor Brian. Theme: 'Run The Race' - Part 2: Get Set!

Sunday 11th December. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion

Speaker: Pastor Brian Davies (Brecon) Theme: 'Run The Race' Part 3: Go!

CHRISTMAS

Sunday 18th December. All-Age Carol Service

with seasonal refreshments.

Sunday 25th December (Christmas Day). Good Morning Christmas!

Something for all ages to start the day.



JANUARY

Sunday 1st January. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion

Speaker: Pastor Brian. Theme: 'Repetition or Renewal?'

Sunday 8th January. Celebration Service & Junior Church, with Communion



The Evangelical Alliance
ADVENT PRAYER GUIDE
will be available on Sunday
27th. Take a copy & use it
through the month.
You can also download a
copy at



As announced, we
will be having a
**SPECIAL
GIFT DAY** for
our **BUILDING
PROJECT** on
Sunday 4th.
Please pray into
this and come
prepared to give.



When? 3rd December 2011, 8:45 - 11:00a.m.

Where? A Mystery location somewhere in Southampton.

What? Let's Go U.S.A. Breakfast

Who? All men welcome. Please Book with Philip

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LET THE BLESSING OVERFLOW

"... faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by
action, is dead." (James 2:17)

There are a number of ways you can help others
this Christmas. Here are two practical ways to
overflow our blessing.



Supporting the **S.C.R.A.T.C.H. TOY APPEAL**, seeking to provide toys
and gifts to children and young people (age 0 - 17) to help make their Christmas
Complete. Donations of toys and gifts for all, in particular items for teenagers, baby
toys, books, colouring books, crayons, felt tip pens, sweets, games and puzzles. (See
the poster for more information.)

Thank you to those who regularly bring food for **BASICS BANK**. We would ask
everyone to bring in non-perishable food (in-date), particularly a few treats.

PLEASE BRING IN THESE ITEMS ON OR BEFORE SUNDAY 4th.
IF YOU PREFER TO GIVE A MONETARY GIFT PLEASE PUT IT INTO THE
OFFERING IN AN ENVELOPE MARKED 'TOYS'.

On **Sunday 11th** our
speaker will be **Pastor
Brian Davies**, recently
appointed assistant at
Brecon Elim Church.

A MEAL & SOME CAROLS

On **Sunday 11th** there will be a **BRING &
SHARE FELLOWSHIP LUNCH.**

Put your name and what you will be bringing on
the list on the notice board by 9th.

After we've eaten (at approx. 4p.m.) we will be
going out **CAROL SINGING**,
to share some joy and witness for about an hour.

CAROLS... & MORE!

Saturday 18th, 11-11.45a.m. Shirley Precinct

(Churches Together In Shirley)

Co-ordinator: Pastor Brian Wallis Speaker: Pastor James

Please come and support.



A Women@Elim Advent Evening

Friday 2nd December, 7.30p.m.

The cost is £5 per person
(non-church guests £2.50)
Everyone who comes will receive
a goody bag of gifts

Invitations & info. from Jan (02380905936)
or Jeanne (01489784820)



The
Gift