

On **Sunday 15th May** we shall be having a **Spring Love Offering** for some of the community projects we are involved in:

CAP FOLKESTONE

Each year SKCC has to raise around £25,000 in order to maintain and develop our own CAP Centre, which is so well run by Angela and her team.

(This includes £5,000 which we actually pay CAP Central for their services)

In order to achieve such an amount we are dependent on occasional one-off gifts or grants plus this love offering.

Please would everybody prayerfully consider what would be a suitable gift?

Any cheques should be made payable to SKCC. If you are donating by cash and qualify for gift aid, it would be appreciated if you could identify your gift. Perhaps putting it in a named envelope is the most easy and helpful way?

MILLFIELD DROP IN and RAINBOW CENTRE (Food Warehouse)

Donations of the following items:

Tins of fruit, rice pudding, custard, tinned tomatoes, shaving foam, shower gel, tea, coffee, sugar, cakes, biscuits & packets of soup.

By giving in this way each of us will be helping to serve God's Kingdom.

Romania Autumn 2016



This autumn a small SKCC team will be going out to Romania once again to work with Hospice Casa Sperantei and Aurora Christian Association. If you would like to be part of the team, or would like to know more of what it entails, please speak to Julie Oliver.

As yet no dates are fixed but it will be from mid - October to the beginning of November. The trip is usually for two weeks but if you are keen to come but could not manage that long it may be possible to arrange for you to come for a shorter time.

Inclusions for next week's news-sheet should be passed to the church office — by 6.00 p.m. on Wednesday 27th April

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A warm welcome to any visitors with us this morning; we look forward to getting to know you.



24th April 2016



TONIGHT 7.45 @ Millfield – An opportunity to hear from the Mexico team. John Fudge will also share about his recent travels in The Gambia and Philippines.

Wednesday 27th April, 7.45 @ The Gate –

Tom & Ritah MacGregor will be sharing about their lives in Rwanda.

(No older Youth Cell this week as you are encouraged to come and join The Hub).



Prayer Opportunities this week:

You would be very welcome to join any of the times listed below.

Sunday	9.55 a.m.	Room MA3 Pent Valley
Monday	1.45 p.m.	65 St Leonard's Road, Hythe
Tuesday	9.30 a.m.	45 Turnpike Hill, Hythe
Thursday	7.00 a.m.	49 Orchard Valley, Hythe

PRAYER

If you would like someone to pray with you, please speak to today's host or one of the leadership team.

WELCOME LEAFLETS

If you are a visitor, please feel free to take a leaflet from the table at the back of the hall.

OFFERING

An offering will be taken as part of our worship. Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of the hall.

*Holy Spirit,
YOU ARE WELCOME
HERE COME FLOOD
THIS PLACE AND
FILL THE ATMOSPHERE
YOUR GLORY, GOD,
IS WHAT OUR HEARTS
LONG FOR TO BE
OVERCOME BY YOUR
P R E S E N C E
Lord*

Our vision is... To demonstrate God's Kingdom in community - at home and away.

GIVING ENJOYING IMPACTING CULTIVATING INSPIRING

DIARY DATES & EVENTS

April



Friday 29th, Men's Movie Night - 7.30 p.m. @ The Gate.

Film choice: The Intouchables Food: Hot Dogs (provided).

May

Thursday 5th, Journeys Course starting at The Gate



Journeys is a 5 week course, which offers the opportunity to explore the Christian faith, through real people, amazing stories and changed lives. Each session starts at 7 p.m. with a meal.

Who do you know that it would be good to invite along?

Week 1 - Is there a spiritual side to me?

Week 2 - If God and heaven exist what are they like?

Week 3 - Does this faith thing work in real life?

Week 4 - Does God have real power to change things?

Week 5 - Crossing the line - what's that like?

For further information speak to Tim or Ness or call 07792 468912

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CAP

Sunday 8th, CAP Prayer - 7.30 p.m. @ Angela' Burnett's home.

Open to everyone to pray for the work of CAP in Folkestone.



Ladies Event at Life Church 20/21 May

For further information and to book

<http://www.lifechurchuk.org/eden.html>

Books for Ashburnham



Lesley Kent is a Friend of Ashburnham the Christian Conference Centre in East Sussex. The Library there needs Christian books so if you have any you would like to donate she would be very happy to take them when she visits there in the first week of May. You can either drop your books at Peter and Lesley's home or bring them to the meeting on Sundays 24th April or 1st May.



As most of us know, Tom, Ritah and Keza MacGregor are with us for a few weeks.

Tom works for Azizi Life in Rwanda, and after the meeting this morning and on 8th May, there will be an opportunity to purchase some of their products which are hand-made from natural materials by groups of Rwandan artisans. Each product is unique and great care is taken in its creation; from the selection and preparation of the natural raw materials used to the final finishing

Sad News

Brian Thompson was once co-pastor with Cyril Coombs in the early days of our church when we met at Aldington Mission. Sadly, Brian lost his fight with cancer last Wednesday (20th April). As well as being known to many in SKCC, Brian was also married to Vincent and Primrose's sister, Violet.

Dave Stanton, Fi's father-in-law, and very well known by many Christians in the Folkestone area, passed away last Tuesday (19th April).

Brian and Dave loved and served the Lord faithfully for many years so their families have that sure and certain hope of seeing them again.

However, the separation is still painful so please remember them in prayer as they come to terms with their loss. Please especially remember Fi's mother-in-law, Celia, who is herself undergoing cancer treatment at this sad time.



Lorenz and Kath would like to thank the fellowship for the cards, gifts and beautiful flowers to celebrate their Ruby Wedding Anniversary. They made it very special.

Don't forget that you can find the news-sheet and other information including the audio library on our website - www.skcc.info

