

SKCC news for week beginning 14th January

Some of our Iranian friends will be baptised as part of our morning service, which will be followed by a shorter message from Phil Haines. Please pray for them as they take this step of faith, committing to follow God throughout their lives.

To join the service via Facebook click here <https://www.facebook.com/events/7826625507367549/>

Arrangements for children and youth from 11.15 a.m. -

SPARKLES Age 0 – 2.5 years: in the meeting room



Ages Years 1 - 6: in the back hall

Little EMBERS Age 2.5 – Yr R: in the church office



Youth in Years 7 – 13: in the front hall

This evening (14th) Churches Together Folkestone invite you to an **EVENING of PRAYER** with
Be inspired by and pray for Christians who experience persecution around the world.
6 p.m. at Cheriton Pentecostal Church, 5 Park Road, Cheriton, CT19 4DG



CORPORATE PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 6.30 a.m.

via **ZOOM ID 881 1066 7099 PCODE 070958**

Or click here <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88110667099>
[pwd=TETWMnRjSExKUK1TUWJzRGRDb1R3Zz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88110667099?pwd=TETWMnRjSExKUK1TUWJzRGRDb1R3Zz09)

Tuesday: 9.30 a.m. The Cornerstone Centre led by Theresa
Please use the side door not the main one as the building is
being used for a private letting



**Toddler Group Monday
(15th) from 9.30 a.m.
at The Cornerstone Centre.**

There is a new sign-up sheet on the notice board for
tray bakes, cakes, flapjack, shortbread, etc to serve with
refreshments. All donations gratefully received.

Winter Shelter – thank you to all who have provided
meals or served at B&B's during December and/or have
signed up to help in January. We are now needing to fill
the gaps for February/March. If you can help please sign
up on the notice board in the main hall.

Please complete an application form and return to the
church office, particularly if you are going to help serve
food at the B&B's as a DBS check is also required.



CONNECT GROUPS

Day time Connect Groups meet this week.
See James, Phil or Vincent for details

Coffee* - Cake - Connect
(*or tea if preferred!)



This starts on **Tuesday 30th January** to run fortnightly from 7.30 - 9.00 p.m. in
the back hall at The Cornerstone Centre. It will be an informal, drop-in evening
providing opportunity to connect with one another over a cuppa and a piece of
cake, finishing with a short discovery Bible study at 8.30 p.m. Coffee - Cake -
Connect is open to everyone (16 years+) so please be encouraged to come along.

NB If you are available to help set up/serve refreshments, please come for 7 p.m.

Please note that James, Fiona, Phil and Hannah will be away Tuesday – Thursday at the FORGE Leaders Retreat

Next Sunday we look forward to having Dave Boden as our guest speaker.

Dave is a creative pioneer and educator. He is the also operations director of Grace Foundation.



If you are new to SKCC and would like to find out more about us
and what we do please contact the church office
on **01303 251155** or hello@skcc.info

Further information is also available on the website www.skcc.info

To make a 'one-off'
gift to SKCC scan the
QR code here or use
the Payaz machine in
the main hall.



For more news see next page

DIARY DATES

Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course



Phil & Hannah along with Jon & Manda are hosting the first Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course; starting on **Wednesday 31st January** from **7.00 - 9.00 p.m.** at **The Cornerstone Centre** and running for eight consecutive weeks. Drawing from eight core biblical truths the goal is to introduce a life with God that goes beyond "tip of the iceberg" spirituality, teaching us to slow down and grow a deep relationship with Jesus.

//WARNING// This is a high-commitment course exploring areas that may be hard or painful for some, requiring a certain level of openness and vulnerability as things are discussed in small groups. There is weekly and daily reading as well as committing to each of the 2-hour sessions. So please consider carefully if this is the right time for you before jumping in. That said we'd love you to join us, and if you can give the time, you will not be disappointed! If you have any questions about the course, please chat with Phil or Hannah.

SKCC will provide the course materials for the discounted price of £10 per person.

To register your interest please sign up on the board in the main hall - spaces are limited but if the response is high we will aim to run a repeat course.



The charity Amor Europe is committed to building homes for the poorest families around the world to help them stay together.
During 2024 a number of folk from SKCC are involved in Build Teams to Mexico and Moldova.



MEXICO Men's BUILD Trip - 4th to 12th May
MOLDOVA Youth BUILD Trip - 27th July to 4th August

Fundraising has already started for these two BUILD trips, with more planned over the next few months.

Dates for your diaries:

Saturday 10th February - QUIZ - raising funds to be shared between the Moldova/Mexico BUILD.

Thursday 15th February - SILENT DISCO - raising funds for the Moldova BUILD.

Watch this space for further details!



King's School of Theology (KST) is recruiting!



KST is recruiting for a new part-time Operations Manager. This is an exciting opportunity to join in providing high quality, life transforming theological training courses, and to be part of the team to lead KST into the next stage of its development.

For more details go to:

<https://www.kingstheology.org/news/kst-is-recruiting/>



A table with lost items on it will be in the front hall. Please check to see if anything is yours. Any lost property not claimed by 28th January will be donated to charity.