



Dereham
Baptist
Church



Sunday 27th March 2022

9am Early Service

10.30am Service with Baptism of Shannen White

*Each Sunday there will be a time of prayer from 10am - 10.15am in the annexe lounge specifically for the service. **Everyone is welcome***

The greatest of these is

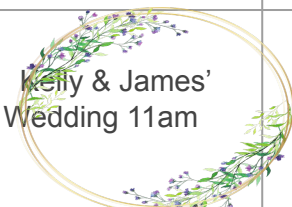
Love

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Bob Caldwell

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What's on This Week?

Monday	4Cs counselling (upstairs) 8am-2pm U3A Table Tennis 10-1		
Tuesday Nigel's day off		Sign Language 1.30-2.30pm	CHURCH MEETING FOR MEMBERS (AGM) 7pm
Wednesday Julie annual leave day	Little Fishes at Toftwood 9am		
Thursday Dave's day off			
Friday Dave annual leave	Coffee Shop 10-1		
Saturday	 Kelly & James' Wedding 11am		Portuguese speaking congregation 6pm
Sunday	10.30am service with Communion (No Livestream)		Prayer for Mission Partners 5.30pm

Leadership Nominations: AGM for Members 29th March 7pm at church

For re-election:

Mark Cockbill
Frances Cracknell
Ian Clarke

Nomination for Deacon:

Paul Taylor

Nomination for Elder:

Christine Taylor
Anita Clarke

See extra sheets for information about Paul, Christine and Anita

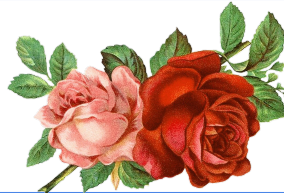
Safeguarding Training - 15th October 2022 9.30am-12.30pm

Due to Covid we have not had any training recently so can we ask that all those who work with children and youth attend this. Breakfast will be provided!

Karen Hammersley is raising funds for a children's charity by doing a skydive. The link to her giving page is here:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/karen-hammersley>

BMS Birthdays:
31st March - Val Butt



The **Keys to Freedom Course** will be starting again on Wednesday evenings from 27th April. It's an 8 week discipleship course focusing on developing our relationship with God. The material we work through, produced by Mercy UK, is excellent. I will be available on Sundays if you would like more details and will leave a handout on the table by the church entrance. Alternatively please feel free to phone me.

Jessica Kirkham

Working party to sort the metal containers and paint the new woodwork in the back garden. All welcome, **9th April** 9am start but come when you can. Volunteers also needed to make refreshments. Please let me know if you can come!

Paul Taylor
Nomination: Deacon



Hi, I'm Paul. Continually grateful to God for saving me through His precious blood and privileged to be asked to stand as a deacon at DBC.

I became a Christian and was baptised by my Dad (a former Baptist minister) when I was 14. I am married to Christine and we have three grown up children and a cat, Tilly. We live in Gressenhall now having been in Dereham for over 20 years. I work as a training lead in healthcare I.T. I continue to try to play any sport I can when Christine and I aren't sorting out our fairly large garden. I am a trustee for Green Pastures and at various times at DBC worked in youth and children's work. We also enjoy supporting the work at Little Fishes in Toftwood.

I have a heart for persecuted Christians around the world and, if God`s will, willing to serve in any capacity He calls me into at DBC.

Christine Taylor
Nomination: Elder



I was born in Norwich and have lived most of my life in Norfolk. I gave my heart to Jesus when I was 4 years old and was baptised at 14. I met Paul at the DBC youth group and we have been married for 35 years. We have three wonderful children who are now grown up and living in various parts of the country.

In my spare time, I love being in my garden, walking in the countryside or socialising with friends.

For the past 28 years, we have been attending DBC and during that time I have been part of children's and youth work, women's ministry, outreach and in the church kitchen doing hospitality. I love being part of the church family serving God in different ways and am excited to be able to use my gifts in whichever way God leads me.

As the longest standing trustee of Love Dereham, I have a heart for those in need materially who we can help and at the same time also them show Jesus' love. As the need grows, our opportunities do too!

Hi, I'm Anita and it seems strange writing a piece about myself, as many of you have known me for a very long time. I've been part of DBC since I was 13 - I'll leave you to work out how long ago that was!

Anita Clarke
Nomination: Elder



I am married to Ian Clarke (the younger one) and we are approaching our 30th wedding anniversary this year. We are parents to adult children - Emily, Tom and Hannah, and now to Rob, Maddie and Ben. My family have been my biggest blessing and my greatest calling; I thank God for them every day. I can't move on without mentioning Scruffy - known and loved by many of you. As well as my family, I love walks on the North Norfolk coast, fresh coffee and fire. A night round a fire pit chatting with friends, with a drink, is one of my favourite ways to pass the time.

I am a teacher by profession and currently work three days a week as the Inclusion Lead at Cringleford Primary School on the outskirts of Norwich. Please come and chat to me about what that entails, but essentially it is to ensure that all children are valued and supported, whatever their background or needs. I believe this is God's heart for us all.

I have felt called to church leadership for a very long time and over that time this has been expressed in different ways - leading children's work, leading connect group, heading up Love Dereham, leading worship and All Age services. More recently, God has been speaking to me about eldership and the role that I may have in leading the church to hear God, seek his direction and know his voice. The Shape Series was particularly helpful in recognising God's direct call to this over the last couple of years.

The thread that runs through everything that I have done and do, is a passion to recognise each person's God given uniqueness, and for them to hear his heart for them.

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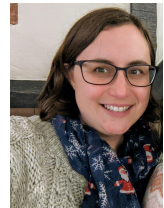
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