

Sundays in September

5th **10:00** Joint Service at Village Show
(This will be the first service in SB for the new Methodist Minister Rev. Dianne Grice)
18:15 Howard & Janet Jones.

12th **10:00** Prayer meeting
10:30 Communion Service
Consumerism and contentment
1 Timothy 6:6-19 – Mike Hyde
18:15 Joint evening service at Kegworth with Jonathan Edwards. (General Secretary of Baptist Union)

19th **10:00** Prayer meeting
10:45 *Consumerism & Idols*
Luke 19:1-9. John Hebblethwaite
16:00 MESSY CHURCH!
No evening service

26th **10:00** Prayer meeting
10:45 HARVEST THANKSGIVING
Ethical Consumerism.
James 5:1-6. John Hebblethwaite
18:15 Evening Communion service.
Facing the Lions. Daniel 6. Alex Ison

Midweek in September

2nd **19:15** Learn 2 Lead
Derek Tidball – Isaiah to Malachi
Tim Gunn – Leading the flock

16th & 30th **Home Groups** ~ If you are not part of a Home Group please speak to John for details of how to get involved.

25th **Mandritsara Prayer Day**
12:00 – 17:00 Normanton Village Hall
Organised by Mat and Katy

ITEMS FOR PRAYER

Our desire to see spiritual Christ centred renewal re-shaping the life of our church at this time

Valuable times together with our mission partners before they return to serve the Lord in Tunisia and Madagascar

For those with health issues especially Christine Molyneux, Alan Warren as they continue with new treatments

Website

Please visit the website for:
Copy of this programme.

- 2010 “outline” programme
- Details of other activities

www.sbbaptist.org.uk

September Week of Prayer

Monday 6th – Saturday 11th Sept.

As usual, we are starting the new school year with a week of prayer:

Monday 6th – 7.45pm

Tuesday 7th – 11.00am

Wednesday 8th – 6.45am

Thursday 9th – 7.45pm

Saturday 11th – 8.00am (Family Prayer time)

See separate programme for full details.

Future Events

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| 3 rd Oct. | Student Welcome Service |
| 31 st Oct. | Guest Speaker – Diane Tidball |
| 8 th Nov. | Church Business Meeting |
| 27 th Nov. | Invitation Dinner with Bob Telford |



Sutton Bonington Baptist Church

Programme for

September
2010

September - Good News to the Rich

Following our series 'Good News to the Poor' we want to consider how hearts transformed by God's grace will result in changes to how we use the financial resources God has given us.

Nobody thinks they are rich. The rich are always other people never us. Tim Keller writes, 'Jesus warns people about greed far more than sex yet almost nobody thinks they are guilty of it. Therefore we should all begin thinking, "this could easily be a problem for me."'

Shopping is the religion of our age. Alan Storkey warns, 'Consumerism is the chief rival to God in our culture.' The lie of consumerism is that we find satisfaction, meaning and fulfilment by buying consumer goods and services.

But the bible says Christian contentment and joy is found in God and true faith in Jesus changes our attitude to the 'stuff' we own or want to own and also our attitude to the poor. Where is our treasure to be found?

How can we be consumers and investors that please God and consider the interests of the poor who labour to produce the goods we buy?

Giving

The work at SBBC is entirely funded by the church family and friends. We give in response to God's generosity to us, and to resource His mission to the world.

For ways of giving tax efficiently, please speak to Iain.

Welcome to Sutton Bonington Baptist Church

It's really good to have you with us today. If it's your first time, you are especially welcome.

Our vision is to be a growing community shaped by God's word and empowered by the Spirit to love God, each other and our neighbours. And to go and make disciples who live faithfully for Christ: in Sutton Bonington; the surrounding locality; our schools; workplaces and to the ends of the earth.

We meet together regularly for the preaching and teaching of God's Word, worship, prayer and fellowship. These meetings are open to anyone.

After each morning service we serve tea and coffee so there is the opportunity to spend time together over refreshments.

During the morning sermon there are groups for children up to 15 years. Please ask for details.

If you would like to know more about the church don't hesitate to ask.