

# Kingfisher Church

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May



What a faithful God have I, What a faithful God.  
What a faithful God have I, Faithful in every way.

Children and Young People: Perseverance

*Please join us for tea, coffee, biscuits & chat after the service today*

Prayer Ministry

The prayer ministry team will be available after the service to quietly pray with anyone who would like prayer.

## What's on?



All week: 'Thy Kingdom Come' Global Prayer Initiative

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> May 6pm: **Pentecost**

**Celebration** concluding

Thy Kingdom Come at Holy Trinity

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm: **IMPAX** for 10-15 year olds at Paxcroft Mead Community Centre

Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm: **Prayer evening** details tbc

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> May 10.30am: **Pentecost: All age Service** with Ed

## Coming up!

**KFC dates** (Fridays) 6.30-8.30pm: 25<sup>th</sup> May, 29<sup>th</sup> June, 27<sup>th</sup> July (just into the school holidays) KFC is for young people in years 7-9

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> May 7pm: **Allan's 60th Birthday Party!** at Holy Trinity. All church family welcome. Please sign up on the list at church or let Janet or Beth Wigley know (see St Thomas notices for more details)

30<sup>th</sup> June/1<sup>st</sup> July: **Church Walk** details tbc

6-8 July: **SPREE weekend** for 8-15 year olds

7<sup>th</sup> July: **Mead School summer event**. Kingfisher Church usually help support this (eg by serving refreshments) details to follow



## Thank you

Becky Hockett would like to say a big Thank You to everyone who contributed to the sale for 'People Against Poverty' last Sunday, which raised £185!

# Please Pray for...

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 Thessalonians 5 v16-18

## Community

- We are praying for **West Wilts Vineyard Church** this month. They have recently secured a 7 year lease on the Emmanuel Baptist Church Buildings located in the centre of town. They are **renovating** and updating the buildings at the moment. The **food bank** and church offices will operate from there from Tues 1<sup>st</sup> May and they are planning to start having **Sunday services** there from Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Give thanks for God's provision of a place where they can have all their **activities under one roof** for the first time and pray that all the renovation and moving in goes smoothly.
- **Protection** over **families** and **children** from the **physical, emotional** and **spiritual** scars of **domestic violence**. For **help** and **transformational change** for the **perpetrators**.
- **Join with others** in praying for increased **opportunities** to share the **gospel with others** in this year of **HOPE 2018**



Pray for the World!



## We have had a letter from Ruth, the child we sponsor in Ecuador...

My first letter: Dear sponsor, Hi! This is the first letter I write to you and I'd like to share some things about me. 1. My name is Ruth and I am 6 years old. 2. My favourite food is rice with pasta. 3. My favourite colour is pink. 4. My favourite subject is arts. 5. My favourite hobby is to paint. 6. My favourite sport is to jump. 7. I am thin, joyful and pretty. 8. I live in Pucará de Velazquez. 9. The place I live is by a lake. 10. The city where I live is located in the Andean highlands.

I want to ask you: what do you do for a living? Do you like dogs? Please could you pray for my dad and my siblings.

**(The original of her letter is attached – including her drawing.)**



## Baby Bundles



Kingfisher Church is supporting a 'Baby Bundles' initiative, run by Spurgeons, to help new mums / parents in the trowbridge area who are unable to afford all the essentials for a new baby's arrival.

Our hope & prayer is that this activity will not only bless the families who receive these gifts, but also provide new ways to meet people in our community and share the love of Jesus

## How can I help?

Do you

- Have a hour to spare on Monday mornings in June & July for a cuppa at The Red Admiral & an opportunity to join in making simple baby blankets/clothes?

*Or do you know someone who would enjoy meeting others this way?*

- Have good quality second hand baby /maternity clothes you could donate? Or could you add basic baby items to your weekly shopping during June & July?
- Have a heart to pray for Mission on the Meads & this activity in particular?



## Thy Kingdom Come

*"I cannot remember in my life anything that I've been involved in where I have sensed so clearly the work of the Spirit "* Archbishop Justin Welby



The Thy Kingdom Come Global Prayer Initiative runs from Ascension to Pentecost: 10<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> May.

We are encouraged to pray regularly for **five non Christian friends** during this time.

For more details, suggestions of ways to pray and Justin Welby's testimony, visit: [www.thykingdomcome.global](http://www.thykingdomcome.global)