

What's On

Sermon Series for the Spring

ECCLESIASTES - LIVING WELL IN A
WORLD THAT WON'T LAST
11 week series in Ecclesiastes

LAST WORDS: WHAT JESUS SAYS TO US ON
THE CROSS
5 week series for Easter

Services which include the Lord's Supper are marked with *LS*

Special Events

Feb 12: MGP Leicester event:

'God,sex and relationships: Why should we trust the Bible in the 21st century?'

(Speaker: Andy Robinson)

Apr 5: Easter egg hunt

Apr 7-9: Easter holiday Bible club

Family Meetings

We meet together as a wider church family to pray for one another, encourage one another, and discuss our life together. These are held 7:30-9:00p.m. at Knighton Free Church's building on Brinsmead Road.

Clubs for children and teenagers

Gather with friends to play games and get to know God better. All clubs meet at Avenue Primary School during term time.

Thursdays:

Accelerate: 6-7 p.m. for school years 1-3

Ace: 7-8 p.m. for school years 4-6

Sundays:

Source: 6.30-8.00p.m. for school years 7-13

Seminars Explained

Reading Ecclesiastes Aloud: An evening to read through the whole book of Ecclesiastes out-loud, interspersed with singing and prayer.

PRAISE NIGHT: An extended time to sing together, with Bible readings and prayer.

3D Gospel: Western theology emphasizes forgiveness of sins, but people in the Majority World covet honour or spiritual power. How does the Gospel and therefore how should our evangelism reflect an understanding of the world's three primary culture types, addressing guilt, shame, and fear?

An evening with Friends International: Come along to hear more about the work of FI from Penny Wang (FI staff worker for Leicester) and to pray for it.

Transforming Lives for Good: From school exclusion, to poverty and holiday hunger, there are children across the UK facing some of the toughest starts in life. Transforming Lives For Good is a Christian charity that helps churches to bring hope and a future for these children. Come along to find out more and pray for this work. (Speaker: Esther Goulding from TLG)

An update on Jordan: Annie Evans has recently returned from spending 6 months in Jordan among Christians there. Join us this evening to hear about life for our Brothers and Sisters out there and how we can pray for them best, as well as what we can learn from them too.

Apologetics - 'Meaning': Speaking to friends about purpose and meaning. Why meaning without God isn't possible.

A Wicks' Send-off: A chance to say "Goodbye" to the Wicks' family as they head off to live and serve in Ethiopia.

7 Myths Of Singleness: Come along to discuss this recent book by Sam Allberry, written to help both single and married Christians better understand the Bible's teaching on singleness.

The Christian and aging: As many of us leave the category of "young people" and approach the dreaded middle-age, what does the Bible say to us as our identity and activities change?

Stories of Change: A chance to hear the difference knowing Jesus has made in the lives of ordinary people.

2020 SPRING TERM

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COMMUNITY CHURCH



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Homegroups

Homegroups exist at Avenue to help us listen to and live out God's word in our life together. We encourage everyone at Avenue to be part of a homegroup. Speak to an elder for details.

Jan 7/8	Homegroups - Own programme
Jan 14	Family Meeting
Jan 21/22	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S1
Jan 28/29	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S2
Feb 4	Family Meeting
Feb 12	MGP Leicestershire event
	'God, sex and relationships: Why should we trust the Bible in the 21st century?'
	with Andy Robinson at Rothley Parish church
Feb 18/19	Homegroups - Own programme
	(Half-Term)
Feb 25/26	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S3
Mar 3/4	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S4
Mar 10	Family Meeting
Mar 17/18	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S5
Mar 24/25	Homegroups - Bible study 'Real Change' S6
Mar 31/Apr 1	Homegroups - Bible study
Apr 7	Family Meeting
Apr 14/15	Homegroups - Own programme
Apr 21/22	Homegroups - Own programme

SLOBS

Study Leaders' Own Bible Study. For those who are leading our homegroup Bible studies this week. On weeks marked with a § after Five27 has finished at the school.

Sunday Mornings

Sundays, 10:30a.m. at Avenue Primary School
or Rolleston Primary School

Jan 5	'Everything is meaningless'	(Ecclesiastes 1:1-11)
Jan 12	The search for meaning	(Ecclesiastes 1:12-2:26)
Jan 19	A time for everything	(Ecclesiastes 3:1-22)
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Jan 26	'Two are better than one'	(Ecclesiastes 4:1-16)
	Lunch at school	
Feb 2	True worship	(Ecclesiastes 5:1-7)
Feb 9	True riches	(Ecclesiastes 5:8-6:12)
Feb 16	Wisdom or folly?	(Ecclesiastes 7:1-8:1)
	LS	
Feb 23	Living well in the light of death	(Ecclesiastes 8:2-9:12)
Mar 1	Living well in an uncertain world	(Ecclesiastes 9:13-11:6)
Mar 8	'Remember your Creator in the days of your youth'	(Ecclesiastes 11:7-12:8)
	Lunch at school	
Mar 15	'Fear God and keep his commandments'	(Ecclesiastes 12:9-14)
	LS	
Mar 22	"Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do"	(Luke 23:34)
Mar 29	"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"	(Mark 15:34)
	Lunch at school	
Apr 5	"Father, into your hands I commit my spirit"	(Luke 23:46)
	LS	
Apr 12	"It is finished"	(John 19:30)
	EASTER SUNDAY ALL-AGE CELEBRATION	
Apr 19	"Today, you will be with me in paradise"	(Luke 23:43)

Five27

An opportunity for the church to meet on Sunday evenings at Avenue Primary School from 5:27 p.m.

FORMAT FOR THE EVENINGS

5.27-6.00	Eat. Socialise
6.00-6.25	Sing. Pray. Bible readings
6.30-7.30	Seminar - Meet and pray together
6.30-8.00	Source

SEMINAR STREAMS

Jan 5	No Five27 (Prayer for Leicestershire - at Holy Trinity, Leicester)
Jan 12	"Recruitment Sunday"
Jan 19	§ Reading Ecclesiastes Aloud
Jan 26	§ PRAISE NIGHT
Feb 2	3D Gospel
Feb 9	An Evening with Friends International
Feb 16	An Evening with Transforming Lives for Good
Feb 23	§ An Update on Jordan
Mar 1	§ Apologetics - 'Meaning'
Mar 8	A Wicks' Send-off
Mar 15	§ 7 Myths of Singleness
Mar 22	§ The Christian and Aging
Mar 29	Stories of Change
Apr 5	No Five 27 (Easter egg hunt in the afternoon)