



KING'S CENTRE

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

August 22nd 2010

Welcome to King's Centre

If you'd like to get to know us better, fill in a yellow 'Welcome' Card or pick up a blue Welcome Pack from the foyer.

If you would appreciate prayer for something this afternoon please come to the front of church at the end of the gathering and a member of the trained ministry team will be glad to pray with you.

Refreshments will be served in the foyer before the service.

The way to belong and find community at King's Centre is through our small groups and missional communities. If you would like to find out more, please contact the King's Centre office for further details – you are always welcome.

You can find us on Facebook and Twitter at:



www.facebook.com/kingscentre



www.twitter.com/kingscen

Best wishes,

Nick & Marjorie Allan

Joint Leaders of The King's Centre

Events this week

Please check with your group leaders what will be taking place due to refurbishment works.

Small Groups

Typically these meet in people's homes at 8pm, please check with the group leaders.

Day	Group	Leaders
Tue	Families First	Alan & Sarah Baker
Wed	Nether Edge	Julie Robbins, Dot Brooks
	Atkinson's I-61	Rachel & Geoff Atkinson Jax Wilson
Thurs	Whirlow	Jackie Baker
	Shine	David & Karen Green

Sunday Rotas

Date	Time	Rota	Group/People
22 nd	3.30pm	Welcome	Nether Edge and Whirlow
29 th	3.30pm	Welcome	I:61 and Atkinson

NOTICES

SERVICE TIME

Come along to ONE Sunday Service at 10.30 in King's Centre, from 12 September onwards. Alongside will come a new-look children's programme, and the new-look KC building!

This comes after much discussion – thanks to everyone who contributed. We highly value our appeal to a mixed age range, from 0 to 80's. It seemed particularly important to bless our youth, 20's and mature members by returning to a morning service. To bless our families with children, Dan Parkinson will be launching a new club-style kid's church event for Y1-Y6 to run alongside the morning service. This is in addition to our excellent programmes for 0-5s.

We've chosen to hold ONE service for this season, at least until Christmas. Our regular Testimony time and Thanksgiving Offering will continue on the last Sunday of each month. See you at KC 12th September, 10.30am with refreshments to follow.

MARRIAGE PREP - 29 SEPTEMBER—27 OCTOBER.

This course delivers essential teaching on practical and spiritual dynamics in relationship growth in a fun environment. It is open to any couples who want to deepen their relationship, are looking at getting married, or who are engaged or newlywed. A five week course, on Wednesday nights from 29th September to 27th October. Contact the Philadelphia church office to sign up on 0114 2419560.

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY 2010-2011@ ST THOMAS CROOKES

Sign up for the year's teaching, or pick the sessions you wish to attend. On Saturday mornings throughout the year. Contact the Crookes office on 2671090 for more information.

JOINT SERVICE WITH PHILADELPHIA – 5 SEPTEMBER

On September 5th there will be no KC service as we are joining Philadelphia for a whole church service, 10:30am in the Philly Conference Centre. We will need parent volunteers to help with children's work. Please speak to Dan or Rachel if you can help.

GOD LOVES NHS CONFERENCE – 27TH NOVEMBER 2010



A day conference to inspire, uplift and resource Christians who work within the NHS.

Do you work for the NHS or know someone who does? For more info and booking go to www.stthomaschurch.org.uk/workplace/godlovesnhs

There will be a selection of seminars to choose from on the day with topics including healthy leadership, sharing faith at work and managing stress and motivation from a Christian perspective. There will also be opportunity to worship God, receive prayer and network with other Christians in the NHS. The event is hosted by Chris & Helen Cotton, Jude Stone and Chris Atkins who are members of St Thomas' Church and all work within the NHS.

SPONSOR ME IN SUPPORT OF CHINA'S ABANDONED CHILDREN - WALK THE WALL 2010

On 25 September 2010 I'll be taking part again in International China Concern's fundraiser, Walk the Wall. I'll be walking 10km to raise money for abandoned and disabled children in China. So will the kids in China and lots of supporters around the world. International China Concern is a registered charity providing full-time care for hundreds of Chinese children and adults with disabilities. I would love it if you were able to join me on the walk or sponsor me. For more information please contact me on helen.kay@chinaconcern.org. Helen Kay



FORM

Form is a year of discipleship training for young adults who want to grow in their relationship with God and set a foundation for their life. Form is training to help you grow as a discipleship, a missionary and a leader. Form 2010/11 starts in September but there is still time to apply. If you want to find out more email ally.proudfoot@stthomaschurch.org.uk or visit www.form-uk.org.

FORM ACCESS

Form Access is a year long training programme for people of all ages who want to grow in their experience of God's transforming love and learn how to move forward as disciples, missionaries and leaders. Form Access is designed to fit into your busy life and provide training and equipping without taking you away from your work, mission and church contexts. The course begins in September but there is still time to apply and you are invited to come to hear more at our vision evening:

Monday 6th September, 8pm and the Training Centre at Philadelphia. For more information email ben.askew@stthomaschurch.org.uk or visit www.form-uk.org.

WOMEN'S EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE!!

Clothes Swap!! Thursday 30th September - 8pm KC Upper Hall

Women's Breakfasts - Saturday 13th November 2010, 9am - Conference Centre, Philly; Saturday 12th February 2011, 9am - Conference Centre, Philly; Saturday 21st May 2011, 9am - Conference Centre, Philly.

MEN'S STUFF

Footy: Saturdays at 10:30am.

Prayer Breakfast: Every Monday morning at 7am. We will start off by meeting at 58 Ashland Road, Nether Edge, S7 1RJ. No need to tell us when you are coming...just turn up @7. Ben & Jorge