

**JustOne**  
— with J. John —  
at Emirates Stadium  
with Special Guests

Just One Day  
Just One Message  
Just One Invitation



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**SAVE THE DATE  
8th JULY 2017**

You are invited to a  
**Christmas Carol Celebration**  
Friday 16 December 2016  
7.00 pm

at the Christian Life Centre, Felixstowe.

Come sing carols with us  
and enjoy non-alcoholic mulled  
punch and mince pies.

All Welcome. Free Admission.



Christian Life Centre, 2 Carr Road, Felixstowe, IP11 2FS.  
Tel: 01394 273700  
Email: mail@riveroflifechurch.net  
Website: riveroflifechurch.net



**Samaritan's Purse  
Water Filter Project Offering  
Sunday 4 December**

We are having a special offering to help Samaritan's Purse provide water filters, which filter out up to 95% of dirt and bacteria in places where only dirty water is available.



**Turn on the tap**

These now cost **£60 each**, which includes educating families on how to keep them working and proper hygiene and sanitation practices.



Are you single, a single parent,  
or simply on your own on a Sunday?

Why not join others for a lunch once a month in the Coffee Area, following the Sunday Morning Meeting?

**Next Lunch: Sunday 11 December**

Please sign the board at the back of the Sanctuary to indicate that you would like to attend.

Any queries, please speak to Jennifer Monk or Sean Englefield.

**Come Let us Adore Him**  
You are invited to join us this Christmas

**Friday 16 December, 7.00 pm**  
Christmas Carol Celebration  
Come and sing carols with us and enjoy  
Non-Alcoholic Mulled Punch and Mince Pies

**Sunday 18 December, 10.30 am**  
Christmas Meeting including a  
Younger Church Christmas Presentation  
Coffee/Tea and Mince Pies

**Christmas Day**  
Sunday 25 December - 10.30 am - 11.15 am  
Come and celebrate with us on this special day



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A "MEN IN SHEDS" Evening

**Fish & Chips...Men's Business**

Friday 2 December 2016, 7.00 pm  
at Sheep Drift Farm, Martlesham, IP10 0BJ.

To book a place/s and order your fish & chips  
...Cod or Haddock & Chips (**£6.00 per head**)...



...please sign the board at the back of the Auditorium  
or contact Church Office on 01394 273700  
or Andy Mayhew on 07836 262787  
**and pay** Derek Palmer (07952 640642)  
**by Wednesday 30 November.**

**CHURCH Directory**

We are soon planning to issue an updated version of the Church Directory.

If you are not included in the current Directory and would like to be added, please complete a slip (available from the Welcome Desk) or contact the Church Office by telephone on 01394 273700 or email: mail@riveroflifechurch.net.

If you are in the present Directory, please check your details and contact the Church Office with any additional information or amendments. Thank you.

**Supporting the Homeless in  
Felixstowe and our Emergency Store  
recipients this Christmas**



This Christmas, we would like to give to four supported housing projects for the homeless in Felixstowe and also to our Emergency Store recipients.

Please take a label from the Christmas tree which will be at the back of the Sanctuary from Sunday 6 November and buy the gift detailed, wrap it or put it in a gift bag, attach the label and place it under the tree by Sunday 11 December.

For any further information please speak to Pete Howe.

**Daughters Connect**

Friday 9 December, 7.30 pm  
DVD & Festive Ice Cream Sundaes  
at Great Bealings Hall



Calling all Daughters to join together on Friday 9 December, 7.30 pm at Great Bealings Hall for a special festive evening.

We will watch a DVD and make & enjoy Festive Ice Cream Sundaes together!

Please sign up board at the back of the Sanctuary to indicate that you would like to join us.

## Sunday Evenings

### Prayer Meetings

Sunday 27 November  
and 11 December 2016

7.00 pm in the Coffee Area

*There will be no Evening Meeting on 4, 18 & 25 December.*

**All Welcome**

## The Church Office



is usually open

Monday to Friday 10.00 am – 3.00 pm

Phone: 01394 273700 (answerphone available)

Email: Anita: [anitachenery@riveroflifechurch.net](mailto:anitachenery@riveroflifechurch.net)

General: [mail@riveroflifechurch.net](mailto:mail@riveroflifechurch.net)

**Safeguarding/DBS only to Funmi** :[funmiabitoqun@riveroflifechurch.net](mailto:funmiabitoqun@riveroflifechurch.net)

Post: Via the letterbox outside the Church Office



Please note that the  
Church Office

will be closed for Christmas/  
New Year from  
Friday 23 December  
& will re-open at 10.00 am on  
Tuesday 3 January 2017.

*Apologies for any inconvenience caused.*

## RIVER OF LIFE CHURCH

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[www.riveroflifechurch.net](http://www.riveroflifechurch.net)

### ELDERSHIP TEAM

Terry & Juanita Baker (Emeritus Pastors)  
Trevor Harris (Lead Pastor)  
David Cope (Outreach Pastor)  
Sean Englefield (Assistant Pastor)  
Raj S.V (Prayer Team Leader)  
Gary Peverley (Worship Leader)  
John Goldring (Eldership Co-ordinator)

### TRUSTEES

Full details available on the Notice Board

### DEACONS & DEPARTMENT HEADS

Full details available on the Notice Board

### TREASURER

John Goldring  
[johngoldring@riveroflifechurch.net](mailto:johngoldring@riveroflifechurch.net)

### CHURCH OFFICE

Administrator:  
Anita Chenery

### CUSTODIAN

Ray Harvey

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## LifeNews Monthly

*"Love the Lord your God with all  
your heart and with all your soul  
and with all your strength and with  
all your mind", and "Love your  
neighbour as yourself".*  
Luke 10:27

If you are a visitor, we would like  
to meet you at the  
**Welcome & Information Point**  
in the Coffee Area after the Sunday  
Morning Meeting, where we can also  
provide you with more details about  
River of Life Church.

We do not normally take up a weekly  
collection, but if you would like to give  
to the work and mission of this church,  
please place your gift in the blue box  
marked "Tithes, Gifts & Offerings" on  
the left-hand side wall upon entering  
the auditorium.

If you are a taxpayer and would like to  
use Gift Aid, forms, envelopes and  
pens are available next to the box.

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# THE POWER OF PRAYER

We meet every Sunday 10.00 am - 10.20 am  
 Wednesday's 11.00 am – 12 noon  
 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month  
 7.00 pm – 8.15 pm (approx)  
 at Christian Life Centre – All Welcome

## FRETTING & FUN

Guitar Tuition and Fellowship  
 with Steve Bloomfield  
 at Christian Life Centre

**Next Tuition: Friday 27 January 2017**  
 7.00 pm – 7.45 pm for children  
 7.45 pm – 9.00 pm for adults

Come and learn to play the guitar in worship & praise to the Lord  
 It will be fun and you will be blessed!

For more information, contact Steve Bloomfield on 07786 003307



## Moving Forward Night

River of Life Church 2017  
 with Bring & Share Supper  
 Wednesday 25 January 2017, 7.00 pm

An opportunity to come together as a Church Family, share food and fellowship and hear what God has planned for River of Life Church for 2017.

*Forward with Ministry*  
*Forward with Evangelism*  
*Forward with Life Groups*  
*Forward with New Members*

A sign up board will be available shortly. A 'must' night for all. Don't Miss it!

## EMERGENCY STORE

Thank you to everyone who contributes to the Emergency Store week by week.

All non-perishable food (with a reasonable use by date), toiletries and cleaning products are welcome — please place in the boxes provided on the right of the corridor leading into the Auditorium.

Please note that we mainly give out food to people on their own so smaller portions/tins/packages would be appreciated.



Please note that the Emergency Store is open each Sunday from 12.30pm – 1pm.

If you are in need of food, toiletries or household products, please come to the Meeting Room.

## THANK YOU!



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the collection for the Metro World Child Ministry at the evening with Pastor Bill Wilson. The offering raised £1,781.

Also, a huge thank you to everyone who packed and brought in shoeboxes for the Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal this year. The total number of boxes collected on Thursday 24 November was 398! Of these, 379 were from River of Life and 19 were brought in by members of the public.



## DATES FOR THE DIARY: DECEMBER 2016

- Thurs 1 Stargazers Youth Club 6.30pm
- Fri 2 Toddler Group, 10am  
Men in Sheds, 7pm, Sheep Drift Farm
- Sun 4 Morning Meeting, inc Breaking of Bread and Special Offering for Samaritans Purse Water Filters, 10.30am
- Mon 5 Alpha Course, Session 15, 7pm
- Tues 6 Prayer & Fasting
- Wed 7 Prayer at Christian Life Centre, 11am – noon
- Thurs 8 Stargazers Youth Club, 6.30pm
- Fri 9 Toddler Group, 10am  
Daughters Connect - DVD & Festive Ice Cream Sundaes at Great Dealings Hall, 7.30pm
- Sun 11 Morning Meeting, 10.30am  
Followed by Lunches for those on their own  
Prayer Meeting, 7pm
- Wed 14 Prayer at Christian Life Centre, 11am – noon
- Thurs 15 Stargazers Youth Club, 6.30pm
- Fri 16 Toddler Group, 10am  
Christmas Carol Celebration, 7pm
- Sun 18 Morning Meeting including Children's Presentations, 10.30am
- Wed 21 Prayer at Christian Life Centre, 11am – noon
- Sun 25 Christmas Day Celebration, 10.30am – 11.15 am

Please note that the Church Office will be closed from Friday 23 December and will re-open on Tuesday 3 January at 10am. The answerphone will be checked on a daily basis. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.