



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 15 January**

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

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



## WORD OF LIFE BIBLE SCHOOL

Module 1 :

**"The Foundations of our Faith"**

to be led by Pastor Trevor Harris in the Coffee Area on

**Mondays 6, 13 & 20 March 2017**

8.00 pm – 9.45 pm. Tea/Coffee served from 7.40 pm.

All welcome. See flyer for further details.

To help with set up and handouts, please book a place by signing the board at the back of the Auditorium or contacting the Church Office.

These studies will be dynamic and experiential and not just academic so don't miss them!



**Shared Lunch  
Sunday 22 January 2017**

Following the Marriage Blessing of Nick & Kim

There will be a shared lunch following the Morning Meeting and Marriage Blessing of Nick & Kim on Sunday 22 January 2017.

If you would like to join us for this lunch, please sign the board at the back of the Sanctuary indicating what food you will be bringing.



## 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 'must' night for all. Don't Miss it!

Please sign the board at the back of the Auditorium, indicating what food you will be bringing.

## A "MEN IN SHEDS" Evening

Fish & Chips ... Men's Business

Friday 6 January, 7.00 pm

at Sheep Drift Farm, Martlesham, IP11 0BJ.

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



... please sign the board at the back of the Auditorium or contact the Church Office or Andy Mayhew (07836 262787) and pay Derek Palmer (07952 640642) by Wednesday 4 January.

The next Men in Sheds will be February 3—a sign-up board will be available from Sunday 8 January.

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**Daughters Connect**  
Breakfast with Special Guest Tania Bright  
Saturday 18 March, 9.00 am.

You are invited to join us for breakfast on Saturday 18 March 2017 at Christian Life Centre. Enjoy a delicious breakfast and listen as Tania Bright shares her amazing story and what God has placed on her heart to share with us.

Tam (as affectionately known) is focussed on community renewal through relationships, reform and innovation. She is CEO of Love46 Europe concerned with child trafficking & exploitation, Executive Director of For Refugees and Member of the Board for Spring Harvest. Tam is an engaging speaker with a bias toward subjects most often avoided! Life is never boring with her two adopted boys that keep her busy. Tam laughs a lot and loves being in good company.

Admission free but booking is essential.

PLEASE SIGN UP VIA THE CHURCH WEBSITE (Ministries-Women), BY PHONING THE CHURCH OFFICE OR SIGNING THE BOARD AT THE BACK OF THE AUDITORIUM

Christian Life Centre, 2 Carr Road, Felixstowe, IP11 2FS.

Tel: 01394 273700

Email: mail@riveroflifechurch.net

Website: riveroflifechurch.net

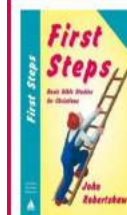


You are invited to an evening of  
**Tenpin Bowling**  
Wednesday 22 February at 7.30 pm  
at Kingpin, Martlesham

Come and join together for a fun evening of Tenpin Bowling at Kingpin Martlesham on Wednesday 22 February at 7.30 pm.

Cost is £11.00 per person (inc shoe hire) for 2 games each. Upfront payment required via Church Office by Monday 6 February.

Spaces are limited so book early to avoid disappointments by signing the board at the back of the Auditorium.



**First Steps For Everyone**  
Bible Study Course

Commencing Monday 20 February 2017  
at 7.00 pm at Christian Life Centre  
and weekly thereafter

A weekly series of interactive Bible Studies, Worship and Prayer with lots of fun and fellowship included. The course will be led by Pastor Sean and his wife Angela and is back this year by popular demand. Free Coffee/Tea and Biscuits provided.

Full details and enrolment on Church website www.riveroflifechurch.net under the "Teaching" menu. Alternatively by contacting Church Office on 01394 273700 or sign-up board at the back of the Auditorium.

For further information, please contact Sean & Angela on 01473 401239 or 07505 900458.



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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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## RIVER OF LIFE CHURCH

**Christian Life Centre**  
2 CARR ROAD, FELIXSTOWE, IP11 2FS  
Church Office Tel: 01394 273700  
mail@riveroflifechurch.net  
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

### CHURCH OFFICE

Administrator:  
Anita Chenery

### CUSTODIAN

Ray Harvey

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is a registered charity: No 1092998

## Sunday Evenings

### Prayer Meetings

Sunday 8 & 22 January 2017

7.00 pm in the Coffee Area

There will be no Evening Meeting on 1, 15 & 29 January.

All Welcome



Do you need healing?

**HEALING GOSPEL MEETING**  
Sunday 12 February, 7.00 pm

at the Christian Life Centre, Felixstowe. Hosted by the Street Healing & Outreach Team.

An informal evening, with a talk on what the Bible says about healing, followed by prayer for the sick.

Mark 16: 17-18: "These signs will follow those who believe... they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well."



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## 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

# 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



## 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.

## 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/packets 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.

## Special Offering of Items for the Emergency Food Store

Sunday 19 February 2017



**Are you aware of the constant demand on the Emergency Food Store?**

In the past three months alone we have supplied approx. 75 bags of food, cleaning products and toiletries, 15 grocery vouchers, as well as giving out 68 gifts at Christmas to those in need within the Church Fellowship and in the local community.

We are therefore having an Offering for items for the Emergency Store on Sunday 19 February. Please bring non-perishable food (with a reasonable use by date), cleaning products and toiletries.

£5 gift vouchers from Tesco, Co-op, Morrisons or Sainsburys are also welcome.

For details of specific items which are required, please see the special handout which will be available shortly.

Please place your love gift on the steps to the stage before the Morning Meeting on Sunday 19 February.

## THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Special Offering for the Samaritans Purse Water Filter Project Offering on 4 December. The offering raised £1,475.93.

