

# Viewfield Baptist Church

To enable people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ



Sunday 23 May 2021

10:30am Morning Worship

Rev Rae MacKenzie

The pre-recorded online service will go live just before 10:30am on our Facebook and YouTube pages (links on back page).

Welcome/ Notices/ Call to worship/ Prayer

To God be the glory

All age

Follow Me

Testimony- Rosemary

My Hope is Built (Cornerstone)

Prayer

Reading- Matthew 3:1-17

Message- "Walking in the Spirit."

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Communion

Prayer

\*Different songs will be used at the In-person worship service and it will include the act of baptism

## Welcome

We are in contact regularly by email.

If you have an email address, but have not been receiving church family emails and would like to do so, please send an email to [office@viewfield.org.uk](mailto:office@viewfield.org.uk) and ask to be included.

If you are worshipping with us today online, please say 'hello' in the comments. If you wish us to get in touch with you or have a particular need why not send us an email or private message?

**Communion** We will be led through Communion as part of the live stream. You may want to have bread and "wine" ready so that you can participate. If attending in person we will provide individual 'fellowship cups' containing non-alcoholic wine and 'bread' (note these are stored in separate compartments within the cup)

## Prayer Ministry

Please remember to pray for one another – especially those who are alone, ill and/or self-isolating.

Our Pastoral Care Team are sharing prayer requests and ensuring that everyone is looked after. If you have any particular requests or concerns, please either contact the pastor [pastor@viewfield.org.uk](mailto:pastor@viewfield.org.uk) or let a member of the team know.

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# What's on at Viewfield this week?

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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>23 May</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Morning Worship – Rev Rae MacKenzie (online and in-person )</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>25 May</b>	<b>2.00pm</b>	<b>Drop-In Prayer (Zoom)</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>26 May</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Prayer Meeting (Facebook)</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>27 May</b>	<b>8pm</b>	<b>Quiz</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>30 May</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Morning Worship – Rev Rae MacKenzie (online and in-person)</b>
		<b>2.20pm</b>	<b>Family Service (Sanctuary)</b>

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## Bible Study Questions

### Matthew 3:1-17 “Walk in the Spirit”

- 1) How is your relationship with the Holy Spirit? When was the last time you felt the prompting of the Holy Spirit?
- 2) Can you remember a special experience in your life when you were anointed in ministry by the Holy Spirit?
- 3) Consider a difficult time in your life when you experienced a peace that passeth all understanding.
- 4) Reflect and consider that you were adopted into God's family and that you are a child of God's.

## Notices

### Baptismal Service - Sunday 23 May

Today Rosemary Thompson (Summerson) will be baptised at our service. Please remember Rosemary in prayer on this special day. Although it is not possible to make the baptism part of the online service, Rosemary has pre-recorded her testimony for those watching the service online.

### Church Meeting – Wednesday 23 June

Our next church meeting will be held on Wednesday 23 June at 7.30pm. The meeting is open to both members and adherents of the church. The meeting will include the election of deacons. Paperwork for nominations to the diaconate will be circulated shortly.

### Community Outreach Prayer

Drop-in commences its community service and outreach work on Tuesday 1 June and a new prayer group is being formed to support this and other community outreach ministries. This prayer support meeting commences on Monday 7 June at 7pm, initially due to Covid restrictions by Zoom with an in-person meeting in due course.

If you would like to join this prayer support group or, if you are leading a Viewfield ministry that includes community outreach and wish to be supported in prayer, please let Brian McCarthy know by text to 07745 224760 or email at [mccarthybj@aol.com](mailto:mccarthybj@aol.com) Thank you.

## BMS Boxes and Birthday Scheme

BMS along with many other charities has suffered greatly with the loss of income during the pandemic. Boxes to collect your small change are an easy way of helping them continue their vital work overseas - while also lightening the load on your wallets and pockets. Even small amounts from an individual, when added to those of others soon mounts up. If you wish to have a box, please see Gillian Hall. Filled boxes can be handed in any Sunday.

The Birthday Scheme is another way of funding our own missionaries. This too is easy to join - just see Gillian Hall and she will give you all the details.

## In-person Services

We have begun meeting again in-person for Sunday morning worship at 10.30am. We will continue to provide a pre-recorded online service also at present. Due to a recent relaxation in government guidelines on numbers, we have been able to increase the number of seats on offer using the upstairs balcony however we still require pre-registration to monitor total numbers and for 'test and protect' purposes. The registration link for next Sunday will be sent via the email list after Sunday's service. Please note downstairs seating is limited and will be allocated based on need. Guidelines on social distancing and wearing face coverings (for age 5 and over) still apply.

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Online services 10.30am on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/viewfieldbaptistchurch> & YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/c/ViewfieldBaptistChurch>

Podcasts of the weekly sermon are available on the church website.

CDs of the full service are available on request. Please phone or email the Church Office.