



The Papworth Team Ministry

Deanery of Bourn

Diocese of Ely

The parishes of Bourn, Kingston, Caxton, Longstowe,
Boxworth, Elsworth, Knapwell,
Papworth Everard, Croxton, Eltisley, Toseland, Yelling, and
Graveley with Papworth St Agnes

Sunday 21 August 2005

Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

Readings (from):

Psalm 124; Exodus 1.8-2.10; Romans 12.1-8;
Matthew 16.13-20.

Collect

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen

For our prayers during the coming week

Sunday	Those with addictions to drugs or alcohol, their families and friends. Those combating these scourges.
Monday	<i>Pray for Mission Support – Congo Church Association.</i> Pray that the bibles and other literature given to churches in the Congo by Jeremy may help them to grow in their knowledge of God.
Tuesday	We thank God for those who care for the fabric of our churches. Praise God for those who clean and decorate the buildings; those who care for linen and furnishings, and in every way beautify our worship.
Wednesday	We pray for the Team Council and the members on this board. Pray for wisdom as they have discussions and make decisions.
Thursday	Pray for Clergy and Readers: Alastair McCollum, Anne Scott, Fiona Windsor, Jeremy Pemberton, Alexandra Clarke, Nigel Pearson, Paul Gildersleve, and Pauline Scott. Give thanks and pray for others who minister regularly in the Team, among them, Canon John Sweet and Revd George Thomas.

Friday	'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven' (Matthew 5:3). Thank God for the opportunities he gives us. Thank God for the love, joy, peace and hope we receive from him. Pray that we will share these gifts with others through what we say and do in our everyday lives.
Saturday	Please pray for the work of the Gideons. Their primary aim is to distribute bibles into Hotels, Hospitals, Doctors and Dentists, Schools, Colleges, Prisons and Homes for the elderly. Pray that the doors will remain open, new opportunities will arise and that people will use the bibles.
Everyday	Pray for the situation in Israel and Palestine this week.
International Prayer Focus	Heavy flooding in northern Darfur, Sudan has flooded the Abu Shouk camp for displaced people. Toilets have been flooded. Food rations and possessions have been washed away. Please pray that aid will reach those most in need, despite the rains, and that there will be a good harvest this year. Please pray for continued safety for aid workers in Darfur as they regularly travel long distances in areas of insecurity.

Please also pray for other forthcoming meetings and activities, among them:

7.00pm, Sunday, Caxton Parish Church, **Team Evening Worship-Praise**

9.15am, Monday, Boum Parish Church, Boum – **Ministry Team Morning Prayer and Meeting**

7.30pm, Wednesday, Boum Parish Church – **Mid Week Communion**

Confirmation Classes

for those in Year 7 and above
will be starting on September 26th at 7pm
in Papworth Rectory.

Contact your local minister if you want more information or to take part in the classes.

Other Events in Cambridgeshire

Supporters of Tearfund invite you to hear **Jeff Woodke, Director of JEMED, Niger** at Eden Baptist Church, Cambridge on Wednesday 31st August at 8 pm. JEMED helps the nomadic Tuareg people to adapt their way of life as their land turns increasingly to desert. Alison Newson is organising a car load – if you are interested in going please either contact Alison on 01954 719504 or Ruth.

The World Heart Day Walk *In aid of the Papworth Hospital Charity* (vital equipment for the Cardiac Unit)

Sunday 25 September 2005
at Wimpole Hall Estate, Near Royston

Papworth, the UK's leading centre for the diagnosis, treatment, and research into cardiothoracic diseases, is launching a new fundraising event in 2005 on World Heart Day. Join our 6 mile sponsored walk and family fun day in aid of the Papworth Hospital charity. By taking part you'll be helping raise money to buy vital equipment for our Cardiac Unit.

Parking at Wimpole is free, picnics are allowed, dogs on leads are welcome. Please note that the terrain of the course is unsuitable for wheelchairs.

For more information or an entry form please contact: Rev John Coombs, Papworth Hospital Chaplain on tel: 01480 830541 or the information line on 01480 364237 or email fundraising@papworth.nhs.uk

Services Next Week . . . Sunday 28th August

Team North

10.30am Holy Communion at Papworth

Team South

8.30am Holy Communion at Caxton
10.30am Holy Communion at Longstowe
6.00pm Evening Prayer at Kingston

Team West

8.30am Holy Communion at Graveley
10.30am Morning Prayer at Croxton
6.00pm Evening Prayer at Yelling

Next week's Bible Readings to help us prepare for worship (from): Psalm 105.1-6, 23-26, 45b[115]; Exodus 3.1-15; Matthew 16.21-end; Romans 12.9-end.

Items for next week's pew sheet to RUTH GILDERSLEVE by Tues evening please.

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