



**Welcome to
Longmeadow Evangelical Church**

Sunday 15th January 2017

“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NIV)

If you are visiting for the first time, please make yourself known to one of the welcoming team

Sunday 15th January

10.30am Morning Service with Communion

With a Bible overview part 2 by Russell Knell, followed by refreshments

Children's groups meet during the Service:–

*Crèche (Pre-school), Discoverers (Age 3+ –School year 1),
Adventurers (School years 2–5), Ignite (School years 6–9)*

6.30pm: Evening Service (Leviticus 8–10)

Monday 16th

1.30pm: Crafternoon

Tuesday 17th

9.30–11am: Toddler Group

7.30/8pm: Home Groups

Wednesday 18th

10am: Women's Fellowship: Share & Prayer

12 noon: Home Group

Friday 20th

6.15pm: BRAG (school years 2–6)

8pm: Straight Up (school years 7–11)

Saturday 21st

8.30am: Prayer in the church lounge

Sunday 8th January

10.30am Morning Service

With a Bible overview part 3 by Ben Epps, and children's groups, followed by refreshments

6.30pm

Communion Service (Leviticus 11–15)

Please note that there is a loop system for the benefit of those with a hearing aid: just switch to the 'T' setting.

Please ensure your phone is turned off during the service. Thank you.

Sunday morning sermons are available for downloading from the church website

Home Groups are held at various times and venues during the week for Bible study, prayer and support in small groups. Please see one of the Pastors or Elders for further details.

The next **Women's Breakfast** will be on **Saturday 28th January at 9am at Wetherspoons** in the Old Town. All welcome, just turn up!



Introducing **True Story, 5th–12th February** – a week of events for you to invite friends and neighbours to, led by a team from the Cornhill training course, which will include:

Table Talk at the Pied Piper, 7–8pm, Tuesday 7th

Men's Breakfast, and **Ceilidh** (see *below*) on Saturday 11th

Quiz with buffet, 6.30pm, Sunday 12th.

Fliers on the foyer table, more details from Ben Epps.

Do book now to bring your friends and family along to the **Ceilidh**, with a live band and buffet, on **Saturday 11th February, 7–9.30pm**.

Full details from Lucy Thompson, fliers and sign-up sheet on the foyer table.

Prayer matters!

Join us for prayer at the church next **Saturday 21st January at 8.30am**, and on **Tuesday 31st January at 8pm**, all are welcome.

Please pray this week

For the USA and its new president as he takes office this week

For David and Liz Power working with OM in Zambia

For preparations for the *True Story* week of events

*Items for inclusion in next weeks' notices should reach John Cooper by **Thursday morning**. Also please contact John to receive the notices by email.*

Contact details

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If you would appreciate a visit from a Pastor or Church Visitor, please do ask!

Other Meetings

Crafternoon meets most **Mondays, 1.30–3.30pm**; all welcome. Details from Gillian Hodder

Toddler Group meets from **9.30–11am each Tuesday** during term time. Details from **Karen Hoskins**

The Women's Fellowship generally meets at **10am** on **alternate Wednesdays**. Details from **Margaret Armstrong**

Senior Moments for those 50+ meets on **alternate Thursdays at 1.30pm**, with **lunch from 12.30pm**. Details from **Jean La Plain**

BRAG (School Years 2–6) meets on **Fridays from 6.15–7.30pm**. Details from **Gemma Campbell**

Straight Up (School Years 7–11) generally meets at **8pm on Fridays in term-time**. Details from **Ben Epps**