

# Rotas for March 2010

ROTAS	7th March	14th March	21st March	28th March
P.A.	10 am	Hanni Mead	Rob Wicks	Kelvin Bryant
	7pm	N/A	N/A	N/A
Crèche	Sue Stanzl Nicola Stanzl	Millie-Marie Pienaar Laura Mariner	Sylvie Good Caroline Smith	Jean Tuck Sandie Dobinson
Small Group responsible 10.00 am	Sparklers HG	C2J HG & Focus	Revival HG	Bayfran Way HG (Communion)
7 pm	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
for other rotas	8th – 13th March	15th – 20th March	22nd – 27th March	29th – 3rd April
Cleaning	L & K Rigby	K Bryant & G Killer	M & C Smith	T & M-M Pienaar
Chairs	6th March Paul Tuck	13th March Dave Smith	20th March David Wild	27th March Geoff Killer

## BLANDFORD EVANGELICAL CHURCH

# Welcome

Welcoming, Worshipping, Witnessing by G.R.A.C.E.  
Growth, Response, Action, Community, Evangelism

'I am the vine and you are the branches. If you stay joined to me and I stay joined to you, then you will produce lots of fruit.  
But you cannot do anything without me.'  
John 15:5 (CEV)

### SUNDAY 7TH MARCH 2010

10.00 a.m.

Living the Jesus way  
'Gentleness with humility'  
(Philippians 4:5)

SPEAKER: CHRIS SHAW

TEA & COFFEE WILL BE SERVED AFTER THE SERVICE

7.00 p.m.

## CELEBRATION SERVICE

BEC Pastors: Brook MacCallum (Tel: 480241), Chris Shaw (07506072361)

\*\*\*\* PASTORS' DAYS OFF \*\*\*\*

Brook & Liz – Fridays, Chris – Mondays

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Brook: [brook@becbygrace.co.uk](mailto:brook@becbygrace.co.uk)

THE DEADLINE FOR THE NEWSLETTER IS 12 NOON ON WEDNESDAYS.  
Please send all items to the church office—items received after 12pm may not be included.

# WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK AT B.E.C.

## Monday 8th March

- 9.30 a.m. Private booking until 12.15 p.m.
- 2.00 p.m. Private booking until 3.00 p.m.
- 2.30 p.m. Monday Fellowship, Speaker: Nick Magor
- 7.00 p.m. **Christianity Explored**

## Tuesday 9th March

- 9.30 a.m. Private booking until 12.15 p.m.
- 10.15 a.m. Mums & Tots HG @ BEC crèche—Jean Clark (860460) for details
- 2.00 p.m. Private booking until 2.45 p.m.

## Wednesday 10th March

- 9.30 a.m. Private booking until 12.15 p.m.
- 2.00 p.m. Private booking until 3.00 p.m.
- 7.30 p.m. Junction @ church until 9.30 p.m.
- 7.30 p.m. Prayer Plus

## Thursday 11th March

- 10.00 a.m. Noah's Ark Toddler Group
- 7.30 p.m. Larksmead HG @ Rubery, Fairfield Road
- 7.30 p.m. Sparklers HG @ 80, Cobham Road

## Friday 12th March

- 7.00 p.m. Alberts Youth Club

## Saturday 13th March

- 10.00 a.m. Church Weekend—please see details opposite
- 7.30 p.m. Focus, Junk Fashion @ BEC (£2.) Show your creative side. Make the ultimate catwalk number out of junk and then compete for the Junk Fashion 2010 Award.

## Sunday 14th March

- 9.30 a.m. 'Jesus be the Centre' with Ian & Ruth Coffey, please see details on opposite page



## Missionary Prayer Focus – Wycliffe Bible Translation Project with the Bagwere people in Uganda

- Pray for the bible translation and literacy teams, that they would be encouraged in their work. Give thanks for their commitment.
- Pray for them and their families, for protection spiritually and physically.
- Pray that they would be able to establish among the Bagwere people a sense of ownership of the Translation and Literacy projects.

### Tearfund –

Bribery has a direct and negative impact on poor communities all over the world and it hampers work to reduce poverty. A new bill called the Bribery bill is currently going through parliament.

- Pray that the bill will be passed into law before the general election. Ask God that UK companies will be convicted to invest more responsibly in poor countries.
- Pray that the bill will effectively deter companies from committing bribery.

## PRAYER AT HOME

Please remember:

All those who are in mourning for the loss of their loved ones.

**Liz Horne's mum** who has had surgery & is awaiting the results of tests.

**Ruth Coombes** who is now home after a stay in hospital following an infection.

**Lewis Gleason & family** as he continues his course of radiotherapy.



**Jill Cornick** who has had a fall and injured her knee.

All those involved with the Christianity Explored Course.

**Liz Flanagan** who is finding life a struggle at the moment.

Please continue to pray for **Audrey** and her family.

*There is an emergency prayer chain—please phone the office*

# WHY GOOD FRIDAY?

*A musical drama of the Easter story for today*

Musical Director **Jay Buckle** Choreography **Rugged Hands**  
Written & Produced by **Brian Harries**

**THE LIGHTHOUSE, POOLE** 18th, 19th & 20th March 2010  
Tickets: Adult £12.50 Concessions available

**THE REGENT CENTRE, CHRISTCHURCH** 2nd & 3rd April 2010  
Tickets: Adult £12.50 Concessions: £10.50

Lighthouse - Poole Centre for the Arts  
21 Kingland Road, Poole  
Tel: 0844 406 8666  
www.lighthousepoole.co.uk

Regent Centre - Christchurch  
51 High Street, Christchurch  
Tel: 01202 499 199  
www.regentcentre.co.uk

*All performances 'signed'*

Programme:  
Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> March

**CHURCH WEEKEND**

10.00 — Core Leadership Team 'GROWING LEADERS' - developing God-given gifts in ourselves and others

14.00 — Worship

14.30 — 15.15 Two Seminars for everyone in BEC (followed by tea/coffee)

'Stop the World I want to get Off' (Ruth—balancing life's priorities)

'What does God do on Mondays?' (Ian—discipleship Monday to Saturday)

Provision for children:

Coffee Lounge (Ages 5 -11: games, DVD, craft, snacks) Theme: TBC

Focus Lounge (Ages 11+: chill out, DVD, snacks—supervised) No theme!

**WITH IAN & RUTH COFFEY**  
**'JESUS BE THE CENTRE'**

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March

Title: 'Jesus be the Centre'

09.30 Session 1— Worship and teaching 'Roots and Fruit'

10.30 Coffee/tea break

11.10 Session 2— Worship and teaching 'Partners Together'

12.10 Conclude

Provision for children;

Coffee Lounge (PL, worship, teaching with Moorlands students)

Focus Lounge (Junction, teaching, games etc.)

**13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>**  
**March**



## Easter Outreach



### Easter Egg Great Giveaway Saturday April 3rd

You are invited to donate chocolate eggs, which will be given away in the town centre complete with a message card.

We are collecting eggs (hens' eggs in size) in the box at the front of the church,

Thank you.

## INVITATION

*Saturday 1st May @ 4.00 p.m. in BEC*  
*You are cordially invited to attend Chris Shaw's*  
*Induction & Ordination Service*

### BEC CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING

7.30 p.m. TUESDAY 11th MAY

Please make a note in your diary for the next meeting.

Deadline for Nominations and items for the Agenda

April 11<sup>th</sup> to Steve Tamplin please.



Gerry & Sue Mosney

are pleased to announce the arrival of their  
granddaughter, born on Friday 26th February  
weighing 7lb 14oz to their daughter Philippa & partner Joe

## DURWESTON VILLAGE HALL

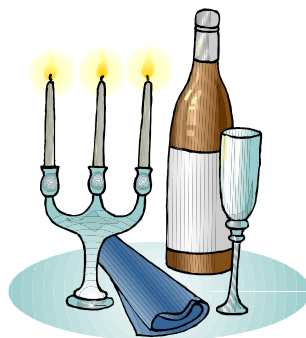
Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> March Candlelit Dinner

in aid of the Persecuted Church

Speaker from 'OPEN DOORS'

Tickets £7.50 to include glass of wine  
from:

Jean Whittle 454789, Durweston Village Hall 488883  
Blandford Parish Church 456260, Set Fair 4 Trade shop, 453555  
Salisbury Street



### OPEN DOORS – OPERATION EZRA

Do you have unwanted gifts of gold or silver jewellery (chains, necklaces, earrings, cufflinks etc?) The price of gold is currently high. The value of these unwanted items can be used to support persecuted believers across the world who suffer many hardships for their faith in Christ. A jeweller on the Isle of Wight who is a church representative for Open Doors conceived this initiative. I have a special envelope to sent off items for this purpose.

Caroline Smith

### Assisted suicide, Equality Bill etc etc

**Are you confused about what's going on with issues that affect us as Christians? Would you like to get a Christian viewpoint on these matters? One place to do this is the Evangelical Alliance website: [www.eauk.org](http://www.eauk.org) where there is access to the latest information and directions to other websites.**



## New Directory for 2010

A proof copy of the new directory for 2010 is available in the Coffee Lounge TODAY.

- Please will you check that your entry is correct and make any amendments needed.
  - Please tick in RED when you have checked it, so that I know it has been done.
  - If there isn't an entry for you, please add it to the list.
- Thank you for your cooperation, Amanda.

**DEADLINE**  
**11th APRIL**

**New**



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