



Faith at the Crossroads

Walking and Talking

BEULAH CROSSROADS

**June
2016**



The
monthly newsletter of
Beulah URC

The Rhiwbina festival is one of the highlights of my summer. It's lovely to see the village so full of people. The festival is part of Beulah's story – begun in 1984 inspired by our minister Rev Ken Graham. Beulah has continued to tell its story on the streets; think of Graffiti Jesus welcoming us with arms open wide at the pedestrian crossing.

As the weather improves I've been enjoying walking round Rhiwbina. I love the hidden footpaths and meeting people on my way. Dog walkers, shoppers, children in buggies and on scooters and people like me enjoying the open air and trying to walk their 10,000 steps a day to get fitter. When I moved here 10 years ago I was amazed by the number of people who smiled and said hello in the streets. It didn't happen where I lived in London. It's called community and it is very special.

But for some people a smile and welcome is more than special – it can make their day. Rhiwbina is a lovely place to live but I am sure there are some very lonely people, even among people we know.

Loneliness affects people of all ages and has a very big impact on mental and physical health. Some elderly people can spend days without speaking to anyone – particularly if their friends have died or moved away and newcomers don't say hello. Young people can also be very

lonely; it's great that Beulah has a youth drop-in for 11-14s and Youth Fellowship for older teenagers to provide space for them to meet and chat.

Research from the Joseph Rowntree Foundation has shown that initiatives to tackle loneliness are most effective when they involve people across the generations. We are fortunate at Beulah to have an all age congregation – let's build on this and continue to find fun ways of doing things together. Cycling, walking, camping, drama, knitting, music making – I will never forget Beulah Messiah, gardening – the list goes on. And let's invite other people to join in too – making them welcome.

We are very lucky to live in a beautiful village. Let's enjoy it – walking together and greeting the people we meet. In the words of Micah let's continue to 'Do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with our God'.

Vera Ruddock

While Beulah has no minister the front page is being written by different members of the congregation. It is a great opportunity to hear from people of different ages and backgrounds. If you would like to write 'the front page' please contact Vera or Pat Ruddock.

CHURCH NOTES

I think I can say that we are beginning to settle down as a congregation, and getting used to exploring new ways of doing things together. We have enjoyed a variety of services that members have led in the mornings, and were pleased that the United Communion service was able to take place in Beulah, put together by members of the Evening Worship group with Phil Dunning presiding at the Table. Several people responded to the question about worship training from the Moderator, and it is encouraging that so many wish to participate and develop their skills and confidence. Others have responded to the call to become part of the Pastoral Team – there will be more about this from Betty Evans, who has kindly agreed to chair the Pastoral Committee.

During this season of Pentecost, we have been thinking about the Holy Spirit and where we might be led as a church. Many words have been used to describe the Spirit, and I particularly like some of the ones in a hymn we sometimes use, 'Holy Spirit, gift bestower.' In this hymn, sung to the beautiful Welsh tune, Suo Gan, the words chosen are mostly descriptions of what the Spirit *does*, rather than what he/she *is*: the Spirit

brings gifts, proclaims Christ, brings wisdom, light, joy, love, comfort, reconciliation, peace, truth and faith, while guiding, inspiring and disturbing. We are discovering, perhaps, new gifts among the people of Beulah, gifts that are Spirit-given for us to use in the service of Christ, here in Rhiwbina and across the wider church.

FAMILY NEWS

A number of our members and friends have been ill at home or received hospital treatment over the past month. In our thoughts are Dennis and Janet Richards, as they wait for news about treatment for Dennis. We remember Geoff Griffiths, who is very unwell at home, following a surgical procedure in hospital, and Irene Bragg's husband, Peter, is in hospital. Margaret Thomas fell and broke her elbow, and Joyce Mathias has had a cataract operation. We have received the news that Anne Escott had a spell in hospital and has now moved to Ty Enfys in Pentwyn. We send these, and any others suffering illness and worry, our good wishes and prayers.

We are delighted to hear the news that Bethan Collins has given birth to a baby boy, and send her, Richard and Zac our warmest congratulations. We hope to welcome him

into church soon. We also congratulate Audrey and Ian Budding on the birth of a granddaughter, whose name is Eleanor.

We were also pleased to congratulate Mary Jones this month on her 90th birthday which was on May 9th.

During June we will be celebrating two Beulah weddings: Bethan Jones and Thomas Stanway on June 18, followed by Jonathan Grimes and Vicki Ware on June 25. We hope they will have wonderful days, and we are grateful to Ken Graham for taking the services.

We send our best wishes to all our young people who are sitting school, college and university exams this month, and hope they achieve what they have worked so hard for.

It is with mixed feelings that we realise that Stephen Best is coming to the end of his placement with us. We are delighted that he will have achieved his qualification, but sad that this time has come. We cannot express enough how valued and valuable Stephen's contribution to our church life has been; God has truly blessed his time here. He has walked alongside us,

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nudged and inspired us, and led us into thinking and exploring the faith in a many challenging ways. We will not say 'good-bye' as I am sure we will continue to have a relationship with Stephen within the Cardiff United Reformed Churches, but we would like to thank him, and to

celebrate the end of his four years of training. We need a Beulah party, so we will have one on July 15 – and if the weather is kind, it will be a barbecue. Look out for more details nearer the time.

Every blessing,

Louise

All Age Junior Church May 2016

Pith helmets and Pyramids, Maps and Camel Racing, it could only mean one thing - All Age Junior Church led by Andrew and Hollie Glanfield. The session started with the children learning a little about Egypt and some of the bible stories set there. Andrew dressed like an intrepid explorer and grabbed the children's attention right at the start. They looked at atlases, answered questions and posed some of their own - which is always good for keeping leaders on their toes! The two dozen or so youngsters then split into three groups for age appropriate activities. The smallest ones up to age 6 made pyramids out of card, put their own designs on them, and filled them with sweets to take home. The 7-11s used lots of plastic cups to create pyramids with different bases, linear, triangular and square, and delighted in shaking the table so that other people's designs fell over. Finally, the over 11s used rope and knots to explore how pyramid designs were set out.

Then it was on to the highlight of the morning - Camel Racing! A short track had been laid out in one half of the hall and the two camels, Doris and Ernie, were ready. They were actually props from the Beulah Players department which had been pressed in to service for the session, and the children were split into two teams so it was boys against girls. Every time someone from one of the teams managed to throw a ball into the bucket they shouted out the name of their camel and their camel moved one square. It was very competitive and quite exciting as the teams really got into it and the noise levels soared. After four races the honours went to the girls as they had won two of the races and also drawn one in a dead heat. The boys mentioned words like 'unfair' as the girls had been egged on by the children's worker, but were good natured about it really and lots of fun was had by all.

*Thanks
Gill E*

I am hoping to run a coach trip to Sidmouth on either **Saturday 3rd OR Saturday 10th September**. This will mainly be for us to visit the two donkeys which the children in Junior Church have adopted at The Donkey Sanctuary there – Teddy and Zena. There is plenty for all ages to do during the day and you can find out more information about this and the facilities available on their web site.

It will be a two and a half hour journey (no further than London) and I am happy for the Church to subsidise this and the cost will be £10.00 for adults and £5.00 each for children/young people. Entrance to the Sanctuary is free. If you want to visit Sidmouth itself then I am sure we can arrange for this too.

However, this trip cannot happen unless there is enough support for it. There is a list to sign in the Church Porch and I would be grateful if you could please indicate on that whether you are interested and, if so, which date you would prefer **not later than Sunday 12 June**. Thank you. If you have any queries or would like more information please don't hesitate to have a chat with me.

*Barbara
(07707 030787)*

Please send your Junior Crossroads contributions to Andrew Glanfield:
glanfieldar@cardiff.ac.uk

Pastoral Committee

A meeting was held recently to discuss how best to cover the pastoral needs of the Beulah Church Family now that we are without a Minister. The committee and volunteers have worked very well in the past and all that is needed is for members to be reminded about who to contact when a problem arises.

The first port of call is always the District Elder – the one who delivers Crossroads. (Districts are listed in the Directory) The Pastoral Team and helpers provide another layer of support to the Elders. Ann Brown has taken on the role of Pastoral Co-ordinator within the team, a role which will evolve over time through experience of what is needed. If an Elder would like support and help with one of their flock, be it for hospital visits or appointments, or whatever, then Ann has a list of people who have offered help and she will make sure that

support is available.

Pat Cazenave wrote in last month's Crossroads about her role as Home Communion organiser. We have a group of leaders who are able to preside over communion in the home and Pat is happy to organise and arrange this for those who are no longer able to come to Church. This is a lovely way for the Church to share God's love with the housebound, helping them to still feel part of the Church family.

Ann Grimes distributes the Church flowers. It is very important that Elders and members who know of anyone going through difficult times and would welcome flowers, let Ann know. Flowers often speak louder than words.

We come now to my role as Chair of the expanded Pastoral Team. I see this as being to convene meetings and to have an overview of what is happening. It is another evolving role. I would like to discuss with each

Elder what help is needed in each district and to identify vulnerable members of each group. Some Elders may need practical help with delivering Crossroads or visiting. A Pastoral visitor or carer from the team could be assigned to help in this way to work alongside an Elder and cover needs to be provided when the Elder is away. Without a Minister as backup, we need to put systems in place to cover what Peter did, as far as possible, always remembering that we are not professionals and some problems need more than we can give as caring volunteers. We are entering a new period and there may well be teething problems. We recognise that we cannot solve all problems but we must support and appreciate each other.

**COMMUNICATION IS
THE KEY TO EFFECTIVE
PASTORAL WORK.**

Betty Evans



CHARITY CONCERT

Alison Henson Jones, (Dorothy Jones ' daughter, with strong links to Beulah over the years), a mezzo soprano who has sung in the chorus of Welsh National Opera for several years, will

be performing popular operatic arias and lighter music on Saturday, 9th July at 1.15 p.m. in the Church to raise money for pancreatic cancer research. She will be accompanied by Rhiannon Williams-Hale on piano, and guests from Scottish Opera, Carol Rosa Opera and Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama.

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see up-to-date news and
activities from around the
Church.



Concerts at the Crossroads

Wednesday 29th June at 1.05pm

Mary Jean O'Doherty – soprano
Rhodri Taylor – clarinet
Caradog Williams – piano

Three distinguished local musicians join together to give this trio recital. Caradog and Rhodri have played for us before but this time they are joined by Caradog's wife the soprano Mary Jean O'Doherty.

Schubert wrote a beautiful trio for this combination called Shepherd on the Rock and they will perform that. Also in the programme is Morricone's Gabriel's Oboe arranged for trio and Rodrigo's Four madrigals- Quatros Madrigales.

This will be a lovely summer programme.

Tickets £5 on the door as usual

Evening Concert

The July 8th evening concert tickets are on sale now.

Friday July 8th at 7.30pm

The Lovell – Jones family

Charlie - violin, Harry – marimba, Lizzie – cello, Simon – piano

This is a wonderfully talented musical family from North Cardiff and this evening concert will give us an opportunity to hear them all play. A real family affair! Mother Sara is also joining in. They will perform a range of music and styles both in solo and ensemble form.

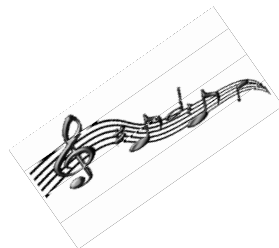
It promises to be a great evening.

Bring grand children as well as children – they come in for free!

Concert Tickets £10 from Trix on trix.unsworth@tiscali.co.uk or 02920 765177, Marg on 02920 627987 or Serenade in Rhiwbina village.

All cheese and wine tickets are now sold

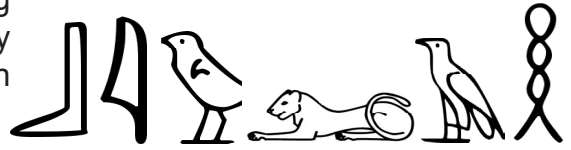
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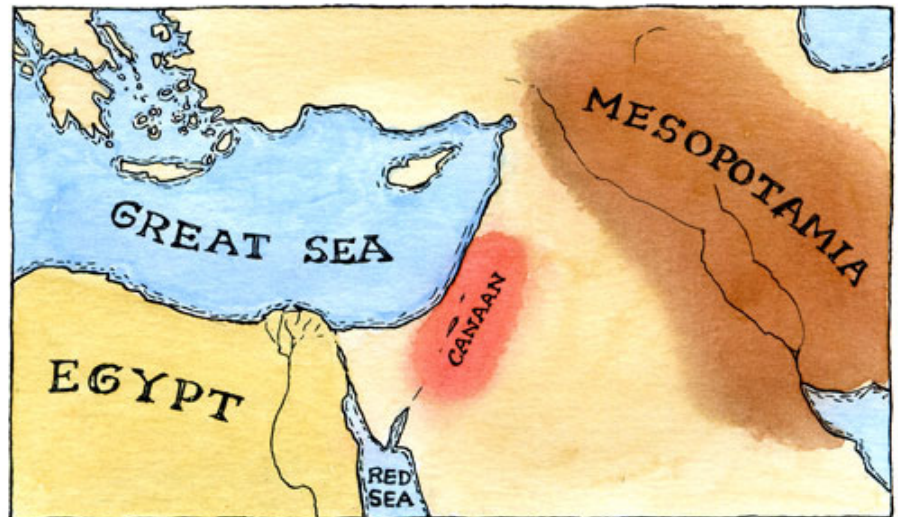
Croeso i Bawb!

All Age Junior Church – Egypt and the Bible

Sunday the 15th of March saw All Age Junior Church whisk our Canolfan back into ancient Egypt, to around the time of the Bible. Twenty children and young people joined in the fun and activities. When the children arrived, we had a selection of books and atlases on Egypt for them to look at and also a range of different Egypt based worksheets including mazes, dot-to-dots and wordsearches. Particularly popular was writing your name in hieroglyphics. Can you guess what this word is?



We started by examining the important relationship between Egypt and both our Old and New Testament stories. We found Canaan on old maps and learnt of how Joseph welcomed his brothers and father, Jacob – who God named Israel, from Canaan to come and live in Egypt, even though they had sold him into slavery and ruined his multi-coloured coat.



We then learnt how, many years later, Moses led the Israelites across the Red Sea and out of slavery in Egypt and how, after 40 years in the wilderness, they ended back in the region of Canaan by the banks of the river Jordan.

Most importantly, we heard how Mary and Joseph and their brand new baby, Jesus, fled from Herod into Egypt and lived there for perhaps around five years before returning home to Nazareth.

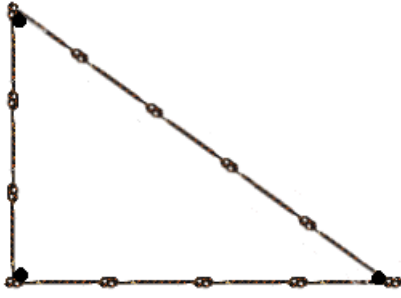
Here are some interesting facts we learnt about Egypt:

- That Egypt is mentioned 750 times in the Bible!
- The capital city is (now) called Cairo.
- The river that runs through Egypt, and which keeps it lush and green by its banks, is called the Nile. The Nile runs North to South and ends in the Mediterranean Sea.
- That 'Pharaoh' isn't a name, but rather a title, like 'king', and that there are lots of different pharaohs in the Bible.
- Egypt was once split into two kingdoms running along the Nile, the Upper Kingdom (South, away from the Mediterranean), whose rulers wore a white crown, and the Lower Kingdom, (North, next to the Mediterranean), whose ruler wore a red crown. Pharaohs who ruled the whole of Egypt wore ornate crowns which were made up both of the red and white crowns.

We then split into three groups. The primary department coloured in and made 3D models of pyramids – which contained not a mummy but a sweetie!

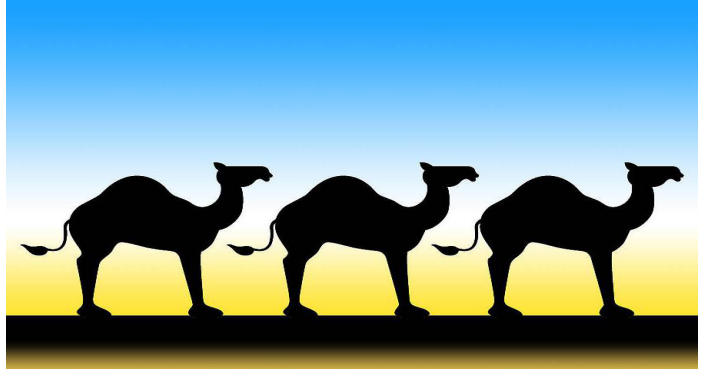
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from p.6 The Juniors built pyramids out of plastic cups. They tried linear, triangle and square based pyramids to see which were the most stable. The Seniors used Pythagoras' theory to make a right angle using a long knotted piece of string, just as the Egyptians are thought to have done many years ago to make sure their pyramid bases were properly square.

We then all came together for a camel race. Ernie the camel for the boys' team racing Doris the camel for the girls' team. A ball thrown successfully into a bucket meant Doris or Ernie could move one step along the desert track towards the cool water of the oasis. This was lots of noisy fun and, by popular demand, we had four races in total which saw Doris win 3 to 1.



This was my first All Age Junior Church and I am extremely grateful for the help of Gill, Hollie and the other Junior Church leaders who made it so easy for me to to run on the day. I'd also like to thank the children (and some of the parents too!) for engaging so well with all the activities.

Andrew Glanfield

ARE YOU FULL OF BEANS?

Increasingly, our ability to support the coffee service in the Whittaker Lounge is under threat.

Sadly, previous requests have not resulted in us being able to recruit more volunteers willing to join the rota upon which this service depends. At this time, we have particular problems on two days

- we are looking for one person to join the Thursday rota and,
- we are looking for two people to join the Saturday rota

In both cases, volunteers would work one week in five and would need to be available from 9:30am until 1.00pm.

Please consider joining the team and call me on 029 2075 4608 if you are able to help.

*Many thanks
Christine Pugh*

Beulah goes Camping

We propose this year that the Beulah camping trip runs the weekend of the 9-11th of September. We will return to Pembrey Sands Country Park in Llanelli, which has excellent camping facilities, a lovely beach and optional extras such as a toboggan run, segways and horse riding. We plan to arrive on the Friday night and return Sunday afternoon, anyone who is happy to spend a night or two under canvas is welcome to join us, and it is near enough that others in the church family could enjoy the delights of the area for a day. It will be a very relaxed, informal weekend, with shared cooking (hopefully including chocolate digestive and toasted marshmallows!) If you are interested please talk to Marianne or Nigel Barwise, or look out for the usual signing up list in the church porch, as we will need to book a pitch.

Church Calendar: June 2016

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| Sunday 5th | 10.30 am: | Worship Team, led by Trix Pryce Junior Church Coffee served in Canolfan after service |
| | 6.00 pm: | United Communion Service at All Saints |
| Monday 6 th | 7.30 pm: | Church Meeting |
| Weds 8 th | 10.30 am | Church Office |
| | 10.30 am | Mid- Week Meeting Point |
| | 7.30 pm: | Beulah Alive |
| Friday 10 th : | 3.15 pm: | Youth Drop-In |
| Saturday 11 th | 10.00am | KIN Cake Stall, Whittaker Lounge |
| Sunday 12th | 10.30 am: | Mr Stephen Best Junior Church Coffee served in Canolfan after service 'Street Party' Lunch to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday |
| | 7.15 pm | Youth Fellowship |
| Weds 15 th | | No Church Office |
| | 10.30am | Mid- Week Meeting Point |
| | 7.30 pm: | Beulah Alive |
| Saturday 18 th | 12.00 noon: | Marriage of Bethan Jones and Thomas Stanway |
| Sunday 19th | 10.30 am: | Rev. Roger Bidnell: Communion Service All age Junior Church Coffee served in Canolfan after service |
| | 7.15 pm: | Youth Fellowship |
| Weds 22 nd | | No Church Office |
| | 10.30 am | Mid- Week Meeting Point |
| | 7.30 pm: | Beulah Alive |
| Friday 24 th | 3.15 pm: | Youth Drop-In |
| Saturday 25 th | 10.15 am: | WRB Prayers: Bethany Baptist |
| | 12.00 Noon: | Marriage of Vicki Ware and Jonathan Grimes |
| Sunday 26th | 10.30 am: | Worship Team. Preacher – James Hall Junior Church Coffee served in Canolfan after service |
| Paradise Run Collection | 6.00 pm: | Service in Whittaker Lounge: Mrs Ruth Williams |
| | 7.15 pm: | Youth Fellowship |
| Weds 29 th | 10.30 am: | Church Office |
| | 10.30 am: | Mid- Week Meeting Point |
| | 1.05 pm: | Lunchtime Concert: Mary Jean O' Doherty (soprano), Rhodri Taylor (clarinet) & Caradog Williams (piano) |
| | 7.30 pm: | Beulah Alive |
| JULY | | |
| Saturday 2 nd | | URC Synod Wales 'Big Day Out' at Llanelwedd, Builth Wells |
| | 12:00-7:00pm | Rhiwbina Festival Saturday: |
| Sunday, 3rd | 10.30 am: | Mr Richard & Mrs Sarah Edwards Junior Church Coffee served in Canolfan after service |
| | 6.00 pm: | United Communion Service at Bethany Baptist |
| | 7.15 pm: | Youth Fellowship |
| Weds 6 th | 10.30 am: | Church Office |
| | 10.30am: | Mid- Week Meeting Point |
| | 7.30 pm: | Beulah Alive |
| Friday 8 th | 3.15pm: | Youth Drop-In |
| | 7.30 pm: | Concert by the Lovell-Jones family |
| Sat 9 th : | 1.15 pm: | Lunch time concert – Alison Henson Jones |
| Sunday 10th | 10.30 am : | Mr Stephen Best: Family Service to include the Baptism of Olivia Grace Brown Coffee served in Canolfan after service |
| | 6.00 pm: | Film Night – Mrs Betty Evans |
| | 7.15 pm: | Youth Fellowship |
| Monday 11 th | 7.30pm: | Elders' Meeting |

Annual Report for Junior Church 2015

As not everyone was able to attend the Annual Church Meeting in April, we thought you might like to read the report for Junior Church.

Thank you to Melanie Bartley for preparing the report.

Junior Church attendance figures January–December 2015:
Creche 0-4yrs - max. 3 (variable each week)

Primary 3-7yrs - range 3-16 children, average number per class 7

Juniors 7-10yrs - range 6-19 children, average number per class 11

Seniors 11-18yrs – range 2-24 children, average number per class 8

During the Summer Holidays, All Age Junior Church continued.

Junior church parties were held during January/February.

Report from the Primary department (Pat Cazenave) – Creche and primary enjoyed a really good party on Sunday 1st February in the Canolfan. Emily and Alice Cheer did games with the children that they really enjoyed and we especially give out thanks to them both. There was also a bouncy castle.

Report from the Junior department (Gill Edwards) – The Junior department had their Christmas party at Bowlplex, Nantgarw on Saturday 24th January. Nineteen children enjoyed a fun game of bowling with several leaders and parents in support. The children were split into 4 groups and the winners were as follows (the younger ones had the barriers up at the sides to help keep the bowling ball on track)
Older boys – Jonathan Glanfield with a score of 59
Older girls – Tillie Grandin with a score of 96
Younger girls – Crystal Wales with a score of 96
Younger boys – Jamie Allen with a score of 103
Afterwards we moved to the party

area and the children enjoyed burgers/hotdogs/chicken nuggets and chips. They all thought it was delicious and there was very little left over. We asked them if they had enjoyed and got a resounding 'YES!'

Report from the Senior department (Marion Williams) – On 25th January, the 20 young people went to Nandos for lunch, MacDonalds for ice cream and Bowlplex for bowling!

A new format was introduced at the beginning of the year where the children stay in Junior Church all morning on the 2nd Sunday of the month. On the 3rd Sunday of the month the children will return from Junior Church to take part in communion. They will stay in for the whole time for baptisms. Otherwise, they follow the usual pattern of church first and then transfer to their classes in the Canolfan.

All departments of Junior Church participated in communion services throughout 2015, Juniors in April, Seniors in June and Primary in October. Creche and Primary provided flowers for the congregation on Mothers Day and participated in the Easter service.

Holiday clubs/play days continued with success during the half-term holidays in February and October 2015. The Youth Drop In Centre was also held on selected Fridays after-school over the year. A number of extra-curricular activities outside of the Sunday morning Junior Church sessions have been successful. Activities for the transition age group of 11-13s included tubing, a sleepover and high ropes. Thanks go to Gill Edwards, Beulah Children's Worker for organising these extra activities.

Thanks were expressed to

Audrey Budding who stepped down from her role as Junior Church Co-ordinator. Audrey was thanked for her long service and dedication to the role over many years, with the presentation of a gift and a 'surprise' meal. Melanie Bartley took over the role as co-ordinator during September, after a short overlap period.

Anne and Frank Rees accepted the role of Safeguarding Officers at Beulah and thanks go to them both for their regular contributions and involvement relating to safety matters in Junior Church.

Promotion Sunday took place on 6th September, with the biggest group of young people moving from the Junior department up to the Seniors. Cradle Roll took place on 29th November.

All 3 departments took part in the Harvest service on 27th September. The groups followed the theme of 'Living Stones' with the Primary department expanding on the 'Growing Gardens' theme, the Junior department with 'Living Stones' and the Senior department with 'Shaped by Christ'.

The Seniors, once again led the service on the 4th Sunday in Advent, 20th December 2015. The Blessing the Crib service on 24th December was also once again performed by the Junior/Primary/Creche departments. This year it was based on a more classic Nativity theme, adapted from a previous theme performed about 10 years ago.

Once again, Junior Church continues to be a busy place. Many thanks go to the department leaders and helpers for all their hard work, time and commitment to the successful running of the Junior Church activities.

Melanie Bartley 25/04/2016



The theme for the day is 'Growing in Faith' with particular focus on the Emmaus Road story in Luke 24.

There will be workshops, Bible study, displays, a quiet room for prayer, all-age worship and activities for children.

Synod Days have always been most enjoyable and it would be great if a number of us could arrange to go – it's a lovely setting and a good way to meet people from other URC congregations all over Wales.

We have been sent a yellow bag in which we are invited to place items to represent the journey our church is on. Nigel and Marianne Barwise are organising this so, if you have any ideas for what to put in it, please see them.

Unfortunately, it does co-incide with Rhiwbina Festival Saturday, and many of us are committed to that – but if you would like to escape the hustle and bustle of Rhiwbina that day, then please sign the list in the porch. There is a coach going from Cardiff, which we may be able to use, but we need to know numbers quite soon.

*Thanks,
Louise*

Hello! As many of you may remember, last year I spent 3 months in Uganda volunteering in Sanyu Babies Home. Some of you may have come to the 'Travellers' Tales' evening and heard all about my adventures, and also Lydia's and Rhian's. We were all very generously supported by the Church Travellers' Fund, and Beulah has since passed onto me a further generous donation to support the work of Sanyu – including money raised at the Travellers' Tales Evening. Thank you very much Beulah!

This year on June 20th I leave the UK to return to Uganda for two months, where I will be volunteering at Sanyu Babies Home again. I will take the money that has been donated by the church and use it to buy vital supplies like formula milk and nappies, along with anything else the home particularly needs.

I have also decided to do a bit more fundraising, because I would really like to fund a trip for the older children at Sanyu. Usually they spend their days doing the same thing every day, only leaving the compound to sit on the grass to watch the traffic go by. This is considered a treat as it is a break from routine. If I raise enough money I would like to take them to a local play centre, or perhaps to the swimming pool. I'm very grateful to the church for the support it has already given to Sanyu of course, but if anyone would like to make a donation towards the day trip, the fundraising page is:

www.crowdfunding.justgiving.com/emily-cheer

Emily Cheer

CELEBRATION!

A CONCERT AS PART OF WHITCHURCH FESTIVAL WEEK
AT WHITCHURCH HIGH SCHOOL DUTCH BARN CONCERT HALL
ON THURSDAY 30TH JUNE AT 7PM
HOSTED BY NIALL ALLEN (ONLY MEN ALOUD)



FEATURING:

- THE WORLD FAMOUS CORY BAND (CURRENT EUROPEAN CHAMPIONS)
 - TENOVUS CARDIFF NORTH CHOIR
 - VOICEMALE
 - WOMEN IN HARMONY
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- THE TENOVUS SHOP RHIWBINA.

ELECTRONIC NOTICES



If you would like to add your email address to the group receiving the notices electronically each week, please contact Anne James (a.james813@ntlworld.com).



Stop Press

Book Launch at
Canolfan Beulah,
Friday July 22nd at
2:30-4:30 pm.

Dewi writes...

Christian Aid Cymru: Beginnings, by Dewi Lloyd Lewis

It is a real pleasure for me that this written record is being launched at Beulah as I know the admirable support given over all these years and currently by the members and community.

Many thanks. Best wishes.

Dewi

Who's Doing What and When

| | Mini-Bus Driver | Duty Elder | Stewards | Pulpit Reader |
|-------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| June | | | | |
| 5th | am Mike Warsop | Liz McCarthy | Helen Harries & Lynne Davies | Anne James |
| | pm | | United Communion - All Saints | |
| 12th | am Huw Morgan | Anne Wilkes | Betty Evans & Frank Kinsey | Elaine Edwards |
| 19th | am Colin Grimes | Nesta Thomas | Gill Grivas & Betty Hulston | Jill Ferdinando |
| 26th | am Keith Jones | Andrew Glanfield | Bev Hampson & Richard Sweetnam | John Prosser |
| | pm | | Evening worship in MWL | |
| July | | | | |
| 3rd | am Tony Webb | Lynne Davies | Glenys Scott & Elinor Ludlow | Lorraine Larcombe |
| | pm | | United Communion - Bethany | |
| 10th | am Harley Jones | Anne Wilkes | Jenny McDowell & Chris Phelps | Liz McCarthy |
| 17th | am Ian Budding | Ruth Williams | Kaye Mundy & Derek Evans | Andrew Glanfield |
| 24th | am Mike Warsop | Gaynor Rees | Denise Dickman & Pam Penny | Eleanor Mills |
| 31st | am Huw Morgan | Audrey Budding | Christine & Duncan Pugh | Eleri John |



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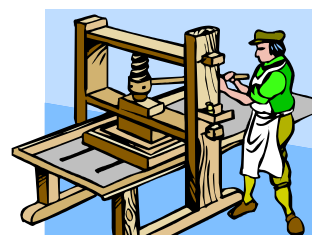
June
 5th Ian & Bev Hampson
 12th Mair Haywood
 19th Bethan Jones & Thomas Stanway
 26th Vikki Ware & Jonathan Grimes

July
 3rd Anne James
 10th Kaye Mundy
 17th Christine Pugh
 24th Pat & Cyril Cazenave
 31st Elaine Edwards



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 Sunday, 26th June, and
 Colin will be editing.
 Note later than usual date**



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