



The Key

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12th February 2017 (Issue 418)

Welcome to the Eden Church. If this is your first visit with us we pray that you have an enjoyable time. Please stay for coffee or tea after the service where we look forward to meeting with you.

This week I have been looking at Psalm 19 vs 1 thru 6 where we see God is revealing himself to the whole world through creation. David says that when you look at the universe it is obvious that there is a God!

"The heavens declare the glory of God, the skies proclaim the work of his hands. Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they display knowledge " vs 1-2

The wonderful thing is that God's revelation of himself in creation is available to everyone. No-one is excluded from looking.

"There is no speech or language where their voice is not heard. Their voice goes out into all the earth, their words to the ends of the world" vs 3-4

This week, take time to study God's creation, even if it is searching for a space in the grey skies above, and thank him for who he is, and enjoy all the beautiful things God has made.

Mary

Today Morning Service – Mel

When the service has finished, please help stack the chairs from Hall 1 and the church at the front of the church.

This Week

Monday 13th

ALPHA Week 5. 7:30pm

Prayer for Alpha at Helen Holbrook's house from 8pm.

14th, 15th, 16th

There are various youth activities Please speak to Myriam for details.

This Week(Cont)

Wednesday 15th

Refresh at Bridges 2pm.

Friday 17th

Ministry of Movies – Sully Cert 12A 7:30pm. Doors open 7pm.

Saturday 18th

07:30 Prayer meeting at the church.

Mega Movies Ladies Film Night. Speak to Myriam for details.

Next Sunday 19th February **Communion - Mel.**

House Groups.

If you do not currently attend a group you will be welcome to join one of the groups. Please speak to the group leader.

David Adamson & Emma Jonas hold a weekly Bible Study on **Thursday 10:45am**. Please speak to them regarding current venue.

Colin & Pat Miller hold a weekly meeting on **Wednesday 8pm**

Bible Basics Group meeting on Wednesday at Ron & Dorothy's.

Inter-Church Fellowship bible study group meets at Ron & Dorothy's House on **alternate Tuesdays from 10:00 - 11.45** A crèche can be arranged if needed.

Next meeting 14th February. More info ring 862121

Please speak to one of the Leadership Team If you would like prayer or wish to discuss any matters.

Melanie Commandeur (Minister) (01732 667438). Day off Friday.

Ron Sutton (Elder) (862121); Julie Barry (Elder) (07799 130557); Patrick Moore (Elder) (864275); Richard Wheeler (Elder)(01342 850873) : Carole Jenkins(Elder)(863564) : Martin Perrett (Secretary) (863797): Heddwyn Jenkins (Treasurer) (863564):

Dates for your Diary.

Tuesday 21st February

Ministry Team Meeting 7:30pm

Prayer & Worship gatherings will continue to occur on the **first Wednesday each month**. Please put these dates in you diaries - **1st March, 5th April, 3rd May, 7th June, 5th July, 2nd August, 6th September, 4th October, 1st November, 6th December**. These dates will be confirmed in the Key as necessary.

Dates for your Diary.(Cont)

Saturday March 11th

Come and join us for **Messy Movies**. Enjoy ice cream, popcorn and a movie aimed at primary school aged kids from 4:30 – 6:30pm. Children must be accompanied by an adult. £2 per ticket. Speak to Lizzie for details.

Also **Mega Movies** (for the 10 + age group) on the same dates above 7:30 – 10pm. Speak to Myriam for details.

Tuesday 14th March

London City Mission Annual Meeting 2:30pm

Would you like to learn how to setup & operate the church PC on a Sunday morning? We need 2 people to become fully able to carry out this important part of our weekly worship. Experience of Windows 10 & Powerpoint desirable. David C will run a workshop on Saturday 25th February – venue to be confirmed – from 09:30 – 12:30. Please speak to him today if you are willing to undertake this duty on a regular basis.

MILK BOTTLE TOPS

Please note that after TODAY, Colin will no longer be collecting bottle tops. Please re-cycle them with other plastic.

The next edition of the Key will be on 19th February.

All items for publication should be sent to

key@edenchurch.edenkent.org no later than 17:00 on

Thursday 16th February.

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	Today	19th February	26th February
Welcome	Karen k & VOLUNTEER	Helen P & David A	Ron & Dorothy
Flowers	Mavis	Dorothy	Glenys
Coffee	Ron & Dorothy	Felicity & Anne S	Myriam & Eden Youth
Key Leader	Mary	Colin	David C
Setup	VOLUNTEER	David F.	Heddwyn

Edenbridge Medical Services Consultation.

As promised, we are now able to start the public consultation on the proposed exciting opportunities for the future of health services in Edenbridge and surrounding area starting today, **Wednesday 1 February until 26 April 2017**. The consultation documents, information and online survey are on the CCG website <http://www.westkentccg.nhs.uk/edenbridgefuture>

We will be asking you about four potential options for a new combined hospital/GP surgery in Edenbridge and telling you about our preferred option. We think this is a real opportunity which will benefit the residents, patients and staff in Edenbridge and surrounding areas gain a modern fit for purpose facility and secure medical services in Edenbridge for the future.

We know you have been waiting to take part - there were rather more processes to go through than we anticipated back in the Summer - and hope you can encourage others to become involved. There will be several ways you can contribute: via surveys online <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/edenbridge> , or on paper, by sending the CCG a letter or email, or coming to one of the public meetings at

- **Eden Centre, Four Elms Road, Monday 13 March 4 to 5pm**
- **WI Hall, Station Road, hosted by Tom Tugendhat MP Saturday 25 March 11.30 am to 1pm**
- **Edenbridge Leisure Centre, Stangrove Park, Tuesday 25 April 6.30 to 8.30pm**

If you have a group who are interested in our plans and would like the CCG to come to your group and talk, or provide information at an event please let us know by contacting: engagement.secsu@nhs.net or call 03000 424348

We want to know what you and your family and neighbours think of our plans, and continue the discussions started last year.

<http://www.westkentccg.nhs.uk/edenbridgefuture>

We look forward to seeing you at a meeting. The document will be available in hard copy from Tuesday in the surgery, the memorial hospital, the Eden Centre, the Council Offices, the Churches - it will take a little longer to get them to outlying villages - Bridges and the Leisure Centre. There will be posters around the Town.
