

WHO'S WHO?

Stephen and Pippa Mawditt: Stephen leads the Fountain of Life Network Church supported by his wife Pippa, who is on the leadership team.

Madeline Light leads the Fountain of Life congregation in Norwich based at St Stephen's Church.

Paul Wilkinson is in the process of training for ordination.

Wendy Sargeant is a Reader in the Church of England and heads up our listening and prayer ministry team.

John Watts heads up the worship team for the network.

Rebecca Watts leads the administration team of the Fountain of Life Network and is PA to Stephen.

Neil Richardson is the Finance Manager for the Fountain of Life Network.

David & Christine Buscall: David, assisted by his wife Christine, is the treasurer of the Fountain of Life.

Tim Wilson is founder of Mid-Norfolk Kidz Klub and leader of Kidz Klub in Ashill.

Maryanne Richardson leads Kids Klub in Scarning, oversees the schools ministry and offers pastoral support to families.

Ana Paula Wedermann is our Kidz Klub Primary Schools Worker.

Adam Jackson is one of our Youth Workers and oversees our graphic design and multi-media functions.

Matt Beckett is our Youth and Kidz Klub worker.

Andrea Jolly is our Family and Children's worker. Andrea runs a Christian pre-school - First Steps - and organises our children's ministry for 0-11's.

Freddy Hedley is director of the New Wine Training Partnership hub for East Anglia.

Andrew and Julia Rees head up evangelism, taking responsibility for organising guest services, events and activities such as 'God on the streets'.

Heather Nunn oversees our Mercy ministry to those in need and organises CAP money management courses.

Julia Seaman watches over the prophetic ministry.

Richard Dilks is our site warden and ensures the maintenance of the buildings and grounds.

Martin Down is founder of the Fountain of Life church in Ashill. Martin is retired from full-time ministry and is our resident theologian.

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News from the *Fountain of Life Network*

JULY/AUG 2011

Dear Friends,

There is something contagious about hope. Hope is the joyful anticipation of good. Think of children approaching Christmas time; or your pet dog awaiting a treat. Hope puts something in the atmosphere that creates an expectancy which leads to an overflow of joy. We are called to be that sort of people: a people who carry hope into life and, simply by doing so, bring transformation.



One of the prophetic words coming out of our time away is this: 'Hope won't disappear. Don't you feel the vibration of hope? Hope has returned. Hope has returned. Hope has returned. Hope is coming back. Hope is coming back. It is raw, exciting, wild and untamed.'

It is great to be back in the midst of a people who are so passionate about Jesus and seeing His Kingdom come. We have such a glorious future hope to hold onto: resurrection and life; a new heaven and earth; an eternity of joy, goodness, love and peace. It's a hope that fills us with joy and when people see real celebration then it's contagious. But there's more. Hope takes care of the garden of our heart. It hears first God's view of who we are. It enables us to cope with disappointments and unanswered prayer. It can be tough to hold on to hope. A hope that rises above our fears, circumstances, unemployment, affects of recession or life itself. It's hope that says life is not defined by what others have done. It's hope that declares things will not remain the same. It's a hope that the way things are, are not as they will be. Hope does not disappoint us. That's the promise of Scripture.

We need stories to encourage us to hold on to hope. Just this week we seem to have heard story after story of God's intervention in a supernatural way in all aspects of life and salvation: people coming to faith, physical healing, financial provision, employment and relationship issues resolved. God is interested in every aspect of life; hears our prayers; intervenes in amazing ways; is always present even when we think he's absent; loves us when we don't deserve it; and is committed to everything changing. That includes us.

It's a hope founded in the person of Jesus Christ. Our hope is in Him. Someone said to us whilst away: 'Remind the people that they are not the Fountain of Life; Jesus is the Fountain of Life. Fountain of Life is not to be your identity; your identity is in Him.' We hope that over the summer each of you gets your own personal sabbatical of rest and re-creation: may you find especially your rest in Him and in Him may you find your hope.

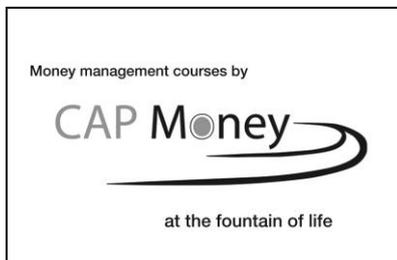
With our love and prayers

Stephen & Pippa Mawditt

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MANAGE YOUR MONEY, LIVE YOUR LIFE

CAP Money is the pro-active educational arm of the charity *Christians Against Poverty*, aiming to empower people to fight poverty before it hits.



The *CAP Money Course* isn't for people with debts (though they can be catered for) - it's for everyone, from students to the newly retired, for single people and families,

because *CAP* has seen that learning how to set a budget and stick to it helps to debt-proof people in the long term.

There are more than 800 churches in the UK delivering *CAP Money* in their locality and The Fountain of Life is one of those. Trained *CAP Money* coaches Colette Wilkinson, Julia Seaman, Wendy and Jim Sargeant, Harriet and Matthew Beckett and Heather Nunn are just waiting for you to sign up to a course!

Courses are planned for July and September and you can join them by contacting any of the coaches directly or leaving a message for us at the church office (ideally fill in a yellow form on the table in the church foyer). If you can't make these courses or times, please fill in a

yellow form anyway and state what days and times you could manage (the course is three sessions - two hours over three weeks).

EMERGENCY PRAYER TEAM

If you have an urgent prayer request before 11th July please contact your home group leader. If the situation is really serious please contact Stephen or Pippa Mawditt. From 11th July onwards normal service resumes, God willing. Please ensure you have the permission of the person concerned first.

Heather Nunn

To receive prayer for an emergency or pressing need, phone or text:

07979 264 047

Heather Nunn
Emergency Prayer Chain Co-ordinator

MUSICAL KEYS



We continue to be blessed each time we meet together as a supportive group of old and new friends with a common cause - to love one another as Jesus commanded. The love that we have experienced through those we minister to is overwhelming. One of our families invited Jim and I to two of their personal family events recently: Robyn's 21st (see photo) and Samuel's dedication at Grace Community Church, near Downham Market. It is such a privilege to know such amazing people and it just makes us more determined to continue what God has called us to do with special needs/disabled folk.

Our next event is on 20th August and will have a beach/summer theme. Once again, we are working together with other churches expressing a real unity of love between us for the sake of working out the gospel among the disadvantaged in these days. We all find it such a joy and we think God approves of this sort of thing! (John 13:34-35)

Jim and Wendy Sargeant

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INTENSE 'INTENTS' IN TENTS

Great time to report back on Intents 2011! Thank you all so much for your prayers and support for the weekend. In one sentence, Intents is a camp for Year 6+ with loads of games, worship and teaching. It's a bit like a mini New Wine with water fights (sort of)! This year was fantastic - we had 70 children attend from loads of different churches and a larger number than ever from unchurched backgrounds. The spiritual repercussions have been big: a number of kids gave their lives to the Lord, more are coming to discipleship groups and God's been touching lives.

This year is a bit of a staging point for what is to come though. If the numbers continue in the way they have for June 1st 2012, then we have to rethink groups, catering and layout! But what wonderful problems to have! Here are some of the testimonies from the kids from the weekend:

"We had a prophesy day activity today where some people came in and talked to us about what it was like to talk and prophesy about Jesus. It was really meaningful and I think God and what the people were saying spoke to us all. Grace picked a magazine article on bikes or something, it said something like, 'By making a few small basic adjustments, you can improve how you ride through rough terrain.' I felt God speaking to me through this, because when I'm going through bad times, I know that God wants to improve his relationship with me and I know God will help me to extinguish the flaming arrows of the devil, which is what we were doing at Taking Back Sunday."



"Emily had a picture of apple trees that were giving lots of fruit. We were picking it but it just kept coming and growing; as we picked, it still kept coming and we were filling baskets but it didn't look like we had taken any. And the verse she had was: 'The harvest is ripe but the workers are few.'

"Hi, this weekend has gone so fast, it's been so much fun!!! I'm already exited about next year. On Sunday and Saturday evening, I was filled with the Holy Spirit and I started crying uncontrollably. I really enjoyed meeting with God and the talk on prophecy. I couldn't believe it wasn't actually that hard. Thank you everyone for such a great weekend. Amen."

TEACHING AT THE TOUCH OF A BUTTON

Recently, I was sent a link for *Times Square Church* from a friend. She encouraged me to listen to the messages for women delivered by Teresa Conlon. As soon as I could, I listened to the first session of a broadcast recorded in Dublin on 13th November 2010. In those moments, I received a new truth. In her message she encouraged listeners to turn to 1 John 3:20 'whenever our hearts condemn us. For God is greater than our hearts and He knows everything.'

I don't know where to start to begin to tell you just how much that message impacted me. Suffice to say

for now that I am changed - forever. My purpose for writing this is to advertise the fact, and to encourage and remind those that know, that there is a wealth of teaching available from all over the world, at the touch of a button: podcasts of sermons from churches all over the world, the richness of hearing the word from a different culture/perspective/accent!

It is all available. Just keep safe - as with all teaching, we must check it out with the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the word of God.

ANOTHER FoL BIKE RIDE!



The beautiful city of Bruges is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Europe's most popular destinations. It is also the main attraction on this year's Fountain of Life bike ride! Not content with cycling in only one overseas country last year, this year we intend to do three: Holland, Belgium and France - all in one long weekend. I am planning the trip for Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th September. This means for those at work you will only need to take one day off.

We will start by taking an overnight ferry from Harwich to the Hook of Holland. The route will then take us down the Dutch coast, across huge dams, causeways, ferries and man-made islands. We will spend Friday night in Middelburg. On the Saturday we will cycle on to Bruges to arrive midday. We will then have the rest of the afternoon and evening in Bruges. On the Sunday we will cycle out of Belgium and along the Normandy coast to Dunkirk where we catch the ferry back to Dover, arriving late afternoon. The total distance is approximately 150 miles and is all very flat but beware of headwinds! Holland and Belgium are excellent for cycling with proper cycle lanes everywhere and they are very interesting countries to cycle through.

I expect the cost to be around £160 per person. This includes ferries and accommodation, but not travel to Harwich or back from Dover. How we do this, and whether we have a backup vehicle, will be dependent on how many people fancy coming.

If you do fancy the challenge please let me know by Sunday 24th July so that I can start making bookings. To sign up or to ask any questions, please corner me at church or contact me on 01760 441041 or by email at danandbeckyrussell@btinternet.com

Dan Russell

FoL ADMINISTRATION TEAM NEEDS SUPPORT

If you are passionate about organisation, are efficient, computer literate, want to support the existing ministries in the church and have a few hours spare each week then please speak to Becky Watts about helping with the increasing demands on the FoL administration team. Email admin@folchurch.co.uk or call 07990 543 131.

ROOM AVAILABLE?

Hi, my name is Roy Roberts and I have been working with the church since September as an intern, since when I have made many friends and my life has changed a lot. I really feel that God is calling me to stay with the Fountain of Life a bit longer (at least) to carry on serving the church, as well as building on the relationships already formed with many. I would like to ask anyone who lives near the church whether they would be willing to have a lodger for a short time or a bit longer. Being an intern has brought many highs and lows but being here with everyone is definitely a high and I pray that will continue for some time.

SUMMER CLEANING EXTRAVAGANZA

During the week beginning 15th August, especially the 16th and 17th, we are having a cleaning celebration at The Well. We are looking for anointed people who would love to be part of a team giving The Well a vigorous clean inside and out. Could you please sign up to help us to know when you can come? There is a list in the foyer or phone the office on 01760 441 902. Sharon will be co-ordinating the team inside and Richard the outside team. All sorts of jobs will need to be done, so there will be something for everyone; young and old!

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE SCOTTS!

The new contact details for Jimmy, Mitzi, Myra & Austin Scott are: 1221 River Birch Drive, O'Fallon, IL 62269, USA. Email: emailingmitzi@yahoo.com

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



CARERS: SUPPORT FOR THOSE WHO CARE FOR OTHERS

We are having a carer's outing to Gooderstone Water Gardens on Tuesday 12th July at 2pm. For more information about the Carers Ministry please speak to Susan Walker or Jean Watson.

FOL CHURCH PARTY!

This year's Fountain of Life church party is on Saturday 16th July 2011, 3-7pm. It will be a fantastic time of fellowship and of course there will be a hog roast! Bring a chair/blanket, something to drink, salad or dessert and perhaps even a friend! There is a suggested donation of £3 on the day.

AWAKEN SPECIAL – PRAYER FOR REVIVAL

We can be very encouraged that an increasing number of *Prayer for Revival* meetings are taking place across Norfolk, encompassing a wide range of different church fellowships, under the strap-line 'Partnership without Ownership'. Fountain of Life will be co-hosting a similar gathering with Dereham Baptist Church and many other churches in this area have been invited to join us. This event is on Tuesday 12th July, from 7.30-9pm, at The Well. Do come along if you can, and invite friends from other churches. Let us play our part in releasing the power of God through our united prayers, to bring in a mighty move of God in Norfolk and our nation!



RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS

During the morning service on Sunday 17th July there is the opportunity to renew your marriage vows as a couple. Please let Stephen know if you would like to be included.

TEACHING RECORDINGS AVAILABLE

For CD copies of the Sunday morning talks, please contact Peter Mouncer on 01366 384 726 or email him at petma@talktalk.net

HOME GROUPS: PLACES OF BELONGING AND DISCIPLESHIP

These are midweek groups that meet in people's homes either during the day or in the evening. The groups meet regularly to study the bible, build friendship together, have fun, worship and pray. Please talk to Pippa Mawditt (01760 440363) if you would like to join one or find out more.



BOOKINGS

All bookings for the Worship Centre can be made through Rebecca Watts admin@folchurch.co.uk 07990 543 131 or 01760 441 902.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

July

- 3rd 10.00 Service of the Word
Habakkuk 2:1-4; Psalm 31:1-6; Ephesians 2:19-end; John 20:24-29
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
18.00 Feed the Soul: Acts 27:1-28:30
- 10th 10.00 Holy Communion
Genesis 25:19-end; Psalm 119:105-112; Romans 8:1-end; Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
18.00 Feed the Soul: Ruth 1:1-2:23
- 17th 10.00 Service of the Word
Genesis 28:10-19a; Psalm 139:1-11, 23-24; Romans 8:12-25; Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
18.00 Feed the Soul: Ruth 3:1-4:22
- 24th 10.00 Service of the Word
Genesis 29:15-28; Psalm 105:1-11, 45b; Romans 8:26-end, Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
- 31st 10.00 Holy Communion
Genesis 32:22-31; Psalm 17:1-7, 16; Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:13-21
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'

August

- 7th 10.00 All Age
Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28; Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b; Romans 10:5-15, Matthew 14:22-33
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
- 14th 10.00 All Age
Genesis 45:1-15; Psalm 133, Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32; Matthew 15:21-28
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
- 21st 10.00 Holy Communion
Exodus 1:8-2:10; Psalm 124; Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 16:13-20
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'
- 28th 10.00 All Age
Exodus 3:1-15; Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b; Romans 12:9-end; Matthew 16:21-end
16.00 Norwich: '4 o'clock Gathering'

THE MEANING OF LIFE IS ... ?

THE ALPHA COURSE is a wonderful foundation and introduction to the Christian faith as well as being a great place to make new friends. If you are interested in coming to our next course, please talk to Stephen or Pippa (01760 440 363).



UNCOMING EVENTS

JULY (all activities at The Well unless stated)

1 st	19.00	Youth discipleship (location: see <i>fo/YOUTH</i>)
2 nd	10.10	Kidz Klub, Ashill
5 th	18.00	NWTP
6 th		CAP Money course
7 th	18.00	Jam
8 th -10 th		Young adults camping weekend (location: Brandon Parva)
8 th	09.00	Bezalel
	18.30	ID+ (Years 6-8)
9 th	10.00	Freedom in Christ (location: Ashill)
10 th	14.30	Good Companions
12 th	19.00	Awaken Special
13 th	19.30	Freedom in Christ (location: Ashill)
		CAP Money course
14 th	18.30	Jam
	19.30	Freedom in Christ (location: Norwich)
15 th	19.00	Youth Discipleship (location: see <i>fo/YOUTH</i>)
16 th	10.10	Kidz Klub, Scarning
	15.00	FoL party
20 th	19.30	Freedom In Christ (location: Ashill)
		CAP Money course
21 st	18.00	Jam
	19.30	Freedom in Christ (location: Norwich)
22 nd	09.00	Bezalel
25 th -29 th		Kidz Klub Holiday Club, Scarning
28 th	19.30	Youth huddle
29 th	09.00	Bezalel

AUGUST (all activities at The Well unless stated)

30 th Jul-5 th		New Wine (location: Newark)
5 th		Film night
7 th		Kidz Klub Holiday Club, Ashill preparation afternoon
8 th -12 th		Kidz Klub Holiday Club, Ashill
14 th -18 th		Soul Survivor Week 3 (location: Bath and West Showground)
20 th	11.00	Musical Keys

Thursday Prayers - 10am every Thursday in the worship centre. Term time only.

Noah's Ark Parent and pre-school gathering - 10am every Thursday in the bungalow. Again, term time only.

Jam 1 Youth Band - 18.30, Jam 2 Youth Band - 19.30, both every Thursday during term time in the Worship Centre.

DEADLINE FOR *fo/NEWS* SEPT 2011

The deadline for submitting news articles and testimonies for the September 2011 edition of *fo/NEWS* is Sunday 17th July. Please submit articles to admin@folchurch.co.uk. If dates for forthcoming events could be sent as soon as information is available then we will do our best to publicise even if *fo/NEWS* has been printed. Where possible, please try to keep articles to 250 words or less.