

WestwoodHill  
Evangelical Church

FEBRUARY

2021

A warm welcome is extended to all "on line" visitors.  
If you would like to know more about our church and beliefs,  
please feel free to contact us.

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# Welcome

We thank our Technical Team for enabling us to access our “online Church” and for those who participate each week.

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## Sunday 7th

11.00 am

### Speaker

Derek Blair

*Discipleship: The Conditions - Mark 8:32-9:1*

6.30 pm via Zoom

Alan Gamble - **Elisha**

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## Sunday 14th

11.00 am Service

### Speaker

Willie MacLean

*The Transfiguration - Mark 9: 2-13*

6.30 pm via Zoom

Alan Gamble - **Elisha**

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## Sunday 21st

11.00 am Service

### Speaker

Alistair Noble

*Jesus Heals the Boy - Mark 9: 14-29*

6.30 pm via Zoom

Alan Gamble - **Elisha**

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## Sunday 28th

11.00 am Service

### Speaker

Gordon Anderson

*Lessons for the Twelve - Mark 9: 30-37*

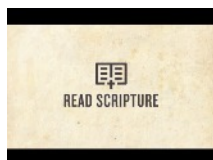
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This month - Alan Gamble is teaching us via Zoom each Sunday evening. We would encourage you to join with us each week & learn much about this Old Testament Prophet Elisha.

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Throughout this year of 2021, we encourage all of the Church to join in reading the Bible in one year. The Elders wish to encourage and challenge everyone in Westwoodhill to read the Bible for themselves and discover the truth and beauty of God’s Word. Scripture

is God’s gift to us, lighting up our paths and drawing us into a relationship with Him. Download the **readscripture.org** app to your phone or any other device you use and follow along with the reading plan. **Never too late to start!!**

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This month's offering is for **PopUK**. Here is an update from Andy Silver: I greatly value the ongoing, faithful support Westwoodhill show towards PopUK. The whole team and Trustees value it enormously.

Since the pandemic, PopUK has made significant changes to the way we work. We are no longer able to deliver school-based projects in person. This has been both challenging and exciting!

**Pre Co-vid Work:** From September 2019 - March 2020 we delivered projects in 32 schools. Each project enabled schools to strengthen their relationship with churches, parents and community groups. We also presented the project at Derby, Coventry, Nottingham Diocesan Head Teachers Conference. Another 20 projects booked between March - July but Co-vid put an immediate stop to any 'in-school' projects.

### **Work achieved during Covid:**

- 1. Launching Virtual Workshops** - Development of SMSC (Social; Moral; Spiritual; Cultural) learning, Christmas and Easter virtual online Workshops. 18 schools took up our Christmas workshops.
- 2. Creating 'Ready to go' Video Lessons:** 10 videos have been created and based on a variety of SMSC development topics.
- 3. Developing an Annual Membership Scheme:** Schools can now sign up to access our full library of songs and video lessons. We are currently marketing this offer to schools nationally in two phases :

**Phase 1: (Jan - Feb) Internet Safety day**

**Phase 2: (Mar - Apr) Easter projects.**

We are immensely grateful for all the support we have received over the past year from Trust Funds and individuals, particularly through the Co-vid crisis.

### **Prayer requests:**

- 165 schools have downloaded our free resources this week. These Resources will be sent to parents for their children to engage with at home. Pray that God will uses these to bring hope and assurance of God's love for each of them at this time.
- Although the above is encouraging, we do have to create an income source. Pray that schools will be drawn towards paying our Annual Membership Scheme.
- Please pray that we might be successful with our funding applications we have submitted this week.

**Andy**

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### **For our children:**

Each Sunday there is a lesson taught and songs sung and that is accessed through their Facebook page WWH Sunday Club. Watch out on this page for further things to do.



On Thursdays there is a thought or Bible story posted by Basement Club through their Facebook page.

Ignite & T4:12 meet every two weeks when possible. Contact John Darroch or Ali Miller for further information.

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### **Prayer with Powerline**

If you have a prayer request, please contact Ann Smith  
If Ann is unavailable, contact: Brenda Cameron or  
Yvonne Smith.

If you do not have these contact details, email your request to  
**[powerline@westwoodhill.church](mailto:powerline@westwoodhill.church)**

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For your information and prayers the Elders meet regularly. Please feel free to contact any one of them with news or matters of concern.

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### **Westwoodhill Prayer Points:**

#### **Continue to pray for:**

1. Those who are concerned and anxious as restrictions continue in our country.
  2. For those undergoing medical treatment and procedures and for all medical personnel, teachers and those working in the caring community
  3. For our children and young people who continue with home schooling and their parents are they teach and encourage.
  4. For our families and for our Church family especially those impacted by this pandemic.
  5. **PTL** for the engagements of Ewan and Lindsay, Aaron and Brid and as they start to plan their future lives together.
  6. **PTL** for the vaccine that is rolling out and we are thankful too that a number in our fellowship have received their first dose.
  7. Spending our time wisely and continue to encourage one another.
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