

## Stewards/Teas and Coffees

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February  
 Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February  
 Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March

Reed's Small group  
 Hawkins' Small Group  
 Forrest/Thwaites Small Group



*'Continually reproducing the life of Jesus...'*

## Diary Dates

DATE/TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup></b> 10.00am 8.00pm	Rendezvous (parents and toddlers) PURSUE Evening	Ebenezer Church Ebenezer Church
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup></b> 8.00pm	Small Groups	Various Locations
<b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 10.00am 10.30am 8.00pm	Daytime Small Group Taste Cafe Small Groups	Ebenezer Church Ebenezer Church Various Locations
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup></b> 2.00pm	<b>1830 Pastorate Weekend Away</b> Footprints	Hebron Hall Ebenezer Church
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>1830 Pastorate Weekend Away</b>	Hebron Hall
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup></b> 9.30am 10.30am 7.00pm 7.00pm	<b>1830 Pastorate Weekend Away</b> Global Partnership Prayer Meeting Sunday Service The Rock (youth group) Evening Celebration	Hebron Hall Orchard School Orchard School Julie C's House Woodlands Church

## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February

### Sunday Service

10.30am at Orchard School

'The power of words' – Proverbs 18:20-21, Matthew 12:33.37

Speaker – Steve Allan

### 1830 Pastorate – Nourish

(for students and young adults)

1pm at the Hedinger's house.

### The Rock Youth Group

7pm at the Reed's House

### Bristol Regional Celebration Evening

7pm at Woodlands Church

HOLY: Communion

Speaker – Dave Mitchell

## Future Diary Dates

27 <sup>th</sup> February	Integrity (for Ebe men)	Ebenezer Church
28 <sup>th</sup> February	BISC Pancake Party	Ebenezer Church
5 <sup>th</sup> March	First Sunday	Orchard School
5 <sup>th</sup> March	1830 Pastorate – The Gathering	Ebenezer Church
12 <sup>th</sup> March	Newcomer's Meal	Ebenezer Church
18 <sup>th</sup> March	Messy Church	Ebenezer Church

The deadline for submissions to the news sheet is mid-day Wednesday. Please send all notices (no more than 75 words please) to the church office, if possible by email to [info@ebe.org.uk](mailto:info@ebe.org.uk)

## Further Information...

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## New to Ebenezer Church...

If it is your first time here, please visit the **Welcome Area** where you can chat with someone, and find lots of good info on who we are, what we do, and how to get connected. Fill out a 'welcome card' and we'll invite you to a **Newcomers' Meal**, a great opportunity for you to enjoy some good food, meet some new people and hear about Ebe Church and our activities. The next meal is on **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March**.

When we share communion as whole church, there is a gluten-free option available, please let us know if you'd like this.

## Spring Teaching Programme

Experiencing more... by considering two ways in which we can bridge the gap between God's promises and our actual experience of Him and His kingdom. What we say and what we think will profoundly affect the outcome of our lives.

## Upcoming Events

### Pursue Evening

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February  
8pm at Ebenezer Church  
Extended sung worship, prayer, prophecy and intercession as we seek God together.

### Integrity

(for Ebe men)  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February  
8pm at Ebenezer Church  
'Allowing God to Permeate Men's Lives'  
A time for talk, discussion and prayer on the subject of Community.

### Global Partnership Prayer Meeting

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February  
9.30 am at Orchard School  
Come and pray for all involved in our global partnerships.

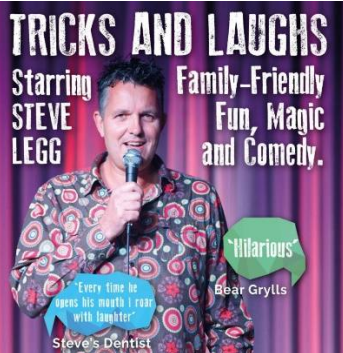
### 1830 Pastorate The Gathering

(for students and young adults)  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March  
6pm at Ebenezer Church  
Showing the film 'I Daniel Blake.'  
Check out the Facebook event and let Esther know if you are coming.

### First Sunday

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March  
10.30am at Orchard School  
Guest Speaker: Steve Legg

Be sure to invite friends and family to this fantastic guest service. Steve Legg first hit the road 28 years ago with his unique and funny blend of dangerous escapes, comedy and daft magic. Come early for teas coffees, fruit and muffins! Flyers are available at the welcome table.



### Newcomers' Meal

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March  
1pm at Ebenezer Church

If you are new or newish to church, why not come along to our welcome meal and find out more about our church? Friends and family welcome!



### Love Running 2017 – Last Chance to Register!

Discount booking ends **today (19<sup>th</sup> Feb)**  
Launch Seminar - Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February  
10am at Woodlands Church, Woodland Road, Clifton BS8 2AA  
Love Running is about ordinary people coming together to do something extraordinary and running in the 2017 Bristol 10k together on May 7<sup>th</sup> and raising tens of thousands of pounds and change the lives of thousands of people at home and abroad. Go to [www.loverunning.org](http://www.loverunning.org) for more info and to book your place.

### Hope2018 Bristol



A Citywide Youth Celebration is being held on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February** at 7.30pm at Woodlands Church, to launch vision for HOPE2018 Bristol. There is a leaders lunch on the same day with vision-sharing with Mike Pilavachi (from Soul Survivor) speaking. For more details and book place for lunch for church leaders, small group leaders, youth workers go to [www.hopebristol.org](http://www.hopebristol.org).

### The Wisdom House – Live

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March  
7.30-10pm at Elim Bristol City Church  
3-15 Jamaica Street BS2 8JP  
'Because you don't have to learn the hard way'  
An evening with best-selling author Rob Parsons.  
**Limited tickets are still available. Cost £4**  
[www.careforthefamily.org.uk/wisdomhouselive](http://www.careforthefamily.org.uk/wisdomhouselive)



## General Church Notices

### BISC Pancake Party



On **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February**, we are hosting a pancake party for over 80 international students at Ebe Church building as part of the Bristol International Student Centre (BISC) event programme. We need volunteers who are available any time after 5pm to help make pancakes, serve food and welcome students. Drivers are also needed to bring students from the BISC Centre in Clifton. Please contact Chris Richardson or Stewart North if you can help in any way.

### TLG - Transforming Lives for Good

If you missed Matt Wilson's talk from First Sunday on 5<sup>th</sup> February, please do listen to it online (<http://tinyurl.com/including-the-excluded>) and learn all about what TLG does to help children who are struggling in school.

Also a new **blog** has gone up on our website about TLG and the Early Intervention project which gives the church a practical solution to support children, families and schools in their community. If you want to register your interest in TLG as we explore partnership working with them, please speak to or Rachel Varley Derek