# **Mission Focus Please Pray For:**

# Christians Against Poverty



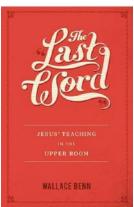


### **Christians Together against Poverty**

Over 20,000 people are now debt free with the help of CAP.

Last year, 4,031 people could not access CAP's help as appointments were fully booked or there was no centre nearby. To meet the increasing need, we need to double the number of people we can see through a growing network of churches. To make the necessary changes now, we urgently need to raise £1.9 million. Otherwise, we'll be forced to turn away more and more people in need.

When I first met Jim, he'd fallen into debt after having to give up work due to ill health, his family home had been repossessed and his marriage had ended due to the strain of financial worries. He'd become totally isolated, living alone in unsuitable emergency accommodation, relying on Universal Credit to survive, drowning in debt. I said to Jim, 'From this day forward, you are not alone,' and I immediately saw the weight begin to lift. I can't bear to imagine where Jim might be now if we'd had to turn him away.



Wallace Benn has a few of his books available.

The Last Word
Jesus' Teaching in the Upper Room.

They are on offer at the discounted rate of £5 per copy.

Please contact the Church Office if you would like a copy. You can pay using either the card machine or cash.

## St Botolph's & St Edmund's Church Family News Sixth Sunday after Trinity 7th July 2024

#### **Collect - Sixth Sunday after Trinity**

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

#### **Church Services Sunday 7th July 2024**

St Botolph's Church Barton Seagrave

8.30am Holy Communion

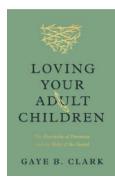
10.00am Morning Prayer - and Live Stream on YouTube

**6.30pm Evening Prayer - and Live Stream on YouTube** 

St Edmund's Church Warkton

**12noon Morning Prayer** 

**5.00pm Evening Prayer** (Please Use the Village Hall Car park in village.)



As kids grow, so do the pains of parenthood. Patterns of miscommunication and resentment can cause damage over the years, leaving parents and adult children with a fractured relationship. Confused, hurt, and sometimes angry, mums and dads can struggle to know where to turn for help and where to look for hope.

With grace and empathy, author Gaye B. Clark comes alongside readers bearing the weight of parenthood. Encouraging readers to view themselves as image bearers of God first and parents second, Clark shifts readers' focus to their relationship with Christ while showing how the relationship between parent and child can be a catalyst for

understanding the gospel. Loving Your Adult Children examines the fruit of the Spirit in relation to parenting adult children, offers study questions for reflection, and shows how walking with God is the best next step for struggling parents.

- Appeals to Parents of Adult Children: Empathetically addresses the pain and suffering associated with parenting
- Lasting Gospel-Centered Hope: Shifts readers' focus from their horizontal relationship with their children to their vertical relationship with Christ
- Biblical Perspective: Discusses each fruit of the Spirit and how they apply to relationships with adult children
- Reflective: Study questions provide tools to help readers apply the book's content

Goto: Loving Your Adult Children by Gaye B Clark (10ofthose.com)

| Sunday 7th July    |                                  | Monday 8th July                             |                                     |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| 8.30am             | Holy Communion in Church         | No Morning Prayer this week until September |                                     |
| 10.00am            | Morning Prayer in Church         | sin   | ce Mark is away on sabbatical leave |
|                    | also Live Streamed               | 0.20  | DEEDECH! CL. L.H.                   |
| 12noon             | Morning Prayer at St Edmund's    | 9.30am                                      | REFRESH in Church House             |
| 5.00pm             | Evening Prayer at St Edmund's    |   |                                     |
| 6.30pm             | Evening Prayer in Church         |   |                                     |
|                    | also Live Streamed               |   |                                     |
| Tuesday 9th July   |                                  | Wednesday                                   | / 10th July                         |
| 9.30am             | St Bots Tots in Church House     | 8.00pm                                      | LINK in Church House                |
| 11.15am            | St Bots Tots in Church House     |   |                                     |
| 8.00pm             | Home Groups meet                 |   |                                     |
| Thursday 11th July |                                  | Friday 12th July                            |                                     |
| 11.00am            | MidWeek Morning Prayer in Church |   |                                     |
| 12noon             | Soup & Sandwich in Church House  |   |                                     |
| 7.30pm             | 1Eighty in Church House          |   |                                     |
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| Saturday 13th July |                                  | Sunday 14th July                            |                                     |
| 9.00am             | Who Let The Dads Out in Church   | 10.00am                                     | Morning Prayer in Church            |
|                    | House                            |   | also Live Streamed                  |
|                    |                                  | 12noon                                      | Morning Prayer at St Edmund's       |
|                    |                                  | 6.30pm                                      | Holy Communion in Church            |
|                    |                                  |   | also Live Streamed                  |

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(Opening Hours Mon - Thursday 9.30am - 12:30pm.)

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Demand for the Food Bank continues to be high. The school summer holidays are approaching and demand will increase further as children who would have free school meals, need to be fed at home. The response at St Bots for the Food Bank has been brilliant. Please continue to donate especially during the holidays. At the moment these foods could be

prioritised: Pasta, Biscuits, Long life milk, Spam or similar, Tinned Fray Bentos pies & Sugar etc.

There is a collection point for the Kettering Food Bank here at St Botolph's Church, it's located in the foyer of Church House.







The next "Who Let The Dads Out" group will be on Saturday Date 13th July at 9.00am in Church House so why not come and join other dads/carers and have some fun with the children and a chat plus Bacon Rolls and Coffee too.