

**BIG SPLASH on Saturday 20 March.** If you or your children would like to swim in the Big Splash and haven't give in your entry form, please see **Chris Pearson** TODAY or phone her.

There is going to be a handmade card stall on the **Film Fest** evening (20 March) in aid of **Stop the Traffik**. If you haven't already been asked to make 10 cards and are able to, please see **Chris Pearson**. To learn more about this global movement, click on [www.stophetraffik.org](http://www.stophetraffik.org)



### Church civil partnerships

The **Evangelical Alliance** is calling on the Government to guarantee that churches will genuinely be free to choose whether or not to hold civil partnerships without risk of future anti-discrimination lawsuits following last night's (March 2) unexpected amendment to the Civil Partnerships Act. To read more about this, please click on [www.eauk.org/articles/free-from-lawsuits.cfm](http://www.eauk.org/articles/free-from-lawsuits.cfm)



### 2011 will be the Year of the Bible

According to the Dean of King's College London, Revd Prof Richard Burridge, the Synod of the Church of England has agreed to name 2011 as the Year of the Bible, to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the publication of the King James version.

Also, in the past few months the Evangelical Alliance has brought together over 50 organisations to work on BIBLEFRESH, a joint initiative which aims to encourage and inspire churches across the UK to make the most of the year 2011, empowering Christians to a deeper level of engagement with the Bible. More info on [www.biblefresh.com](http://www.biblefresh.com)



**Fairfield Office (core) hours:**

**Tue – Fri 10-1pm**

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A special **warm welcome** to all the Steppers and Latin Link personnel

- 09.30 Early Prayer** (Room 4)
- 10.00 All-age Worship — Reasons for Hope**  
Led by *Jon Fox and Steppers*  
*ETERNITY: Jesus is the Way to Eternal Life*  
*(1 John 5.9-13)*
- 10.45 Coffee Break**
- 11.15 All-age Bible Teaching**  
**Children:** teaching groups & crèche upstairs  
**Adults:**  
*Galatians 5.16-26*  
led by *Wesley Chiang*  
sermon (Main Hall) by *Chris Wigram*
- 19.00 NO Praise, Prayer & Communion**

**If you are new to us**, we would be very happy to get to know you. Please pick up one of the **yellow forms** on the Welcome Desk and fill it in for us. This will help us to stay in touch. Thank you!



## This Week [Housegroups meet this week]

<b>Tue 9</b>	10.00	Tiddlywinks (Ground Floor)
<b>Wed 10</b>	14.00	Wednesday Fellowship (Small Hall) <i>Quiz</i>
<b>Thu 11</b>	09.15	Morning Prayer (Small Hall)
	10.15	Keep Fit (Main Hall)
	20.00	Vision Cell [at <b>55 Hilliard Road</b> ]
<b>Fri 12</b>	07.00	Elders' Prayer Meeting (Foyer)
	09.45	Inspire (Room 6   Crèche Room 3) led by <i>Helena Higginson</i>
	10.00	Coffee shop (Small Hall)
	19.30	Games Night (not Main Hall)
<b>Sat 13</b>	14.00	Mothers' Day Craft (Room 6)
	19.30	Kairos Ensemble (Ground Floor) <i>A Passion for Life ticketed event</i>

### Prayer Request

- ❑ Pray for the church response to the elders' proposal to appoint **Chris Wigram** as new elder.
- ❑ Pray **for people's response** to the ongoing *A Passion for Life* events. Also pray for those involved in leading, coordinating, and supporting a particular event.
- ❑ Pray for **Holiday Club preparations**, still needing leaders.
- ❑ Also pray for those among us coping with **long-term sickness**, in particular **Denise Evans, Rory** and **Moira Mcleod, John Banks** and **Vanessa Rumble**.



## Sunday 14 March [Mothers' Day]

<b>09.30</b>	<b>Early Prayer</b> (Room 4)
<b>10.00</b>	<b>All-age Worship — Reasons for Hope</b> Led by <i>Chris Pearson</i> <i>INSEPARABLE: Nothing can separate us from the love of God (Romans 8.35-39)</i>
<b>10.45</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11.15</b>	<b>All-age Bible Teaching</b> <b>Children:</b> teaching groups & crèche upstairs <b>Adults:</b> <i>Galatians 5.26 — 6.18 &amp; Communion</i> led by <i>John Parry</i> sermon (Main Hall) by <i>Tony Lane</i>
<b>20.00</b>	<b>20's &amp; 30's</b> [at <b>23 Hawkesworth Close, Northwood HA6 2FT</b> ] <i>Politics</i>

### Fun, Food & Fellowship

We would be delighted if you could join us for a bring and share lunch, a fun quiz and a chance to chat with others. **Sunday 21 March at 1pm.**



**Saturday 20 March at 7.30pm — A Passion for Life event**