

Sunday 4th December 2016

THIS MORNING

Keith Watson

is leading the meeting

Jos de la Mare

is leading our worship time

Rob Coleman

will be preaching

Welcome!

Welcome to **everyone!** A special warm welcome if you are **visiting** us for the first time. We hope you have a **great morning** and meet with God.

Testimony Morning

Next Sunday, 11th December - We have set aside **this day** to hear what the Lord has done for you. It will also be an opportunity for you to **give thanks** to the Lord before his people. For some reason if **you are not** comfortable to speak in church please talk to **Rob** or **Dave** about your testimony.

Christmas Party!

Friday 16th December – Jos & Lizzie invite you to a Christmas party at their home. Their address is **42 Regent Road, Chorley, PR7 2T**. Start time is **7pm**. Please let them know if you will be there.

New Year's Eve Party

Saturday 31st December 7:30pm - We would love to see your **non-Christian** friends, neighbours and colleagues at our **New Year's Eve Party** here at the Grace Centre. There will be games, a quiz, **London fireworks on big screens**, **gluten free curry and veggie**.

Sorry you're leaving

It will be **Andy** and **Yvonne's** last Sunday with us as they are moving to **Caernforth**. They have been faithful to the church over many years and have been **instrumental** in enabling many things to happen in the life of the church. Please join us in praying for them after the meeting today.

Youth This Morning

The youth will be going out with **Nat**.

Thank You!

Melody would like to thank everyone who helped with her house move. Your assistance in various forms was **highly appreciated**.

Ladies Christmas Night

Saturday 17th December **7:30pm** - It will be an evening of **mulled wine**, **mince pies** and **crafts** here at the **Grace Centre!** £3 per person for **Grace Church ladies** who can afford and it is **absolutely free** for your guests/friends and those who cannot afford. Please ladies plan to attend and **bring those friends**.

Cake Appeal

Thank you so much to those of you who have brought your **cake donations** for the **Urban Outreach hamper appeal**. We pledged **100 slab cakes**. However the cakes received so far are short that number. Therefore **Dave** is still receiving your cake donations. Please help your church to bless some of the most **destitute people** in our community and honour her pledge!

Alpha Course

Last Thursday was the final day of **Grace Church 2016 Alpha Course**. Our thanks go to **Beth** for leading the course wonderfully and to an amazing **cohort of helpers** who put in a shift to make it a success. **God bless you all**.

HOTS Review

Today - You are invited to a **Healing on The Streets (HOTS)** feedback session just after the church meeting. It will be a great time to reflect on our **HOTS outreach work** together. **Please stay behind** for the meeting.

Girls Craft Morning

This Saturday 10th Dec - Are you a girl aged between **11 - 18 years old?** If yes, then you are invited to a **breakfast and craft morning (10am - 12.30pm)** here at the **Grace Centre**. It will be a **fab time!** See **Amy K** for more info.

Carols by Candlelight!

Next Sunday **11th Dec 6:30pm** - Please invite friends to our annual **Carol Service**. We shall be joined by **Cantamus Community Choir** once again. Everyone is invited to stay after the service for some **festive snacks and drinks**. And tonight we shall be praying for the service. Please arrive for **6.15pm**.

A Miracle in Town

Sunday 18th December – It is a morning for the **children's nativity**. The nativity will begin at **10.30am**. Drinks will be available from 10am. It will be an **awesome time** of singing and re-living the story of the birth of **Jesus Christ, our Lord**.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

MON	
TUES	
WEDS	Toddler Group 9:45am
THU	Senior Citizens 10:30am
FRI	Prayer Meeting 6.30am Youth FIC 7:45pm
SAT	Girls Craft Morning 10am
SUN	Prayer 8.45am Testimony Service 10am Carol Service 6:30pm

LifeGroup ON DUTY

This Week – **Chris & Ali's LG**

Next Week – **Rachel, Gunther & Josie's LG**

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NOTICES

Please contact **Dave** by Wednesday 5pm.
Email: dave@gracecentre.org.uk
Tel. 01204 465906

Kruczeks

The **Kruczeks** are at **Hope Church, Westhoughton** this morning, where **Dave** is preaching

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF OUR CHURCH?

To be a family on a mission: Serving God, one another and the community.

WHAT ABOUT YOU?

In addition to our Sunday morning meeting we meet midweek in homes in various locations, including a group for Youth

We also run Alpha, which is a great way of discovering more about the Christian faith. It provides clear Bible teaching in a friendly atmosphere - and with some lovely food!

You will be very welcome at any of these meetings.

WHAT IS THE VISION GOD HAS GIVEN US?

To be part of the Newfrontiers family of Churches, sharing in their worldwide vision and receiving apostolic and prophetic ministry. Within this we are part of the ChristCentral apostolic sphere.

To work with other Churches around Bolton in order to bring the gospel to our town.

To plant Churches and Life Groups totalling 1,000 people around Bolton. In January 2013 we planted Hope Church, Westhoughton and continue to work closely with them.

Grace Church
www.gracecentre.org.uk

ChristCentral
www.christcentralchurches.org

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

December

4th – HOTS Review
 10th – Girls Craft Morning 10am
 11th – Testimony Morning
 11th – Carol Service 6:30pm
 16th – Christmas Party @ Jos & Lizzie's house 7pm

December

17th – Healing on The Streets 11am
 17th – Ladies Christmas Night 7:30pm
 18th – Nativity Morning 10am
 25th – Christmas Service 10.30am
 31st – New Year's Eve Party 7:30pm

sunday morning at grace church

We hope that you feel at home, enjoy yourselves, and that you meet with God.

If you are a visitor or newcomer, feel free to visit our Welcome Table at the back of the hall for a brew, cake and a friendly chat.

Please also fill in a Next Step card so we can keep in touch, and take a information flyer that will tell you more about us.

Rough Guide

- 10.00 Whole family worship & praise
- 10.30 Children go out to groups
- 11:00 Preach
- 11.45 Refreshments served



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For further information, prayer, or other help: 01204 465 906

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