



There are many areas that we would love you to get involved at SBC. Such as:

- Fundraising for our Building
- Men's Connection Group
- Women in Touch
- Children's or youth Work
- Alpha
- Church cleaning Day
- Flower arranging

If you would like to get involved in any of these areas or have a question about getting more involved in the life of the church or if you have a passion and gifting for a particular ministry, be it Bible study, joining a Home Group attending Badminton or something else. Please speak to Pam or one of the leadership team about how you might be able to help or get involved within our Church family. Your help and involvement are gratefully received.



Sunday flowers can be donated to the Church for pastoral use, in memory or celebration of someone or something. Please let Priscilla or Anne-Marie know, if you would like to donate.

ALL ZOOM LINKS ARE LISTED IN OUR WEBSITE CALENDAR



## Sutton Baptist Church

If you would like to find out more about the Church, please contact our Minister Pam or visit our website. and complete a Welcome card

### WEEKLY NOTICE SHEET

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2024**  
**Communion service**  
**Scripture reading Ruth 4:1-22**

### PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH

Mon	Kelton Paul
Tues	Ruby Paul
Wed	Xavier Paul
Thurs	Josiah Paul
Fri	Daniel Peasah

SBC - Growing and inspiring a Christian Community

<https://www.suttonbaptistchurch.co.uk/calendar>

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### This Weeks activities

<b>Mon 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Badminton 7.30 pm - JC Hall</b>
<b>Tue 30<sup>th</sup></b>	Church Prayers in Church 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm (all welcome) Bite Sized Bible Study 7:30 – 8:30pm via Zoom
<b>Wed 1<sup>st</sup></b>	
<b>Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
<b>Fri 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Brigades 6.30 pm JC Hall</b>
<b>Sat 4<sup>th</sup></b>	Sat Prayers in Church office 10.00 am – 11.30 am (all welcome)
<b>Sun 5<sup>th</sup></b>	Church Service 10.30 am with Zoom Link

#### A prayer of praise and thanksgiving

Dear Jesus,

Living God, we praise you for the people you have called to speak your words of power to us and to our world - words of life and death, of opportunity and risk, of comfort and challenge, of wisdom and clarity.

Help us to step out to the rhythm of your beat, the beat of justice, of compassion, of reverence for you, so that we might grow in wisdom and confidence, and sing our life's story to the music of your gospel. In Jesus' name.

Amen.

#### Verse for the week Psalm 111; 1-2

Praise the Lord!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,  
in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the Lord,  
studied by all who delight in them.

'They will fight against you, but they will not overcome you, for I am with you to deliver you,' declares the Lord.' (Jeremiah 1.19)

MONDAY: Please pray for Bishop Bahzad Mziri (of Dudok, Kurdistan, Iraq) who has been charged with blasphemy; the He will protect and sustain the bishop and strengthen his church in that place. (Source: Release International)

TUESDAY: Please pray for the Jesus Calls You church in Abepradesa (Anurdhapura, Sri Lanka) which is being threatened with demolition from local officials, that He will bless it mightily and allow its work to flourish and bring many to salvation. (Source: Release International)

WEDNESDAY: Please pray for Xu Feng, a Christian and principal of a music school, who has been arrested and imprisoned and is now ill; that the LORD will be with Brother Xu and will cause His countenance to shine upon him and be gracious to him at this time. (Source: Release International)

THURSDAY: Please pray for the more than five hundred Christians imprisoned in Eritrea; that He will bring about the release of the captives and cause many to come to know Him through their faithful witness. (Source: Release International)

FRIDAY: Please pray for the church in Nghe An province (Vietnam) that it will be able to resist persecution and that the Christians there will not be imprisoned or evicted. (Source: Release International)

SATURDAY: Please pray for the believers in Egypt, especially those from a Muslim background, that they will be protected from false accusations of blasphemy and be bale to practise and share their saving faith with others. (Source: Open Doors)

SUNDAY: Please pray for the churches in Syria and Iraq and everyone who works with them, that they will be resilient and offer hope and bear much fruit in their churches and communities. (Source: Open Doors)

**CHURCH MEETING TODAY  
DIRECTLY AFTER THE CHURCH SERVICE**