

# "Becoming an army of passionate disciples, standing for truth ...... saving the lost ...... restoring the broken."

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# **Church Bulletin 8th February 2024**

# **Gift Day**

Thanks to everyone who gave to the Special Gift Day offering recently which currently totals £15,551.65. Any further gifts can be placed in the offering boxes/containers on Sundays in an envelope marked 'Gift Day' or paid direct into our bank account using the reference 'Gift Day'.

#### **Encounter**

Next Wednesday's Encounter will be fun and games in the church 1.15 - 2.30pm. Come along and bring your friends! £1 donation requested please.





#### **Ladies Prayer Breakfast**

Our first ladies' event of the year is a ladies' breakfast on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February 9 – 11am. If you haven't booked yet, please email <a href="mailto:esther@elimcarlisle.org">esther@elimcarlisle.org</a> to book your place by the end of today. There is a small charge of £3 payable on the day.

### **Move to Chatsworth House**

The sale of Spencer Street and purchase of Chatsworth House are progressing well and we are hoping for a moving date of early March. Please pray that all goes smoothly and there are no last-minute issues/delays.

# **Paul Hudson Weekend**

Paul Hudson is the Elim Regional Leader for the North-East and Midlands and will be with us for the weekend of  $15^{th} - 17^{th}$  March 2024. He will be sharing with all our leaders and leadership academy members on the Saturday morning and will be preaching at both our Sunday morning services.

# **Oasis Food Pantry**

#### **Lidl Community Fund donation**

Thank You to Lidl Community Fund for their kind donation of £500. The money will go towards buying a new fridge/freezer when the Pantry moves to the new premises at Chatsworth House.



<u>Food Donations</u> - If anyone would like to donate food items to the Pantry, **tinned fruit, jam and breakfast cereal** would be helpful this month. Please put any donations in the trolley in the foyer on Sundays (shops own brands are fine).

# **Abaana New Life Choir Prayer Points**





Please continue to pray for Mark Nabula and Shamim Nanyonga, both aged 9 who are part of the **Abaana New Life Choir**, who will be with us in May. The choir have now done their first 3 concerts which have all been well attended and received. Please pray for the health of the children and chaperones; they have a few coughs and sniffs and the odd

upset stomach. Pray also for the chaperones as they adjust to a new routine with the children that they will get enough rest to keep up with the energy levels of these very energetic kids! Pray also for safety for their travels as they start to venture further afield.

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## **FINANCE**

**GIVING TO THE CHURCH** can currently be done in 3 ways:-

- 1. By standing order to the church bank account NATWEST Bank A/c Name: Elim Foursquare Gospel Alliance (UK), A/C no 28080254, Sort Code 60-05-16
- 2. By placing your offering in the boxes available at our Sunday services
- 3. We also have facilities to give one off donations by Debit or Credit Card (although this costs us more as bank charges are higher than with other ways of giving).

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES ABOUT GIVING OR GIFT AID, CONTACT DETAILS FOR OUR FINANCE TEAM ARE ABOVE.

#### **EASY FUNDRAISING**

Please support Elim Community Church, Carlisle on #easyfundraising today and raise FREE donations with your everyday online shopping at Tesco, eBay, M&S, Expedia, Just Eat and many more! Once you raise your first £5, easyfundraising will double it! Sign up here:

https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/elimcarlisle/AQ7Z28/c2s/SUOTITV7/CE794/facebook/





Tea, Coffee & Cake £1 donation requested please



Every Wednesday from 1:15-2:30pm

A ministry aimed at the more senior members of our Church.

A place where we can encounter God personally, but also a place where we can invite those around us to encounter God too. 7th February - lunch & devotional thought by Adetoun Faloye

14th February - Fun & Games

21st February - Canoes, Mountains & Caves -Mal & Marion Tabb

28th February - My Story - Joyce Hetherington

#### **Rock UK**

Rock UK are looking to recruit 24 trainee instructors onto our discipleship focused outdoor ministry programme. The programme which is open to those aged 18 and over, is residential and includes food, shared accommodation, uniform, equipment and technical and discipleship training. This year we have spaces available at all our centres (Frontier Centre in Northamptonshire, Carroty Wood in Kent, Summit Centre in South Wales and Whithaugh Park in the Scottish Borders). To find out more about the programme we have an open day planned for 9th March 2024 at Frontier Centre where we would love to chat with young people who might be considering a time in youth ministry.

