

## **MISSION NEWS**

### **Reaching the Unreached (RTV)**

Many thanks to Ros Leigh for her inspiring talk about our new project in Tamil Nadu, S India, and to all who contributed to make the launch and lunch on the 31<sup>st</sup> January such a happy and successful occasion. Donations, after expenses, amounted to £205.34.

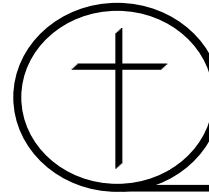
### **Jeel Al Amal Boys Home & Lazarus Girls School in Bethany, Jerusalem**

We have had a letter of thanks and appreciation on behalf of the Home for our recent donation of £1700. via the McCabe Educational Trust. The money will be used to help complete the Lazarus Home for Girls and to pay for a Summer School in the Boys Home. Many thanks to everyone. - Jean Colburn

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### **PRODUCTION OF NEXT SUNDAYS NOTICES**

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March - David Fielder 640575  
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## **Cirencester Ashcroft Church**

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### **2000 NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2010**

**We** welcome everyone to our services today, especially any visitors, and invite you to stay for coffee after the morning service. If you are new to the area and would care to leave us your name and address please speak to one of the stewards after the service. All children 3+ are welcome at SPARK

#### **Thought for the Week**

**When life challenges you, remember our Lord Jesus is always with you here and now in 2010, as alive and real as he was to the disciples after his resurrection 2000 years ago.**

#### **SERVICES TODAY**

##### **World Mission Service**

10.30am Morning Service ..... Rev Oseias da Silva

#### **SERVICE NEXT WEEK**

10.30am Morning Service & Communion..... Rev. Tony Barnes

**Lead Steward Today:** ..... Sheila Le Noury Tel: 644594

**Next Week** ..... Nancy Skuse Tel:658371

## WEEKLY DIARY

Monday	6.15 pm	Girls' Brigade
Tuesday	10.00am	Squeals on Wheels
	2.15pm	Table Tennis
	7.45pm	Ashcroft Ladies
Wednesday	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Pastoral Meeting**</b>
	2.30pm	Women's Fellowship - Liz Thomas
Friday	10.00am	Coffee Cup
	11.15am	Prayer Meeting
	6.30pm	ARK Club
	7.30pm	ASK

## Fairtrade Fortnight 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb-7<sup>th</sup> March

This year during Fairtrade Fortnight the Fairtrade Foundation is encouraging everyone to Swap-It...swap their ordinary tea, for Fairtrade tea; their ordinary wine for Fairtrade wine, their ordinary socks for Fairtrade socks etc.

If you do do some Swap-It's, (and I am sure you will...!), if at all possible, the Fairtrade Foundation would like to know. This is done online by going to [www.fairtrade.org](http://www.fairtrade.org) and you will not be able to miss the link!

Why do 'they' want to know? For every registered swap, it proves that more and more people are in support of all that Fairtrade stands for. This in-turn increases Fairtrade's influence in world markets. So, look out for the Fairtrade logo on different products – and let your wallet make a difference!

## PASTORAL MEETING\*\*

**PLEASE NOTE:** The next Pastoral Meeting will be at **9.30a.m, on Wednesday March 10th** at Ashcroft Church.

**Not on** March 12th as previously arranged.

## CTiC Spring Alpha Course Registration

Bookings are now being taken for the forthcoming Churches Together in Cirencester Alpha supper that will take place on Monday 15 March at Jesse's Bistro in Blackjack Street, Cirencester starting at 7.30pm. The evening is an opportunity to find out more about the Alpha course and decide if you want to sign up to the ten week course which starts the following Monday.

Everyone is welcome to attend and places can be booked in one of three ways:-

Phone: (01285) 643541 or 770824

Email: [alpha-cirencester@gmx.com](mailto:alpha-cirencester@gmx.com)

Sign the list in the Cornerstone bookshop

## CASHIERS ROTAS

New rotas have been placed in the Foyer 'Pigeon Holes'. I do appreciate such valuable work. Please advise me if I can assist with any problems.  
Ron Green - Treasurer.