

NEWSLETTER

FOR THE DIOCESE OF LONDON
DEAF CHURCHES.

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Riandu Project

There are still parts of the world where a child who is born Deaf is considered a curse or a shame on the family. This is still true in many parts of Kenya and Deaf children are kept hidden away. This means few Deaf children get an education at all and there are very few specialist schools for Deaf children in the country.

The Riandu project is a new secondary school which when finally built will have room for at least 100 students.

During 2016 the Deaf Church have made two contributions to this project. £400 has been given from our Harvest collection and another £300 given from the BSL Christmas service at Marble Arch.

Thank you to everyone for your support in this and we will keep in touch with the school's progress over the coming years.

If you would like to find out more have a look at www.projectriandu.com or follow them on Facebook.



Did you know... word 'Epiphany' refers to a supernatural realization of something? In the church calendar it is when we remember the visit of the wise men to Jesus and the

recognition that he is the Son of God most high. Epiphany is 6th January every year.

Fed up with the dark nights and cold, wet weather? Start planning for your summer events now... several Christian conferences provide sign language access and are a great way to get quality teaching and fellowship with other Deaf Christians.

Spring Harvest still has spaces left at Minehead for 4-8th April and Skegness 10-14th April. Accommodation is in chalets at the Butlins holiday camp.

(www.springharvest.org)



New Wine is another excellent conference at Shepton Mallett, Somerset. A variety of accommodation is

available from camping to Bed and Breakfast. Early bird fees available until February. (www.new-wine.org)

There are other Christian conferences linked with specific church networks such as 'Focus', organized by HTB. Ask at your local church about these summer events and book now!

Deaf Space is a group of Deaf Christians from all Church traditions that meet every 2nd Friday at 7pm at Church House, Great Smith Street, SW1P 3AZ. The meetings provide fellowship and there is usually a Christian presentation about a current topic or other Christian related subject. There is no cost, apart from your time. More information from Penny Beschizza Text 07970476285

Enfield Bible Group meet 12th January at Enfield Baptist Church at 7pm.

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January 2017

Hounslow - Holy Trinity Church, Trinity Parade, High Street, Hounslow Middx. TW3 1HG
 Acton Vale Acton Vale Community Centre, off Beech Avenue, Acton, London W3 7JZ
 Crown Centre, Hayes, Kingston Playing Field, Chesnut Avenue, W Drayton UB7 8BT
 Enfield Sign Church at Enfield Baptist Church, Cecil Road, Enfield Town, EN2 6TG
 Kings Cross Methodist Church, Crestfield Street, London WC1H 8AT
 Church House, Great Smith Street, London SW1P 3AZ
 St. John's Church, Broadway, Stratford E15 1NG

St. Davids, Westbourne Rd, N7 8AB
 St. John's Hoxton, Pitfield St, N1 6NP
 St. Albans, The Ridgeway, North Harrow, HA2 7PF
 Annunciation, Blyvanston Street, Marble Arch, W1H 7AH
 St. Margaret's Church, Windsor Street, Uxbridge. UB8 1AB
 Holy Trinity Brompton, Brompton Road, SW7 1JA

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	Epiphany 6	7
No BSL or interpreted services today.				No service at Holy Trinity, Hounslow		
Baptism of Christ	8	10	11	12	13	14
2.30pm Enfield Sign Church (BSL) 5pm Holy Trinity Brompton, Evening Worship (interpreted)				7-9pm Bible Study at Enfield Baptist Church (BSL)	7-9pm Deaf Space at Church House.	East London Sign Church (see Facebook for date and time)
Epiphany 2	15	17	18	19	20	21
10am St. Davids (interpreted) 10.30 am St. John's, Hoxton -Holy Communion (interpreted) 3pm Crown Centre, Hayes Communion service (open from 11.30am and lunch at 12.30pm) 5pm Holy Trinity Brompton Evening Worship (interpreted)			Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18th - 15th January		TGIF next meeting 17th February	
Epiphany 3	22	24	25	26	27	28
10.30am Enfield Baptist Church (interpreted) 5pm Holy Trinity Brompton Evening Worship (interpreted)			11.30 Acton Vale Holy Communion Service (BSL)	7-9pm Bible Study at Enfield Baptist Church (BSL)		
Epiphany 4	29	30	31			
10.30am Annunciation Church, Marble Arch, Parish Mass (interpreted) 5pm Holy Trinity Brompton, Evening Worship (interpreted)						