

## Prayers

- For church members who are unwell and/or who can no longer attend.
- For the Lunch Club and all who attend
- For Sarah, Sarah and their families
- For the Alpha course which continues each Sunday
- For CGL and the continued growth & positive influence in the community
- For opportunities to share the gospel in our community and home lives
- For the Pickleball club - a great opportunity to share the gospel
- For Amy, Ben and their families
- For open doors/opportunities to build relationships with our community and other local churches
- For Moya and David
- For Debbie, Ian and Debbie's sister and family
- For Merkel and Charles
- For the discipleship course and discipleship sermon series
- The General Elections
- For 3 people you know or know of that need to come to know the Lord
- For the city of Manchester, it's people and those in mourning

## Today's Service

- Bible Reading

### James 4:1-10

- Songs

- ❖ Lord for the years
- ❖ Jesus Christ – Once again
- ❖ will offer up my life
- ❖ Who is there like you
- ❖ All to Jesus, I surrender

## #I come in...PEACE

**“Practice, practice, practice all you have learned, heard and received and peace WILL be yours”**

In our sixth week of the discipleship series we focus on conflict. Conflict is something that we are all familiar with and something that we have often found ourselves engaged in. Whilst conflict isn't always a bad thing and is sometimes needed in order to share truth – it also isn't a bad thing in the sense of the opportunities it can bring in the midst of it. Things such as the realisation of a problem, the opportunity to learn something about ourselves, but also, perhaps to understand our level of understanding and flexibility.

It's not always about winning the war but instead whose battle it really is and do we always need to be fighting it?

***“Finally, brothers and sisters - rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you” – 2 Corinthians 13:11***

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## REFLECTION

1. How difficult do you find conflict and is it something that you prefer to avoid?
2. How difficult do you find it to be truthful with someone who may need to hear something that could change their life?
3. Do you think that truth is more important than peace for the right reasons?
4. What steals your peace?
5. What battle/battles are you fighting right now that you perhaps need to find peace with God?

## Notices

### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2017

- Next Lunch club will be on **5<sup>th</sup> June**
- Please continue to support our emergency food parcel cupboard by bringing in some things off the list in the foyer when you can
- Thursday morning prayer meeting **9.30am – 10.30am** (1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month)
- Pickleball every Monday **@7.00PM**
- Wednesday bible study every week term times **@7.30PM**
- Alpha course – **running until 18 June**
- Next Strategy Meeting – **13<sup>th</sup> June @7.30PM**
- Church Away Day – **7 October 10.30AM – 4PM** – please let us know if you can attend and also any ideas/themes/speakers for the day
- Churches together Songs of Praise on **11 June @4PM** at St. Johns & St. Peters
- **HEBA** gathering – **22 June 10AM – 1PM – Chelmsley Wood Baptist Church**
- There is a bookshelf in Wellsprings where the community can take/borrow books. If you have any that you can contribute - then please do bring them in.
- **'My Story'** – how to be better equipped to tell your story in Christ – **12<sup>th</sup> June – 7PM-9PM – Birmingham Central Baptist Church – Spring Hill**
- **£449.82** was raised for Christian Aid this year. Well done and thank you to everyone who gave up there time to collect donations

- **Flower Rota - 11 June – Malcolm Facey**
- **Bible Reading – 11 June – Maurice Chadwick**

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