

# Shirley Baptist Church

every day church for everywhere people

Shirley Baptist Church, Southampton, Registered Charity Number 1131764

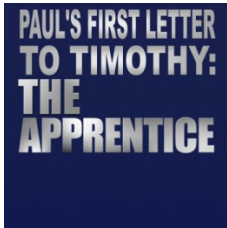
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**We welcome you to worship!**  
We hope you will feel at home with us.

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## Sunday 8 July

**10.30 am Morning Worship**



Leader: Jill Waldron

Preacher: Pastor Shaun Sweeney

**The Apprentice:** 1 Timothy 6:1

**Where Our Treasure Is**

**Fire!**

**Groups**

will be going out during this service

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**Our Fire! Activity Groups cover all ages from babies to teenagers!**  
Visiting children are welcome to join in - a welcomer will show you the way!

**Flickers Crèche** When taking or collecting your child, please use the doors at the end of the aisles rather than taking children around the outside of the building through the car park.

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The song words are shown on the screens. If you are unable to see a screen, please ask for a folder containing printed words.

Most people stand up for the songs but do feel free to sit down if this is easier for you. There is space at the front left and back right of the Sanctuary if you need more room!

Members of the Prayer Team are available after Morning Worship Services. If you would like someone to pray with you, simply come to the front before you leave.



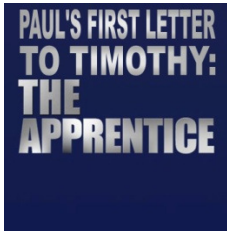
Refreshments are served in the Spurgeon Hall and The Link after morning worship services.

Our tea, coffee and sugar are all Fairtrade.

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# Sunday 15 July

## 10.30 am Morning Worship



Leader: Pastor Shaun Sweeney  
Preacher: Assistant Pastor Paul Sutton  
**The Apprentice: 1 Timothy 6**

**Fire!**  
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out during  
this service



**Gardens Unlocked** 2.00 - 4.00pm  
At the home of Eric and Sheila

Directions are available from the church office.

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### Pastoral Work:

Sheila has returned from her sabbatical! Please keep her informed of pastoral needs or concerns. ☎ 8036 0296

If you have urgent pastoral concerns please contact one of our Pastors. Please contact the church office with updates & thanksgiving news.

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### Notices



#### Gardens Unlocked

Our very own open garden scheme is now in its 8th year! Could

you open your garden to visitors from our fellowship this summer?

Please contact Paul Thomson

☎ 074 7017 5553

**Cakes Needed** for our Wednesday Clubs **Family Fun Night** on 11 July

Bought or home baked it doesn't matter but no nuts please.

See Sara Burns or Paul Thomson if you can make a donation. *Thanks!*

#### Holiday at Home: Prizes

Will you donate a prize(s) for HAH? There is a box for your donations in The Link. *Thank you.*

Barbara, Sheila, Sandy & Chris

### Pastoral News

**Edna Hassel's Funeral** will be held on **Thursday 19 July.**

The committal will take place at 10.15am in the East Chapel, Southampton Crematorium, followed by a **Service of Thanksgiving** at **11.15am** here at SBC.

Please remember Jacqueline and the wider family at this time.

### Volunteering Opportunity



**New Dawn Child Contact Centre Urgently Needs New Volunteers**

The Centre is a safe, friendly & neutral place where children can spend time with the parent they no longer live with. Working in an establish team, on a Saturday morning once every 4 weeks, your incredibly rewarding role will include helping children to develop meaningful relationships, supporting parents and setting up/tidying away. Full training provided.

***If God has given you a heart to help hurting families, please see Kirsty Cummins or Jane Rackham.***

## Upcoming Events

**Blue Events** are at SBC **Black Events** are elsewhere

### City Wide Prayer Meeting

**Mon 9 July** 8pm at Above Bar Church  
Focused on praying for the poor, particularly those struggling with debt and food poverty. All are welcome!

### EVening Fellowship

**Tue 10 July** 7.30pm Carey Hall

Theme: Busker Organs: Street Music from early 1800's to today

Speaker: Peter Trodd

\* Men are warmly invited

Please remember your donations for Basics Bank

### Firgrove Centre Open Day

**Thursday 12 July** 12-5pm

107 Firgrove Road, SO15 3ET

Come along to see our facilities and hear more about our development & the resources that are soon to be available!

### M & Ms Ladies Group

**Wed 18 July** in The Link

Please arrive at 7.30pm for Our Summer Meal

### Church Members' Meeting

**Thu 19 July** 7.45pm Spurgeon Hall

All Members are encouraged to attend. If you are not a member or are unable to attend, please pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance during the evening. Copies of minutes are available from the church office.

### Mini Market

**Saturday 21 July**

10.30am Spurgeon Hall

Donations of cakes are always welcome. Helpers are needed on Friday evening to help set up as well as on the day. Please see Anne or Dave Richards if you are able to help or would like to book a table.

☎ 8048 0762 after 2.30pm

✉ annesrich@btinternet.com

### Super Saturday Family Event

**Sat 28 July** 2.30pm - 5pm at SBC

This is a free event run by the CTIS Holiday Club Team.

There will be crafts, activities, games, refreshments, songs and a Bible story for the whole family to join in with. So come along and invite your friends. Look out for invites nearer the time.

### Link on Saturday 28 July

**3-5pm at Ronald's Home**

A monthly group for families, couples and individuals who find it difficult to meet at other times. See Clint Zvavamwe for details.



### Jeweles Craft Fair

**Sat 4 Aug** 11am - 3pm

in the Spurgeon Hall

Supporting **Muscular Dystrophy UK**



### Gardens Unlocked

**Sun 5 August** 2 - 4pm

at Jane & Pete's home

### Holiday at Home - Under the Sea

**Tue 7, Wed 8 & Thu 9 August**

Please pray for all those who are attending - that they will have a fun, relaxing time and that they will feel the Lord's presence with them. Please also pray for the Team - for strength & energy and for the Lord to give them words of wisdom and knowledge that will make an impact on the guests' lives.



### Sunday 12 August

A more traditional style of service followed by afternoon tea



### Gardens Unlocked

**Sun 19 August** 2-4pm

at Laura and Paul's home

## Regular Activities for Adults

### Bell Ringing Group

Monday 6pm in The Link  
New members are always welcome.

**Centering Prayer** Tuesdays 7.00pm  
in the Church Lounge - entrance via  
the rear of the church.

**Wednesday Link Coffee Morning**  
10am - 12noon

### Lunch Club for over 60's

Thursday 12.00pm Spurgeon Hall  
Advance booking is essential and  
there is a charge for the meal.

### Get Together

Thursday 2pm in The Link

### Friday Link Coffee Morning

Revised Opening Times:  
11am - 1.15pm

### Friday Friendship Club

1.45pm in the Spurgeon Hall  
Speakers, entertainment,  
refreshments and friendship

## Regular Activities for Children, Young People & Families

### Tuesday Parent & Toddler Group

The Link is open for coffee from  
9.15am & the group runs 10-11.30am

### Wacky Wednesdays

School Years R - Year 3  
5.00 to 6.15pm Spurgeon Hall

### Wild Wild Wednesdays

School Years 4-6  
6.30 to 7.45pm Spurgeon Hall

### The Well on Wednesday

Youth Group for School Years 7-10  
7.00 to 8.30pm in The Link

## Monthly Activities for Ladies

### Evening Fellowship

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the Month  
7.30pm in the Carey Hall

### M & Ms Ladies Group

Once a month on a Wednesday  
7.45pm in The Link  
Dates: 18 July, 26 Sep

## Secure in Our Saviour Opportunities for Personal Growth

A variety of **Life Groups** meet at  
various times and locations.  
Each group has a distinct character  
and atmosphere.

**Soul** for young adults  
meets on Thursdays at 6.30pm  
See Paul Sutton for more details

**All Age Group** next meets  
**Sun 15 July** at 4.30pm in The Link

**Link on Saturday** next meets  
**Sat 28 July 3pm at Ronald's Home**

## Church Directory & Database

The church office maintains a *strictly confidential* database of all members  
and regular attendees.

We also produce a Church Directory  
that includes photos.

If you would like to be included in the  
database / directory or have recently  
moved house please complete a  
Pastoral Database Information Form.  
These are available from the stewards  
& the Office.

## Office Opening Hours

Monday 10.00 - 11.30  
Tuesday 10.00 - 15.00  
Wed, Thu & Fri 10.00 - 11.30

## Contact Us

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