

## Monthly Parish Prayer Meeting

7.30pm in the Oval Room –  
praying for mission and  
ministry our parish

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the Month  
(Except January & August)

## Understanding Your Faith

In Psalm 119 verse 34 it says:

*“Give me understanding, so  
that I may keep your law and  
obey it with all my heart.”*

Are you are interested in

**Exploring** the  
Christian faith, just  
**Starting Out** in it, or  
wanting to set about

**Digging Deeper?**

This year we are laying on  
more opportunities than  
ever to do just that. Get  
hold of the card in church  
which details all our courses  
for the whole year, or visit  
our courses online at



[emmanuelplymouth.co.uk/courses](http://emmanuelplymouth.co.uk/courses)

### Also available: Home Groups

An opportunity to discuss and study the Bible in  
small groups in someone's home, to make  
friends, and discuss matters from the Bible's  
perspective.

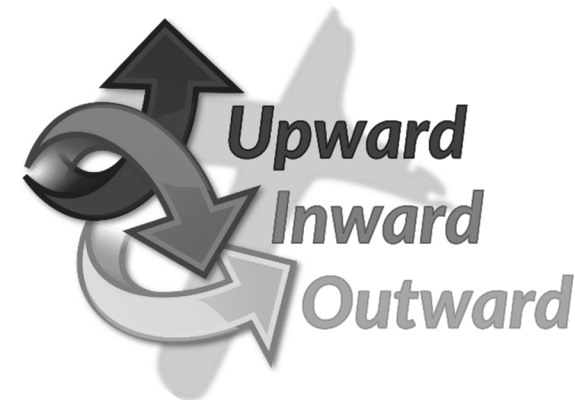
Most groups run during school terms  
and take a break during 'Holidays'.

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# Sunday Services & Sermons



September  
to  
December 2018



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## 10.30am Morning Service

### CHRISTIAN COUNTER CULTURE (CONTINUED)

#### September

2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>That's all you're getting!</b>	<i>Matt 6:1-18</i>	HC
9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Self Storage.</b>	<i>Matt 6:19-24</i>	HC
16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Harvest Festival.</b>		AAW MP
23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>No Worries!</b>	<i>Matt 6:25-34</i>	HC
30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Saw Dust?</b>	<i>Matt 7:1-6</i>	MP

#### October

7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Ask Away!</b>	<i>Matt 7:7-12</i>	HC
14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Not what it seems!</b>	<i>Matt 7:13-33</i>	MP
21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Practice Makes Perfect</b>	<i>Matt 7:24-29</i>	AAW HC

### KING DAVID – BEHIND THE SCENES

28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Down but not out.</b>	<i>Ps 3 &amp; 2 Sam 15-18</i>	HC
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#### November

4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>God in the good times.</b>	<i>Ps 18 &amp; 2 Sam 7:1-14</i>	HC
11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Centenary Remembrance Sunday.</b>		AAW MP
18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Caught!</b>	<i>Ps 51 &amp; 2 Sam 12:1-24</i>	HC
25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Facing the Enemy.</b>	<i>Ps 52 &amp; 1 Sam 22:9-19</i>	HC

### HOW WE WAIT

#### December

2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Advent 1 Wide Eyed</b>	<i>Mark 13:24-37</i>	HC
9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Advent 2 Faltering</b>	<i>Isaiah 40:1-11</i>	MP
16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Advent 3 Surrounded</b>	<i>Hebrews 11:1-13</i>	HC
23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Advent 4 Nativity Service</b>		Nativity
30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>New series to be announced</b>		HC

MP ~ Morning Prayer / HC ~ Holy Communion /  
AAW ~ All Age Worship

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## At 10.30am Morning services...

### CHRISTIAN COUNTER CULTURE (CONTINUED)

Followers of Jesus know that we are to be like him, and different to the world around us. But that is much easier said than done, especially in a world that is steadily drawing us away from Christ's values. So we must continue to turn to our gracious Saviour, King and Teacher to give us clear vision of what Christian community and life look like under his loving rule.

### KING DAVID – BEHIND THE SCENES

King David – ruthless warrior? tender worshipper? David is one of the most fascinating characters in the Old Testament. Getting to know David and his relationship with his Lord, who took him on that remarkable journey from shepherd boy to King, always reaps rich rewards. This mini-series looks at four Psalms which give us an unusual window, to look right into David's heart and see all that his relationship with God meant to him. Let's use these songs to take us "behind-the-scenes" of his outer life, to look and learn, as we see the intimacy with God that lies behind his extraordinary life story...

### HOW WE WAIT

In our Advent series this year, we discover together what it means to wait on the Lord and for the Lord.

## At 6.30pm Evening services...

### GALATIANS – SET FREE

The promises from the Old Testament have been fulfilled; God has done absolutely everything, in Jesus, to set us free. Free from our failings. Free to be the kind of people he wants us to be. Sounds simple, doesn't it? What more could we ask? Unfortunately, living in the reality of that truth is not as easy as it sounds. In Galatians, Paul shows us how to escape some of the snares along the way and how to live a life of joyful freedom. Let's go on this journey through Galatians together and be truly set free.

### ISAIAH – ON EAGLES' WINGS

For centuries, Isaiah's words have encouraged thousands of Christians who face the ups and downs of this life while waiting for the Lord Jesus to return. His prophecy shows this hope against the dark backdrop of misplaced trust and great unfaithfulness. This book exposes those false paths and directs our dependence towards God.

## 6.30pm Evening Service

### GALATIANS – SET FREE!

#### September

6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Foundation of freedom.</b>	<i>Gal 1:1-10</i>	EW
9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Any other way?</b>	<i>Gal 1:11-24</i>	EW
16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>A freedom fighter?</b>	<i>Gal 2:1-21</i>	HC
23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>The goal of the Gospel.</b>	<i>Gal 3:1-14</i>	EW
30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The promise of freedom.</b>	<i>Gal 3:15-24</i>	HC

#### October

7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The freedom of the family.</b>	<i>Gal 4:1-7</i>	EW
14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The bondage of religion.</b>	<i>Gal 4:8-31</i>	HC
21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Choose freedom!</b>	<i>Gal 5:1-26</i>	EW
28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Living under the cross.</b>	<i>Gal 6:1-18</i>	EW

### ISAIAH – ON EAGLES' WINGS

#### November

4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Exposure!</b>	<i>Isaiah 1-5</i>	EW
11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Holy Hope</b>	<i>Isaiah 6</i>	HC
18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Two kings</b>	<i>Isaiah 7-12</i>	EW

25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>He's got the whole world...</b>	<i>Isaiah 13-23</i>	EW
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#### December

2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>The God to be praised</b>	<i>Isaiah 24-27</i>	EW
9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Allegiance tested</b>	<i>Isaiah 28-35</i>	HC
16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>In whom shall we trust?</b>	<i>Isaiah 36-39</i>	EW
23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Carol Service</b>		
30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Scripture, Praise and Prayer</b>		SP&P

EW ~ Evening Worship / SP&P ~ Scripture, Praise & Prayer  
HC ~ Holy Communion

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