LIFE LET'S TALK EXPLORED

A relaxed, informal way to think through life's big questions and learn about Jesus. Open to people of all faiths or none. All questions welcome. Free. Seven Wednesdays starting 25th January, 7.45-9.15pm, at the house next to the church car park.



with new church members sharing their stories 5pm, Sunday 22nd January



with light refreshments, a wide variety of games to join, & chat-show style interviews with two church members. 7.30pm, Friday 13th January

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Prayer meetings

These are our first priority. Church news is shared here first, and we pray for the month ahead. We meet at 7.30pm for cake, 7.45-9.15pm on the first Tuesday of each month.

Young families

Mini Matts 9.45-11.30am, Tuesdays 10th January to 28th March (except half term 14th February)

Easter event with games, crafts and a meal for the whole

family, 4-6pm, Wednesday 29th March

7-11s Jaffa club

For school years 3-6, 6-7pm, Thursdays $12^{\rm th}$ January to $30^{\rm th}$ March (except half term $16^{\rm th}$ February)

Pancakes Bring a friend, Thursday 23rd February

11-16s Youth group

6-7.30pm, Thursdays 12th January to 30th March (except half term 16th February)

Escape the Dungeon of Doom A good week to visit or invite friends and discover God's rescue plan. Thursday 2nd February **Parents' coffee pot**

With coffee & cake, during JAFFA and youth group.

6-7.30pm, Thursdays

Students

Pizza, Bible discussion and games, for ARU, 6th form and other students after 5pm church. Sundays 8th January to 2nd April **Student weekend away** A weekend away by the sea. Friday 27th - Sunday 29th January **Bring a friend night** Sunday 12th March **Internationals**

Food, friendship and Bible in simple English

7-9pm, weekly from Friday 13th January

Chinese New Year Cook & eat delicious dumplings & hear

from a Christian group member about their faith.

7pm, Friday 20th January

Over 50s: A slice of life

With cake, chat, a topical talk, and a Christian perspective. Second Mondays 10.30-11.45am

9th January, 13th February and 13th March

Women's & men's events

To equip & encourage Christian women & men

For women: Cambridge women's Bible conference

9.30am-4pm, Saturday 4th March

For men: 7.30-9.30pm, Friday 17th March

Church lunch

Bring simple, cold buffet food to share at lunch, with supervised play for under 8s while adults hear about causes that church members care about. Sunday 12th March **Vision morning**

With annual meeting and training from Kirsten Birkett. 9.30am-1pm, Saturday 13th May

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What's On January - March 2023

An opportunity for people of all faiths or none to visit an accessible church, in person or online, as little or as often as you choose.

10.30am with supervised creche, side room with toys, and groups for children and youth.**5pm** smaller gathering followed by student group.

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Sundays 10.30am

1 January	Priorities for 2023		3 January
i sundur y		uke 10:38-42	Sundary
8 January	Is your God able to save you?	Isaiah 13-20	10-12 January
15 January	How can God's promises still b	e true? Isaiah 21-23	17-19 January
22 January	Seeing our end coming	Isaiah 24	24-26 January
29 January	The world's greatest party	Isaiah 25	31 Jan-2 Feb
5 February	The key to eternal security Isai	ah 26:1- 27:1	7 February
12 February	Church weekend away join us in Northampton, online or at 5pm		14-16 Februar
19 February	Jesus and his surprising friends all ages Mark 2:13-17		21-23 Februar
26 February	God's glorious plan for his people Isaiah 27:2-13		28 Feb-2 Mar
5 March	Protecting what's precious	2 Timothy 1	7 March
12 March	Dealing with conflict and controversy 2 Timothy 2		14-16 March
19 March	Bible in the bin?	2 Timothy 3	21-23 March
26 March	How to end well	2 Timothy 4	28-30 March

Home groups

3 January	prayer meeting		
10-12 January	1 Corinthians 1:1-17		
17-19 January	1 Corinthians 1:18-31		
24-26 January	1 Corinthians 2:1-5		
31 Jan-2 Feb	1 Corinthians 2:6-16		
7 February	prayer meeting		
14-16 February	weekend away follow-up		
21-23 February	1 Corinthians 3		
28 Feb-2 Mar	1 Corinthians 4		
7 March	prayer meeting		
14-16 March	1 Corinthians 5		
21-23 March	1 Corinthians 6		

1 Corinthians 7

Sundays 5pm

1 January	A goal for the New Year Philippians 3:1-14		
8 January	Why are people so divided? 1 Corinthians 1:1-17		
15 January	How to influence others 1 Corinthians 1:18- 2:5		
22 January	Is it crazy to be a Chu for guests	r istian? 1 Corinthians 1:18	
29 January	Hearing God's voice	1 Corinthians 2:6-16	
5 February	Maturity and leadership 1 Corinthians 3		
12 February	Are Christians arrogant? 1 Corinthians 4		
19 February	Accountability and community 1 Corinthians 5:1-13		
26 February	Standing up for my rights 1 Corinthians 6:1-11		
5 March	Sexual freedom	1 Corinthians 6:12-20	
12 March	Sex education	1 Corinthians 7:1-9	
19 March	Marriage matters	1 Corinthians 7:10-24	
26 March	Single-minded	1 Corinthians 7:25-40	