



Broadfield Christian Fellowship

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NewsFlash!

Sunday 10th April 2016

This morning 10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall
Worship: Vivienne Evans; Speaker: David Evans

*We offer a warm welcome to all visitors to our worship today
If you want to know the location of any of the meetings, please ask the host or one of the leaders*

Monday 6.30pm: Prayer time in the Church
Tuesday 7.00pm: House Group at Caroline's home
7.45pm: House Group at Ben & Pauline's home
Wednesday 9.30am: Coffee Shop in the Social Hall
Friday 5.00pm: Friday Meal in the Social Hall
Next Sunday 9.00am: Open up and set up hall for worship
9.30am: Prayer meeting
10.00am: Tea and coffee
10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall
Worship: Kevin Gordon; Speaker: Ian Johnson

Thought for the Week – from Caroline

I absolutely agree with this Word For Today, but I am also concerned that control of your emotions should not mean you suffocate or bury them, that is NOT an answer. There are roots to your anger that need to be dealt with and it may be your anger is a build-up of many situations and experiences throughout your life. When you feel the anger rising up, that's the time to ask God, "Why am I reacting to this? Please help me Lord to understand this, I don't like feeling like this, show me the cause and the way to peace and healing and how to deal with it in a different way."

Word For Today

Your Anger Is Doing Damage

7 April 2016

"Do not be quickly provoked." (*Ecclesiastes 7:9 NIV 2011 Edition*)

Angry outbursts are destructive in all relationships, especially in your home. Children are the most vulnerable to parental anger, and they mirror their parents' behaviour. We shape our children's destiny by our words, behaviours, and attitudes, and if they're raised in a home that's consistently high-volume, they'll react similarly. Your actions are training your children to be hysterical and violent. Soon everyone will be overreacting, flying into fits of rage, and attacking one another. When you exhibit tantrum-like behaviour you're acting out of a selfish need to get what you want, when you want it, in the way you think you ought to have it. Please – for your family's sake – start acting like an adult; exhibit self-control. "Imitate those who through faith and patience inherit the promises." (*Hebrews 6:12 NKJV*) Notice, you must have faith and patience. You may not be able to control what happens in life, but you can certainly control your reaction. Whether it's the anger a father brings home from the workplace, or a wife's anger towards her husband, it can bring a curse. Simeon and Levi harboured anger in their hearts and became vicious and vindictive murderers. Because of this, a curse came upon them, and the anger was passed down from generation to generation (*see Genesis 49*). You must break the curse by resisting the temptation to let anger dictate your behaviour. In the words of James: "My dear brothers, take note ... Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, for man's anger does not bring about the righteous life that God desires." (*James 1:19-20 NIV 1984 Edition*)

Diary Dates

Saturday 30th July–Saturday 6th August: Revive! 2016, "New Day Dawning" with Heidi Baker and Less Isaacs.
Brochures are on the tables – book at www.ichthus.org.uk/revive.