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	Sunday 7th April 2024		
	This morning	10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall Worship: Viv Evans Speaker: Dave Evans	
		We offer a warm welcome to all visitors to our worship today If you would like to know more about us, please ask one of the leaders	
	Monday	7.00pm: Prayer Meeting on Zoom	
	Tuesday	7.30pm: Home Group at Steph & Shell's	
	Next Sunday	<ul> <li>9.00am: Open up and set up hall for worship</li> <li>9.30am: Prayer Meeting</li> <li>10.00am: Tea &amp; Coffee</li> <li>10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall Worship: Kevin Gordon Speaker: Ian Johnson</li> </ul>	

## **Thought for the Week – from Caroline**

I think what better message, after the wonderful news at Easter of Jesus's resurrection, than to give you the words God spoke to Moses after He gave him the Ten Commandments.

## Deuteronomy 5:30-32

"Go, tell them to return to their tents. But you stay here with me so that I may give you all the commands, decrees and laws you are to teach them to follow in the land I am giving them to possess." So be careful to do what the Lord your God has commanded you; do not turn aside to the right or to the left. Walk in obedience to all that the Lord your God has commanded you, so that you may live and prosper and prolong your days in the land that you will possess.'

You may say, "But I'm not a teacher," but I say you are! Just as small children watch and listen and copy, so too people will watch you. Your life will teach people, even when you don't use preachy words or mini-sermons. Your attitudes, your responses, your kindness, generosity, patience, empathy and time are great teachers. What we must persevere to do is not to be distracted and drawn to wrong things, or even right things that can consume us, to the right or to the left, and to hear God and obey Him.

What right things that can consume us? Well actually we can at times be so busy for God, thinking we are doing the right things, however noble they may be, that we don't hear what He actually wants us to do. In fact, we might even be getting in God's way. I think that may be a good subject for another *Thought For The Week*.

## **Diary Dates**

Saturday 4th May, 2.00–4.00pm: Thanksgiving Service for the life of Roger Forster at the Emmanuel Centre, Marsham Street, London SW1P 3DW, book your place at <u>ichthus.churchsuite.com/events/3wzhwoxm</u>

**Saturday 3rd–10th August:** Revive 2024 "Fearless and Free" at Ashburnham Place – bookings now open at <u>revivelive.co.uk</u> – special Jubilee camping offer, see <u>www.revivelive.co.uk/jubilee-2024/</u>, book by 31st May