



# WITARD ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

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## 21 August 2022

**Greetings!** This morning's service will be led by **Richard South**. **Chrissie Coe** will be leading the intercessory prayers and **Andy Gray** reading the bible passage.

**Pastor Steve** will be bringing the Lord's Word to us today from **Ephesians 1:1-14**



Our Morning Worship is being **livestreamed** each Sunday at 10.30am, it will be available on our YouTube channel and can also be accessed any time after.

Following this morning's service our **Prayer Ministry Team** will be available for anyone who would like specific prayer.

Please join us for **tea and coffee in the reception area** after the service.

Please join us this evening for our **Prayer Meeting on zoom at 6.30 pm**.

**Offerings** – We invite you to place your tithes and offerings in the box at the entrance to the Worship Centre. Thank you for your gift to the Lord's work here at WRBC.

**THIS WEEK:**

**Foodbank** – Monday 2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

**SPECIAL NOTICES:**

**Church Members Meeting** the next Church Members Meeting is on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 7pm. Copies of the agenda are being emailed/sent out. Please let David Taylor know of any items to be submitted under AOB by Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September.



**Help needed at the Foodbank** – Do you have a heart for the poor and are available once or twice a month to join our small team at WRBC Food Bank Distribution Centre. If so, please speak to Chrissie. We are open from 2-3.30 pm every Monday except Bank Holidays.



**A Change for the BMS Stamp Bureau**

BMS World Mission has been pleased to receive your stamp collection over many years, the sales of which have made extraordinary change possible around the world. Unfortunately, due to declining income, and a shortage of vendors and storage arrangements, we have been forced to bring the stamp bureau to a permanent close. Donations are welcome to the end of September 2022.

*Rab Taylor BMS Home Mission Rep.*

The August news letter from Dave and Michele Mahon has been emailed out and printed copies can be found in the reception area.



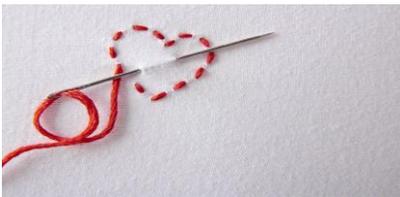
**Norfolk Churches Trust Bike Ride – September 10<sup>th</sup> 2022 - 9 am – 5 pm**

More information can be found on their website  
[Norfolkchurchestrust.org.uk/bike-ride](http://Norfolkchurchestrust.org.uk/bike-ride)



A service of thanksgiving for the life of Brenda Chapman will take place at WRBC on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> Aug at 12.15.

If you wish to join the family afterwards for refreshments at The White Horse, Trowse, please will you let Steve know by Sunday afternoon 14<sup>th</sup> August, plus any dietary requirements. [steve@witaroadbaptist.org.uk](mailto:steve@witaroadbaptist.org.uk)



### **Eight million stitches expressing God's love!**

If you would like a glimpse of this exhibition, look out for a feature on BBC TV Songs of Praise, Sunday 7th August, 1.15 pm and on BBC iPlayer after that.

'Threads through Creation' is an extraordinary, uplifting textile art exhibition touring twenty cathedrals.

It is now on at Bury St Edmunds - at St Edmundsbury Cathedral until 4th September.

Go to St Eds, and you will get to see a spectacular display of twelve huge and beautiful HUGE silk panels retelling the story of Creation from Genesis. You have probably read the story in black and white – now see a retelling in glorious colour!

It took Christian artist Jacqui Parkinson three years, miles of thread - and eight million stitches!

It is a great opportunity for Christians to enjoy, and one of those occasions where you can take non-Christian friends to – and be certain they will enjoy it.

More info: [www.creation-threads.co.uk](http://www.creation-threads.co.uk) and [www.stedscathedral.org](http://www.stedscathedral.org)

Can I go anywhere apart from Your Spirit?

Is there anywhere I can go to escape Your watchful presence?

If I go up into heaven, You are there.

If I make my bed in the realm of the dead, You are there.

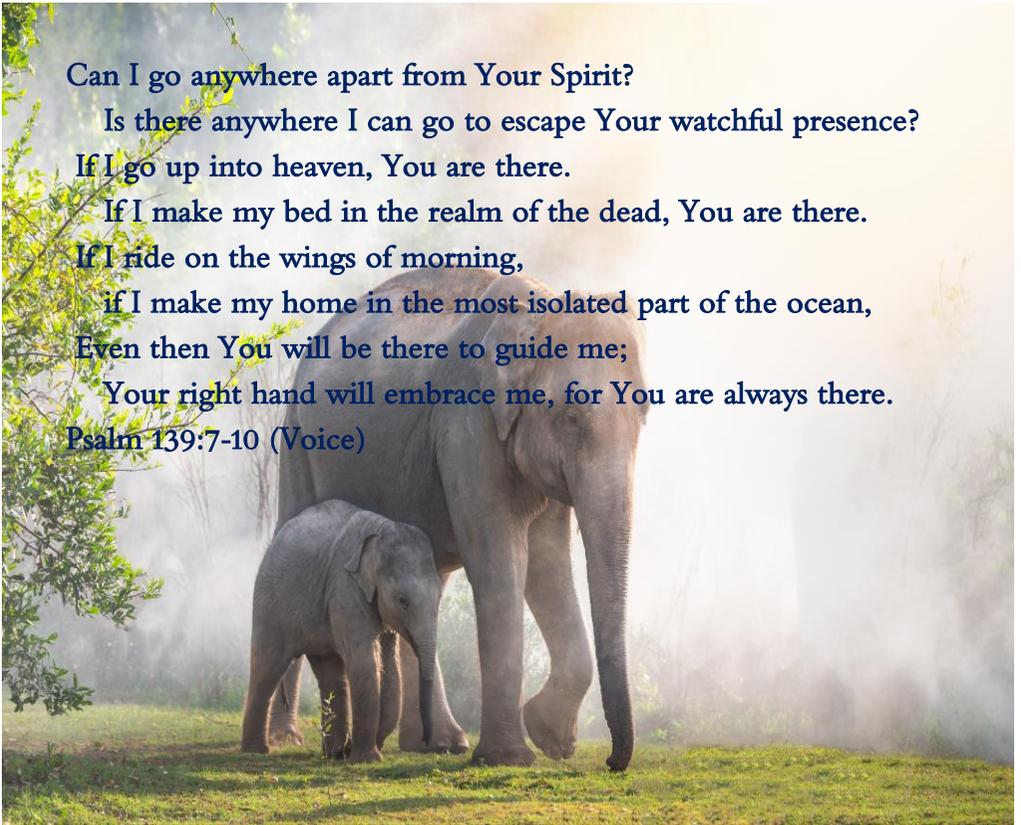
If I ride on the wings of morning,

if I make my home in the most isolated part of the ocean,

Even then You will be there to guide me;

Your right hand will embrace me, for You are always there.

Psalm 139:7-10 (Voice)



| ROTA FOR     | Sunday           | Sunday           |
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| Date         | 21 August 2022   | 28 August 2022   |
| Leader       | Richard South    | Kevin Stone      |
| Preacher     | Pastor Steve     | David Taylor     |
| Intercessor  | Chrissie Coe     | Claire Stone     |
| Bible Reader | Andy Gray        | Nicky Dagers     |
| PA/Projector | Gozi & David C   | Paul & Richard D |
| Welcome Team | Peter P & Martha | Mo & Diane C     |
| Refreshments | Jenny W & Pam P  | Mike C & Shane   |