

# e•news

Sunday 5 June

...a warm welcome to ebenezer...

Then Samuel took a stone and set it up between Mizpah and Shen.

He named it Ebenezer, saying,

'Thus far the Lord has helped us.'

1 Samuel 7:12 (NIVUK)

Ebenezer means 'stone of help'



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**Today: Pentecost Celebration**

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10.30am Sunday Gathering Tea and coffee served

11.00am Live in church

and Live Streaming on Facebook

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**The Day of Pentecost**

**Acts 2:1-13**



When the day of Pentecost came, they were **all together** in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on **each of them**.

**All of them** were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Acts 2:1-4(NIVUK)

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## Today continued

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**6.30pm Churches Together in Scarborough, celebrating the coming of the Holy Spirit, St Peter's RC Church, Castle Road, YO11 1TH**

Join with Christians from all denominations in Scarborough to worship together and enjoy a time of fellowship with our brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus.

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## The Queen's Platinum Jubilee 2022

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I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people – for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Saviour, who wants all people to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth.

1 Timothy 2:1-4 (NIVUK)



SOVEREIGN LORD, PLEASE GRANT TO OUR QUEEN AN EVER-DEEPENING KNOWLEDGE OF YOUR LOVE AND PEACE. IN WORSHIP, STUDY OF YOUR WORD AND THE SHARING OF HER CHRISTIAN FAITH WITH OTHERS, MAY SHE BE STRENGTHENED BY YOUR SPIRIT IN ALL WISDOM, KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING. BLESS HER IN ALL HER WAYS. FOR JESUS' SAKE.

**AMEN**

Source: <https://care.org.uk/news/2022/06/prayers-to-mark-the-queens-platinum-jubilee>

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## Sunday 12 June

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10.30am Sunday Gathering Tea and coffee served

11.00am Live in church, , and Live Streaming on Facebook

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**Leo Bann SwaziVision**

*Missions Coordinator says:*

Our speaker on 12 June is Leo Baan from the Netherlands, who with his wife, Jill, leads SwaziVision, a trust to help Swaziland to attain its dream for a first world country. The aims are:

- ✚ to work towards an Aids Free Country
- ✚ to protect the children
- ✚ to help educate its people to have family values based on Biblical foundations
- ✚ to enable children to grow up in a warm, safe, caring and protected environment.

John Payne is organising a lunch with Leo at Scalby Manor, a Stonehouse restaurant on Burniston Road. This will give you the opportunity to chat to Leo and find out more in an informal setting.

If you would like to join the group, John needs to know **TODAY**, so that he can book the table.

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## Missions Updates

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On the Ebenezer Church website:

<https://www.rockofhelp.org.uk/noticeboard>

- ✚ FISS Zoom Prayer Meeting Thursday 9 June 11am
- ✚ BMS Weekly Update 26 May
- ✚ BMS Weekly Update 2 June
- ✚ Worldshare Prayer Calendar June 2022
- ✚ Release International News Update June 2022
- ✚ MAF More than Conquerors 1 June
- ✚ Benstead's Prayer Letter May 2022

We started off learning about Jesus appearing to people after His Resurrection. We looked at three stories and thought about who He appeared to, where they were and how they knew it was Jesus!

Later, out and about, we started with our opening prayer, read by Ted, then we read about the final appearance of Jesus when he led His followers out of Jerusalem to the vicinity of Bethany. So then we returned to our Mount of Olives.....



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At the bottom of the mount, we learned that after this final appearance Jesus then ascended into heaven ... ..



To remind us of the story we ascended back up the mount in the nearby cliff lift .



Amazed by the things we had heard, and as the sun came out to warm us ☀️, we finished with snacks to celebrate, enjoyed an impromptu song about heaven, read about waiting for the promised power, shared our blessing and had a jolly jaunt back to 'Jerusalem'!

