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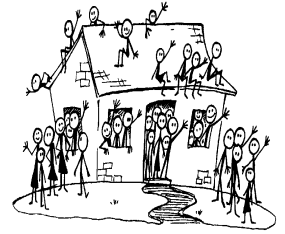
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Welcome to our Sunday morning meeting.

The meeting today is led by Richard Miles

The talk will be by John MacDiarmid

We will be welcoming into church membership Tony and Debbie Leversha

Creche and Sunday School are available from about 11.15am. We finish around 12noon with tea, coffee and biscuits.

NB Parking—We can park in the Citizens Advice Bureau, Doctors Surgery and Solicitors car park with a blue slip in the car window (available at church entrance) For solicitors car park **do not use** parking spaces against wall adjacent to Sainsbury's

If you're visiting us today then you are very welcome. Thank you for coming and we hope you will feel at home with us. Our meeting starts by praising God. We pause at about 11.15am to allow the children to go to Sunday School or Creche. Sunday School is from about 4 to 13 yrs and is upstairs at the back of the church building. The creche is for babies and toddlers upstairs at the front of the building.

We then continue the meeting with a bible based talk finishing around 12noon. Tea, coffee and biscuits are then served for a time of relaxing and chatting.

If you have any questions or comments please feel free to speak with one of the people who led the meeting or complete a contact card and leave in the red box at the entrance.

We do not normally take up an offering in our meetings. If you are interested in supporting the church financially there is a box available by the entrance door.

Diary of Events 23rd–30th May

Sunday 23rd May	9.30am 10.10am 10.30am 4.00pm	Meeting at Dorset House Prayer Celebration led by Richard Miles Speaker:- John MacDiarmid Indian Church meeting at Lagland Street
Monday 24th May	10.00am 7.00pm	NHS Baby Clinic Youth Group at Lagland Street
Tuesday 25th May	10.30am 8.00pm	“Open Door” (Coffee, tea, free to everyone) Prayer Together at Lagland Street
Wednesday 26th May	10.00am	Daytime Bible Study There will be no Youth Group Bible Study due to exams
Thursday 27th May	1.00pm	Language School
Friday 28th May	7.00am	Early Morning prayer in the prayer room at Lagland Street
Sunday 30th May	10.10am 10.30am 4.00pm	Prayer at Lagland Street Celebration led by Nick May We will be breaking bread together “Church Life” - Gordon Short and Val McCormack will be telling us about work amongst the homeless that we do on Saturday nights Indian Church meeting at Lagland St.

New Church Members

Following the recent church membership course we are delighted to welcome Tony & Debbie Leversha; Kevin & Miranda Shaw; Eluid and Amanda Richards-Karajan; John & Yrsa Shanks into membership at Poole Christian Fellowship.

Over the coming weeks each of them will be formally welcomed at a Sunday meeting. Another church membership course will follow in the near future. Please see John if you are interested in pursuing church membership.

PCF Church Weekend –Countdown–5 weeks!



Not long now to our church weekend together. Please be in prayer for a great weekend away together. For those who have not yet decided there are still places available and the form is in the foyer. There is also a prayer sheet available so that everyone can pray about

the weekend.

Paul Dando is our guest speaker for the weekend and there will be a full programme of activities or the opportunity simply to enjoy the hotel facilities and the surrounding areas. We are really pleased that some of our friends from the Christian Union at Aberystwyth University have agreed to help out with looking after our children during the weekend. This will take pressure off our Sunday school, Creche workers and Mums and Dads.



There are still places available so please see Linda with your £20 deposit (£10 for under 18's).

For those who have already paid their deposit the balance should be paid as soon as possible please put your payments in one of the envelopes to be found at the entrance and put in the red box. Remember that for those of you who pay income tax that this can be reclaimed through Gift Aid.

Please note that there will be no meeting at Lagland Street on Sunday 27th June as the church will be meeting at the Sidholme Hotel in Devon.

Church Prayer

As a church we are going through the process of discussing how we can “raise our game” with regard to our prayer life.

On housegroup evenings we average 60-70 attendance, and on alternate Tuesdays when we meet for prayer the number is 15-20. We really need to understand from the church why this is and what we can do to change it. If we have to change our whole approach to prayer we will do it. Nothing is ruled out and nothing is ruled in! We want to know your thoughts.