

LEEK AND MEERBROOK TEAM MINISTRY

Mission Action Plan for Districts of St. Luke's & St. Paul's

4 Key Priorities arising out of formulating, discussing and approval of the Mission Action Plan:-

- 1) Appointment of a Leadership Team based at St. Luke's (similar to the one already in place at St. Paul's) to work with the Vicar to move forward the work and mission of the church.
- 2) Formation of a Publicity Committee to improve the communications within the church family, across the Team and out into the community.
- 3) Formation of a new Baptism Team to help the Vicar with preparation and follow-up.
- 4) To restart a Parents/Carers and Toddlers group at St. Luke's with overt Christian input/worship, aimed at Baptism contacts and others.

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1. Engaging with the wider world

Fresh ways of supporting our church schools...(Beresford Memorial)

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
Prayer Support	Information to a monthly prayer sheet	September 2005	Jane Watson	AGM	
More services in the school (Education Sunday 2006 + ? one other in 2006)	Plan with RW/St. P's team/Sue T.	January 2006 ->	Roger & Sue T.	AGM	
Small-scale noticeboards in both churches	Joy C. & Dorothy Bloor to contact Sue T.	Autumn 2005	Publicity Committee	AGM	
Coffee Mornings @ St. P's after morning drop-off	To be explored further by St. P's planning team	July 2006			

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Deepening our involvement and action in the local community...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
<p>To find out who from the congregation is working in the local community.</p> <p>To give opportunity for people working in the community to share what they do.</p>	<p>Questionnaire to be given out with bulletins/after services.</p> <p>Occasional evenings/ services for common areas of interest for sharing and praying, and seeing where the church can help.</p>	<p>Summer 2006</p> <p>Start Autumn 2006</p>			
<p>To form a new Baptism team to help Roger with preparation and follow-up.</p> <p>To also look at Baptism policy and the format of the Baptism service.</p> <p>To repeat the Holiday Club in 2006</p> <p>To look at new ways of doing Mission & Evangelism</p>	<p>Roger to seek out interested individuals.</p> <p>A team to be recruited.</p> <p>Initially invite Evangelism Consultant to spend a day/weekend with us.</p>	<p><u>ASAP</u></p> <p>Summer 2006</p> <p>2007/8</p>	<p>Roger</p> <p>Watsons/ Craddicks</p> <p>Roger</p>	<p>DCC</p>	

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Growing our ecumenical links in Leek...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
To encourage a Team discussion to plan a possible variety of Evening Services across the Team, which will include looking at times and venues.	PCC Agenda Item	Early 2006	Team Rector & other clergy		
To encourage cross-communication of what is going on already.	Sharing of info between those who prepare weekly Newsheets and others.	Early 2006	Publicity Committee		
To look to Praise & Prayer going to bi-monthly (6x a year)		2006	Roger & Ashley		
To set up consultation for those with young families	Jerry to canvas those at 11.15am service	By end of 2005			
To set up consultation for current Evening Service regulars	Roger to canvas views	By end of 2005			

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Supporting the world church and learning from it...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
Raising awareness of Kompong Tralach	Social evening for Harvest organised by John/Jerry	Saturday 8 th October	John A.	Early 2006	
	Thing for the children, John & Tony/Jane	Sunday 20 th November	John A.	Early 2006	
	Coffee Morning @ St. L's, John/Ann/Val	By the end of 2005	John A.	Early 2006	
	Contribute to monthly Prayer sheet	September 2005	Jane Watson	AGM	
Examine other potential partnerships	Leave until 2006				

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Exploring new ways of being open to people of all ages...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
<p>To look at children's and young people's work in both churches, and seek to build on it.</p>	<p>Questionnaire to the young people asking for their views and desires.</p> <p>To link in with Joy Powell's work with Paradox/Synthesis/The Kore.</p>	<p>Autumn 2005</p> <p>SS leaders/parents/others.</p>	<p>Roger</p>		
<p>To investigate possibility of sharing/pooling resources in music/children's work/etc between 11am and 11.15am congregations</p>	<p>Help – I don't know! Some sort of joint discussion between leadership teams.</p>	<p>End of 2006</p>	<p>Roger & Leadership Teams</p>		
<p>To continue to make sure our churches are genuinely "Open to all"</p>	<p>To appoint an "Open to all" officer/sub-group (to include TG) to keep up to date with Best Practice.</p>	<p>Summer 2006</p>	<p>Wardens</p>	<p>DCC</p>	

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Developing fresh expressions of church at different times and places...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
To start/restart a Parents/Carers and Toddlers Group at St. Luke's with an overt Christian input/worship, aimed at Baptism contacts and others.	<p>Key need is a leader to take this idea forward.</p> <p>Is there anyone currently in our congregations or do we need to consider a paid Christian worker?</p> <p>(NB – St. Edward's also thinking about paid worker for their Sunday work)</p>	Autumn 2006	Roger/DCC		

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4. Creating disciples for the 21st Century

Connecting issues of faith and life...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
To encourage a desire for such issues to be connected!	Invite suggestions for topics for sermon series, "Any Questions?", topical discussion evenings so we can 'scratch where people are itching'.	2006	Roger & others (? Leadership Teams)		
	To encourage our current and future small groups to follow up and apply sermons.	2006	Roger & others (? Leadership Teams)		
To have a Church Weekend away	To be discussed further by Wardens/Leadership Teams/DCC	Plan towards end of 2006/early 2007	Roger & wardens		

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Encouraging spiritual growth...

What will we do?	How will we do it and who will do it?	By when?	Who is responsible?	Review?	Risk and Assumptions?
To encourage a “Small Group” ethic within the life of this district.	Teach and speak about the benefits of small groups in sermons, testimony etc	Early 2006	Roger & others		
	To better publicise what goes on already, with days, times, pictures.	2006	Publicity Committee		
	To work towards a variety of different groups, including prayer groups, being available.	2007	Roger & DCC		
	To better link up those who go on the Alpha/Deepening Faith Courses.	At the end of the next Alpha Course	Roger & Course leaders		