

Seeking to Worship  
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FREE CHURCH  
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Seeking to Serve

**Welcome to our services today**

**Key Qn: [UP]** Are you able to simply dwell in His presence

**Challenge:** Take the Discipline of OFF seriously

Suggested Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5  
and 2 Thessalonians 1

**We want to see Kingdom Life  
across the city**

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July**  
**We Come Together for ...**  
**Morning Worship**  
Led by Paula with Paul Joel speaking

**Next Week**  
**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July**  
**We Come Together for ...**  
**Morning Worship**  
Led by Jed with Emad speaking

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July**  
**We Come Together for**  
**All Age Worship**  
Led by Chris

**Coming up....**

During the sabbatical Helen will continue to give oversight alongside the leadership team, with the Pastoral Care Team led by Susan assisting with pastoral concerns.

**Wednesday July 10th QCM 7.45pm**  
We come together to celebrate and seek Jesus for the life of the church.

**Saturday July 20<sup>th</sup> 9.00-11.00am**  
Dads n Kidz

*Our verse for 2019:*  
*'The Spirit searches all things, even the deep things of God' 1 Corinthians 2:10b*

**Habits for greater fruitfulness:**

- The Discipline of OFF
- Share the Walk
- Ever Closer to Jesus
- Margin for Jesus

**Sabbatical - An intentional 7-year Rhythm**

Karl and Karen will be on sabbatical from June 10th to September 1st inclusive - time deliberately set aside for seeking God for renewed energy and vision for the mission ahead of us.

If you wish to include items on the newsheet please contact Wendy Penn on [news@countessely.co.uk](mailto:news@countessely.co.uk)

## ***This week at a glance ...***

Karl & Karen are on Sabbatical until 2nd September!

<b>Monday</b>	<b>8.30pm</b>	Men's group (Meet at The Fountain) (15 <sup>th</sup> July)
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Rainbow Prayer Group
	<b>2.30pm</b>	Fellowship Hour (10 <sup>th</sup> July)
	<b>6.00pm</b>	Connect 4 Jesus for school years 3 to 6
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Two by Two baby & toddler Group
	<b>2.30pm</b>	Small Group (contact Sujay for venue) (18 <sup>th</sup> July)
	<b>8.00pm</b>	Small Group (contact Stephen & Kate for venue) (18 <sup>th</sup> July)
	<b>8.00pm</b>	Small Group (contact Helen for venue) (18 <sup>th</sup> July)
	<b>8.00pm</b>	Small Group at Ken and Linda's house (18 <sup>th</sup> July)
<b>Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July<sup>th</sup> 2.00pm – 4.00pm</b> church in use for a party		

*Please note the hall is regularly used on Monday mornings (SUN Café); Tuesday mornings & Friday afternoons for Ely Foodbank; Thursday evening for dancing groups; Friday mornings for exercise classes!*

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### ***Other News....***

A Day-time small group: meets alternate Thursdays at 2.30pm. See Sujay if interested.

Due to increasing numbers of clients struggling with the transfer to Universal Credit, we find ourselves short of a few items at the Foodbank. Please would you consider donating an item from the following? *Pasta Sauces, Long Life Milk, Biscuits, Rice Pudding, Custard.* Items can be brought to church or left in the supermarket crates. Thank you!

Ruth D says a huge "thank you" to everyone for the lovely flowers and many cards on her birthday.

**Friday 19th July 7.30pm** Lighthouse are showing a documentary about poet Saya Maung Aung Pwint to raise funds for the charity supporting young people in Myanmar. Tickets £5 on the door or via 07825 580085.

### ***Please pray for....***

Anna and Will and family as they prepare to move house this summer. May God bless them in their new home and change of role for Will in the new term.

Please pray for Christy and the boys as they fly to the US. May God bless them and Chris as plans come together in the coming months.

**Desire!** Desire for God to move, to see Him at work *out there* that we might join in with Him