THE

# EASTENDER

## **THIS WEEK**

Welcome to our worship service. Mike Desouza will be preaching today.

Friday's meeting is for everyone as we have the penultimate class on Deuteronomy.

Next Sunday is our family Christmas service, at which some of the children will be performing. Please invite friends and family.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **DEUTERONOMY TEACHING SERIES**

If you didn't manage to get a Quiet Time book, or would like a digital version anyway, please download a copy from the East website.

# LONDON CHURCH NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

Mon 31 Dec, from 9pm Conway Hall, 25 Red Lion Square, WC1R 4RL Nearest Tube: Holborn £10 per person. Children 12 and under are free. No childcare is provided. Info & registration at www.toliveischrist.co.uk

#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY**

Crisis at Christmas are looking for volunteers over the Christmas period to help the homeless between 23-30 December. If you're interested in volunteering please check out the Crisis website www.crisis.org.uk or speak to Maria in the fellowship or on 07944775792 if you want to join a group from church going together.

### **2013 CHURCH CALENDAR**

Please collect a copy of the latest version of the 2013 calendar, and mark the dates in your diary.

#### **LEADERSHIP TRAINING DAY**

The London Church is holding a training day on Sat 5 Jan from 10-4 at Institute of Education, Bedford Way, by Russell Square. This is for all FGLs and anyone else interested in growing as a leader.

#### CITY BIBLE DISCUSSION

Date: Every 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month Time: 1.05pm - 1.35pm Place: The Church Of St Edmund The King, Lombard Street, EC3V 9EA

Nearest Tube: Bank (exit 6) or Monument. See Kevin Cundale for details.

# CANARY WHARF LUNCHTIME BIBLE DISCUSSION & FELLOWSHIP

Please contact Isi or Alfred for more details.

# FRIDAY 14TH DECEMBER - FOOD COLLECTION

In London every week 15,000 people including 6,500 children rely on food donations. To support the work of Rainham Food-bank a collection is to be held at Church on Friday 14th December. A list of food items required will be circulated but are also available from Frances and Dennis.

# FOR THE LADIES - CLOTHES-SWAPPING EVENT

There's going to be another clothes swap. It will be Sat 9 Dec, 12 – 2pm, 41 Lambourne Rd, Chigwell Row, IG7 6EZ. Bring one or more items of clothing, laundered and in good condition - kids' or adults'; toys/gifts. Bring some nibbles.(Optional 50p or £1 coin for HOPE) Have fun, have fellowship, have a fashion fest! Please let Cathy know if you're thinking of joining us (07787 317460).

#### **CRECHE**

Please be reminded that there is a crèche for parents with pre-Kids Kingdom children to use during the service, which is 'wired-up' so you don't miss hearing anything.

## **STANDING ORDER & GIFT AID FORMS..**

..are available from Paul Rowden, including Gift Aid envelopes for cash givers.

## **DIARY DATES**

All meetings at Wanstead High School unless otherwise stated -Sundays 11am Fridays 7.30pm

#### SUN 2 DEC

Worship Service

#### FRI 7 DEC

Dt Class 7/8

#### **SUN 9 DEC**

Christmas Service

#### FRI 14 DEC

Dt Class 8/8. Foodbank collection.

#### **SUN 16 DEC**

London Carol Service, 10:30-12:00, Friends House, Euston Road

#### FRI 21 DEC

Christmas Party

#### **SUN 23 DEC**

Family Carol Service

#### FRI 28 DEC

No Meeting

#### SUN 30 DEC

Worship Service

#### MON 31 DEC

London NYE Party

## **SAT 5 JAN 2013**

FGL Training Day, 10-4, Logan Hall

#### **SUN 6 JAN 2013**

London Service, 10-12, Logan Hall

#### FRI 11 JAN 2013

**Church Meeting** 

#### **SUN 13 JAN 2013**

Worship Service