

## WEEKLY MEETINGS

**Sunday:** Morning Service 10.30am  
(Includes Sunday Club for the Young Ones)

Evening Service 6.00pm

**Tuesday:** Ladies Group  
2.00-4.00pm

Worship Team Practice & Prayer  
7.00-8.30pm

**Wednesday:** Knitters & Natters – Church Fellowship Group  
10.00-11.30am

**Thursday:** Parents & Tots 9.30-11.30am

Bible Study 6:30-8.30pm

**Friday:** Morriston Camera Club 7.00-9.00 pm

**Saturday:** Talking Box, Men's Health 10.00-12.00noon  
(Second Saturday every Month)

**Cuppa & Chat / Prayer Station:** Open when we're in the building

***Please take this newsletter home  
and use it during the coming days/ weeks.***

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# JUNE 2023

## Aenon Baptist Church



## Serving the Community

# 1880 - 2023

## Services in June - Everyone is Welcome

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June**

**10.30am Family Service**

'Hi Papa' (Matthew 6:1-15)

**6.00pm Communion Service**

'How Do We Measure Up?' (Amos 7:1-9)

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

**10.30am Service**

'Don't Worry, Be Happy' (Matthew 6:19-34)

**6.00pm Service**

'Do You Know Your Fruit?' (Amos 8:1-14)

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

**10.30am Communion Service**

'The Spirit of Truth' (John 14:15-31)

**6.00pm Service**

'I Was Blind, But Now I See' (Acts 9:1-19)

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June**

**10.30am Service**

Visiting Preacher – Chris Hess

**6.00pm Service**

Visiting Preacher – Simon Bates

**Sunday Club for the Young Ones is held as part of the  
Morning Services**

**Unless otherwise stated Services are led by our Pastor,  
Rev. Phil Denyer**

## Prayer Guide for the Month

**Community:** Woodfield St, Cwmbath Rd, Strawberry Place, Rock Terrace, Bryneithin Terrace, Treharne Rd, Bath Rd, Bath Ave, Lan St, Horeb Rd, Bath Villas, Slate St, Uplands Terrace, Crown St, Clyndu St, Tan Y Lan Ter, Vicarage Rd, Llys Y Graig, Pleasant St, Springfield St, Rosemary Cl, Penrice St, Maes Y Bryn.

**Organisations:** Voluntary Groups, Churches Together in Morriston, Police, Fire and Ambulance Services, Primary & Senior Schools, Charitable Groups, Doctor's surgeries, the Hospital and A&E,

**Church:**

***Please pray for Pastor Phil & the Diaconate-***

***For the Holy Spirit to Strengthen & Guide them.***

***Please pray for all our Church Members and friends at Aenon, and for all who may visit our services and meetings this month.***

***Please pray for our Church Groups and Organisations:***

***Ladies Group, Parent & Toddlers, Knitters & Natters, Worship Team, Bible Study, Working Party, Talking Box.***

***Building Project:*** For the full completion of the work as we seek to better serve the community and bring glory to our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, as we make Him known.

## Useful Information and Links



Aenon Baptist Church Website

[www.aenonbaptist.org](http://www.aenonbaptist.org)



YouVersion

Mobile App

Website [www.youversion.com](http://www.youversion.com)



[www.biblegateway.com](http://www.biblegateway.com)



[www.mind.org.uk](http://www.mind.org.uk)

**We're Mind  
charity**

**Cymru, the mental health**



[www.papyrus-uk.org](http://www.papyrus-uk.org)



**24 Hour Helpline**  
For free confidential support and advice, contact our helpline on:

**01792 644683**

**Empowerment, safety and support for women  
and children experiencing domestic abuse.**

## From the Study

### Matthew 6:14-15 (NIV-UK)

***<sup>14</sup> For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. <sup>15</sup> But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.***

Forgiveness of others is probably the greatest challenge for anyone contemplating becoming a Christian – in fact, even when a person does become a Christian, being able to forgive is a huge challenge for many of us.

If you find it difficult to forgive you need to realise that being able to forgive is not always easy, however, forgiveness is nevertheless still essential. I'm aware that many have experienced things which have left physical, psychological or emotional scars – please don't think I'm dismissing those things. In such experiences forgiveness may seem impossible, but I want to remind you of the words of the Apostle Paul (*Philippians 4:13 – Complete Jewish Bible*):

***'I can do all things through him who gives me power.'***

God is not expecting you to go through the process of forgiving on your own, whatever your experience or challenge, He has given us His Son, Jesus, and the Comforter / Counsellor, the Holy Spirit. Let God lead you in the experience of forgiveness, being forgiven and being able to forgive, for your blessing and His glory.

Be blessed and ***be a blessing*** this month in the mighty name of Jesus,

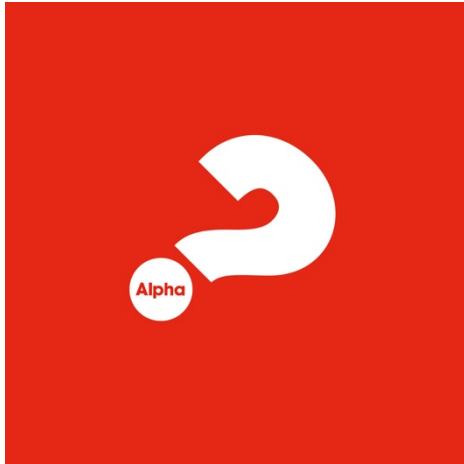
*Pastor Phil.*

***Lord Jesus, please teach us the grace of forgiving, even in the most challenging of circumstances; to forgive even as we have been forgiven. Thank You Lord, in Jesus' name, Amen.***

## Diary Dates

### CHURCH MEMBERS AGM & GENERAL MEETING

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023 6.30pm



If you have questions  
about Christianity

*Ask about ALPHA*

*For more info go to  
[www.alpha.org](http://www.alpha.org)*

This month we bid farewell to one of our families at Aenon. Dan & Emma and their son Sam have been part of Aenon since 2014; Emma began by bringing Sam to Tots before he was even 12 months old. Emma has also served as a Sunday School Teacher and a Deacon at Aenon, also continuing to help at Tots up to last Month, May.

Dan & Emma felt God calling them to Northern Ireland – much prayer followed and so, God began to put His plan into place.

And so, we at Aenon send Dan, Emma and Sam with our prayers and our blessings.

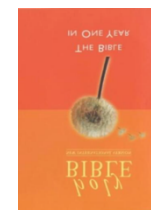
May God richly bless them as a family and enrich them in the work and ministry He has called them to in Northern Ireland.

## Bible Word Search: Prayer



Bless, Boldness, Breakthrough, Confident, Consistent, Deliverance, Duty, Enlighten, Faithfulness, Family, Fellowship, Generosity, Intercessory, Jesus, Merciful, One accord, Pastor, Patient, Persistent, Power, Relentless, Rest, Sacrifice, Self, Submission, Thoughtful, Trust, Unity, Unstoppable, Way maker

*This month's prize is the Bible in One Year (NIV)*



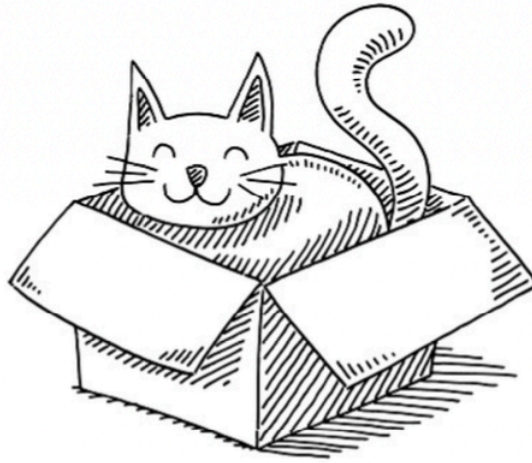
**£1.00 to enter on / or after June 25<sup>th</sup>.  
Last Entry July 23<sup>rd</sup>, draw takes place  
after the evening service.**

JUNE  
**10th**

A place where you can  
fit in, and everything  
stays in the box.

Board Games, Tea /  
Coffee;

A place where you are  
free to talk, if you want  
to.



# THE TALKING BOX

## Men's Health Matters

**2nd Saturday  
of Every Month**

**10am - 12noon**

**AENON BAPTIST CHURCH, STRAWBERRY PLACE,  
MORRISTON, SA6 7AG.**

## Eco Church:

### June Update

The next few weeks and months could prove to be busy but exciting times along our Eco Church journey, as we work towards a Silver Award. It is a sensible time to produce an action plan and so, two or three people to help with this task would be appreciated!

The summer months will allow us to plan some church activities outside (let us know of any ideas you have) and to tend our little garden -which is progressing nicely!

Talking about gardens and getting outside... why not find some time each week (weather permitting) to sit outside? Just sit quietly, look around you and contemplate...the wonder of creation in your back yard. Yes, we know of the great mountains and oceans and rainforests, but much closer to home, we can also use all our senses to appreciate our flowers, trees & shrubs, grass, bird song and insects. They all need protecting and nurturing and we have a role in that. So many species are under threat, but we must play our part.

*God the gardener of Eden  
teach us how to tend this earth,  
learning from the changing seasons  
times of fallow and new birth.  
Lord have mercy when we're careless,  
Rich resources we misuse.  
Use our hands to heal creation,  
You are making all things new.*

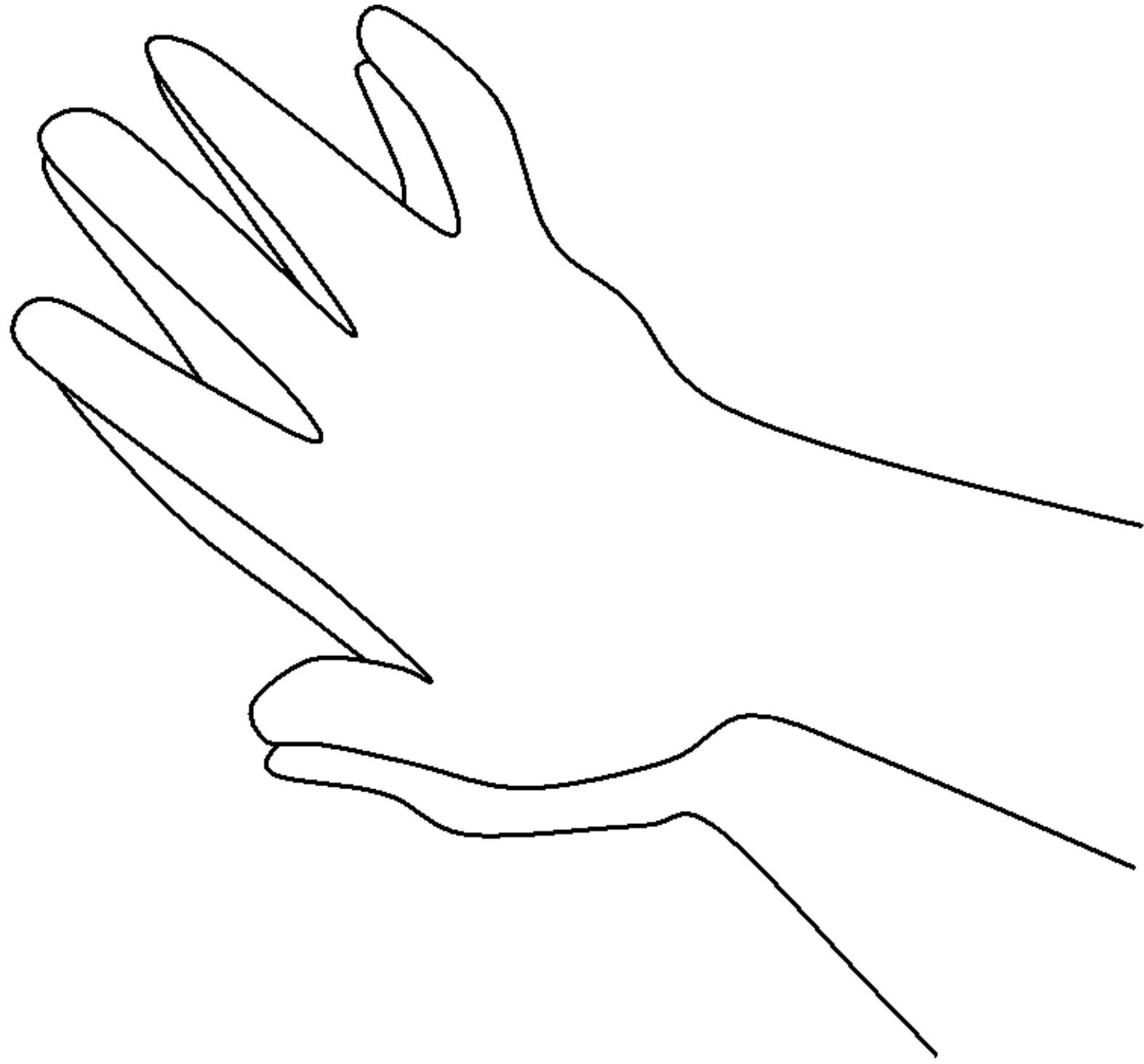
Various verses in Genesis say:

'Let the earth produce all kinds of plants, those that bear grain and those that bear fruit.'

'Let the water be filled with many kinds of living beings, and let the air be filled with birds.'

'I am putting you in charge of the fish, the birds and all the wild animals. I have provided all kinds of grain and all kinds of fruit for you to eat; but for all the wild animals and for the birds I have provided grass and leafy plants for food.'

Thank you!



**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,  
As we forgive those who trespass against us;  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
For ever and ever. Amen.**