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Date	Leader	Coffee	Crèche	Welcome	Chairs	Communion
15 Jan	Simon Duan	SLT	Sarah Lay Louise Richards	Maureen Lewis	David Owen	SLT
22 Jan	Simon Duan	SLT	Coretta Vogelberg Katie Wiles	Jill Drake	tba	SLT
29 Jan	Simon Duan	SLT	Sarah Lay Nathan	Pauline Knight	Margaret Lewis	tba
05 Feb	Simon Duan	Café Team	Cristiane Tyler Hannah Edmett	Jennifer Brown	Kevin Brown	tba
12 Feb	Simon Duan	Dave and Liz Garrett	Lianne Krynauw Louise Richards	Maureen Lewis	David Owen	tba

If you need something in VW or set up for the Sunday Service please make sure it is with the administrator by 9:00am Thursday. Please send prayer chain requests to the administrator.

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Office hours: 10.00am- 1.00pm. Monday, Tuesday, Friday. 12-4 Wednesday  
Closed Thursday.

'The mystery is that I shall never know God exhaustively yet I may know sufficient to feel compelled to fall at his feet in wonder, love and praise.'  
'Listening to God' - Joyce Huggett

**2 Welcome to Vine Evangelical Church! 2**  
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*15 January 2012*

**Sunday 15 January**  
**16:00pm Worship Service.**  
**'God is Unchanging'**  
**Speaker Simon Duan**

<b>Sun</b>			16:00-17:30	Worship Service
			16:00-17:30	RIPZ + Sunday Club, VEC
<b>Mon</b>	10:00-12:00	Whole Church Worship	20:00-21:00	CONTACT Prayer
			20:30-21:30	Men's Football Hollybush
<b>Tue</b>	10:00-12:00	Mothers and Others	20:00-21:30	Whole Church Worship
<b>Wed</b>			12:00-14:00	SLT
<b>Thur</b>	11:00-13:00	German Café Kaffeeklatsch	19:30-22:00	WKDA (Debt Advice)
<b>Sun</b>	10:30-12:00	Worship Service	13:00-17:00	CONTACT
<b>22</b>	10:30-12:00	RIPz + Sunday Club	18:30-20:30	Soul Purpose at VBC

**Next Sunday 22nd. 10:30am**  
**'God is Holy'**  
**Speaker Simon Duan.**

If you are concerned with a restless child, please feel free to use the **Bawl Room**, where they can calm down while you see, hear and enjoy the service. Children leave during the service for:

**Crèche: for children under 3 years,**  
**Sunday Club: for children from 3 to 10 years,**  
**Ripz: for those aged 11 to 13 years.**

During our special time in January, the leaders are encouraging the church to spend time fasting and praying for God to reveal himself and to refresh us as we seek Him and delight in Him together. If fasting is new to you please speak to one of the leaders about how you may be able to do this. We have some written material which may help you, and books to borrow which are on the small table at the back of the church. Fasting is one way to help us to be more sensitive to God, and doing this together as a church can make a difference during our time of seeking God together.

## VEC NEWS AND ACTIVITIES:

**This Sunday:** 4.00pm, 'God is Unchanging'. Speaker Simon Duan, Psalm 102. This is the second Sunday of our special ReNew Year times. The children and Ripz will remain at VEC this week. Thanks to Craig Colson and his team from Bessels Green for leading the youth work and to JD Stiven, who used to worship with us, for leading our worship. A crèche will be available.

**We continue** the mid week opportunities to refocus on Jesus, to rediscover our first love and receive from God. Monday at 10.00am and Tuesday at 8.00pm.

**As God** is revealing his presence and individuals are responding there may well be things that you want to talk and pray through. Please see one of the leaders or someone else you know and trust to respond to what God is saying.

**If you** sense God speaking to you for the Church please let the leaders know. If it is on a Sunday and you would like to share this; please run past Simon first. There is guidance on our response to 'Hearing from God' in the leaflet to be found in the foyer.

**Holiday Club:** This is now 5 weeks away. This is being called Full Steam Ahead. See flyer with this VW for latest news.

**Mothers and Others** has restarted with more new mums. Maxine Williams has stood down from leading this group so we are in need of others to step into this ministry alongside Jane Firth. Please pray and think if you can serve here.

**The Foundation Course:** We will be running a Foundation Course starting on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 1pm which will be held on each Thursday until Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March. (venue to be confirmed) This course is open to anyone at VEC, those who are new to faith, as well as those who have been Christians for many years. It is also useful for those who are new to the church family. During the course we look at some of the foundations of our faith, such as "My journey and my identity, communicating with God, getting into the Bible and letting the Bible get into me, transformation, how God changes me, how do I grow and use my gifts within the church family?" This is the first time we have run a Foundation Course during the day, so it may be more convenient for some to get involved with. If you are interested or you just want to know more about it speak to Joyce.

**A date for your new diary:** We will be having a celebration meal to mark the end of our special ReNew Year. We will be celebrating what God has been revealing to us during this time and reflecting on our times together during January. This will be held on Saturday 28 January 2012 at 7pm to sit down for the meal at 7.30 – bring your own drinks and glasses – sign the list at the back of the church if you are able to come.

**The next church family** meeting is on Sunday 5 February after the morning service. More details to come.

## PRAYER, PRAISE AND OTHER NEWS:

### Pray for:

**David Tyler:** It has been good to see David recently as he is now able to walk with his frame. *Please keep praying that the infection in his hip will continue to go and that eventually he will get a new hip.*

**Please continue to pray** for Geoffrey and Anita, Brian and Jean, Ken and Glenda and Max and Sue, that God will make His presence known and they will all know God's peace in the middle of their situations.

**Jim Davis, David Owen and David Garrett** have met to plan their itinerary for going to the Philippines from February 27th - March 10th. While there, they will be working with the 'Impact World Tour' team in schools, prisons and outreaching into the local towns. *Please pray for them as they prepare and also remember their wife's and families as they leave them for a couple of weeks.*

**Our commended workers:** James and Christina Baldwin, Simeon Garrett, Graham and Steph Reed and Roger and Yvonne Malstead.

**New arrival.** It was great to see James, Laura and Elisa Wickham at church last week. Praise God for the birth of their daughter. Pray for strength, wisdom and sleep as they adjust to this gift God has loaned them.

**New mail address.** Max and Sue Sinclair have a new e-mail address. [treasuresheaven@gmail.com](mailto:treasuresheaven@gmail.com). Please amend your fellowship directories.

**SLT:** They will be meeting this Wednesday.

**Day off:** Simon's day off is Friday.

**Prayer for Christian unity:** Please see notice board for details.

**Ecumenical Lent course.** This begins Monday 27 February. See notice board for details.

**Christian free school:** Please see enclosed flyer for the latest information. There will be a service of dedication for the free school proposal on Sunday 21 February at 11am at Chevening Church. See notice board for details.

**Churches together in Sevenoaks:** Latest newsletter is with this VW or on the notice board in the foyer.