

Hello Everyone

Lots of important events coming up! Please do share the following dates widely with your church / organisation / community.

Posters for all the events are attached.

A copy of this newsletter can be found on the CTBS website <https://ctbs.org.uk/> and is also attached in pdf form.

Thank you



**CHURCHES TOGETHER**  
Doing together what is best done together

### Pentecost Prayer Breakfast

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 10am – 12pm  
St Barnabas Centre, Church Lane, Thorley, CM23 4BE

Join us as we bring Jesus to the **heart** of our community

Find out what local churches, charities, Christian and non-Christian groups are doing in our community. Enjoy delicious breakfast refreshments, information, and friendly chat, as we pray for Jesus' light to shine in our town.

Stort Valley Schools Trust  
Bishop's Stortford & Sawbridgeworth Street Pastors  
Holiday Bible Week  
Puppets Galore  
Holy Trinity Night Shelter  
Girls' Brigade

Child Contact Centre  
Kintsugi Hope  
Good News for Everyone  
YMCA  
The Bereavement Journey  
Thirst Cafe  
*.....and others close to your heart*

Drop by anytime from 10am for tea, coffee & pastries, browse the stalls for information, chat to the hosts, and pray in the Worship Hall.  
We will finish with a short time of worship together at 11.30am.  
**Everyone Welcome!**  
<http://ctbs.org.uk>  
Please use the main car park

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Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 10am-12pm

St Barnabas Centre.

Cover our town in prayer and find out more about the amazing groups in our community.

Enjoy delicious breakfast refreshments as you offer encouragement and pray for these organisations. This informal event will conclude with a time of worship together.

Poster attached. Please share widely with everyone



**06 JUNE 2026**  
ST BARNABAS CENTRE, CHURCH LANE, CM23 4BE  
**10AM - 1PM**

# What is happening with God and Gen Z

WITH REVD DR DANIEL DREW AND JOSH DEAN MP

**TICKETS £5 HERE** >



**A CONFERENCE FOR YOUTH LEADERS, YOUTH WORKERS, AND ANYONE WHO PRAYS FOR, WORKS WITH, OR SIMPLY CARES ABOUT WHAT GOD IS DOING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 11 - 35.**

Join us as Revd Dr Daniel Drew draws on his experience leading The Alban Way – a formation-based programme equipping young adults (18-35) to grow in fruitfulness, resilience, and prayer. Come and explore what the Spirit is stirring in a generation.

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June 10am – 1pm St Barnabas Centre

Tickets now on sale! £5

'What's happening with God and Gen Z'

A conference for:

- anyone working alongside young people
- anyone who wants to know more
- those who want to cover this vital ministry in prayer.

Everyone Welcome!

An opportunity to gather together to pray, raise awareness, equip, and affirm our Youth Leaders. Speakers include Rev Dr Dan Drew and local MP Josh Dean.

Display stands from Youthscape and local organisations.

So much to celebrate!

Poster attached. Please share widely



**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July 6pm Charis Centre**

**Summer concert with proceeds to the Food Bank**

**Poster attached. Please share.**

**Coming soon..... please save the dates:**

**Love Stortford's Outreach Week 15<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> June**

Details have been sent to all Churches. Please contact John Barfoot for further information. [john@barfoot.org](mailto:john@barfoot.org)

**CTBS Songs of Praise 4<sup>th</sup> October** more details soon

**Please send me details of events at your church, including Alpha groups, courses, concerts etc.**

**Updates will generally be sent the first week of each month.**

**Please note, we now have an 'events' page on our website where you can check dates and avoid clashes.**