

Prince's Brive Baptist Church

LOVING GOD : SERVING PEOPLE



Our Vision

We seek to :-

Honour and serve God in all things
Encourage, love and support one-another
Be a healthy and growing church
Help others to know Jesus Christ
Give of all God has given us for His service
Serve our community

Ephesians 4 : [11] It was he who gave some to be apostles, some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, [12] to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up [13] until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. (NIV)

For Our Future

By God's grace and under Holy Spirit's leading we see opportunities:

To grow stronger ties of love, fellowship and mutual understanding within Church.
To develop the Pastoral Support network and effective membership of small groups.
To have a Holy Spirit defined strategy for preaching and teaching.
To see more groups meeting for focused prayer.
To start Alpha and Chairobics groups
To develop a mid-week service.
To develop further use of the lounge.
To have a dedicated small team to facilitate 'Special events'.
To add to the administration team.
To learn to give away more of the finance, man power and gifting that God has given us.
To find new ways of working together with other churches.
To establish ministry for children and young people based on the principles of growing them in their faith and ability to take part in worship
To develop outreach work with under 18s.
To have one-off events for children and young people, with other churches and/or groups.
To develop Men's & Women's ministry, particularly seeking to reach the unchurched.
To form a 'Third Agers' group, meeting once a week.
To encourage participation in outside training courses and events where appropriate.
To run regular conferences and Christian events.
To participate in Prayer Week in new and creative ways.
To develop a Missions ministry within the life of the church and see people 'Go into all the World'.
To be relevant to the community of which we are a part.
To see our Evangelism/Outreach team grow and to actively seek Evangelists.
To hold regular Café Style services and other community focused events.
To serve our community in relevant ways by developing provision which meets the needs of all.
To run parenting courses and support people who are caring for children on their own, particularly those under 18.
To develop strategy that enables all ministries to naturally flow one into another.

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Recent & Present Activities

Examples of what God has so far resourced us for :-

Celebration style worship services.

Strong preaching and teaching of the Word of God.

Being open to variety in worship, prayer and use of the Gifts of Holy Spirit.

All-age services (usually one a month).

Prayer Ministry.

Café Style services.

Promoting Pastoral Support through a Small Groups network and a Pastoral Visiting team.

Life Zone (Junior Church).

Energize (Crusader) groups.

Celebrate Recovery

Work with people with special needs.

Women's Ministry.

Men's Ministry.

Marriage Courses.

Prayer Week.

Church Lounge (social contact centre , book shop, café-bar etc.).

Street evangelism and other outreach to the local community.

'Parent and Toddlers' group.

Working with other churches (directly & through Churches Together).

Support activities (Administration, Finance, Logistics, etc.)

Hosting occasional conferences.

Supporting Kampala Children's Centre project (Nations Discipleship Enterprise).

Supporting Dyffryn Clwyd missionary project

In the last few years we have been enabled to undertake rebuilding and renovation work and our premises have up-to-date Audio-Visual and I.T. facilities; reasonable wheelchair access and excellent toilet facilities.