### Care for Kuffu



I was delighted to have successfully completed the Stradbroke triathlon on May 19th. For those that are interested, I was 65th out of 99! This has raised just over £400 towards the medical centre we are fundraising for at Kuffu, Uganda. I'm really grateful to friends, family and church members who sponsored me, and also to staff and patients who gave generously as well. The GoFundMe page will stay open for a little bit longer: if you'd like to donate, once at the GoFundMe page search for "Care for Kuffu".

## A big thank you A J and well done.



Here we have a picture sent from Samuel of the work in progress of the new visitor's kitchen. It is looking good and it is clear that they have been working hard. We are looking at putting together a booklet that will update you on the progress made at Kuffu and will answer some of the questions you may have

# **Soft Play at Zoom**

We were pleased to get a couple of families along for the second session. The children had a lot of fun and the grownups had a lot of really good conversation about joy and what church is for. We're looking forward to the next session on June 16<sup>th</sup> Please let Rosemary know if you are going text 07950296214 or email: rosemary@neldefant.com



### **June Newsletter 2019**

# **Baptism**



We hope to do a **baptism** soon – if you've made a commitment as a Christian but haven't been baptised, do please speak to Andrew, so you can follow in obedience to Jesus' teaching on the water of baptism.

Matthew 28:19 New International Version (NIV)

<sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

# Alpha Course

We hope to run an **Alpha** course soon! The course, as you know, is an excellent introduction to the Christian faith for people who have some interest in exploring this. Let's speak to our friends, family, neighbours and colleagues, and ensure that they know about this upcoming opportunity.

## Membership

Several people will be coming into membership shortly, and we will incorporate a brief membership service as part of our regular Sunday gathering. If you feel part of Grace Community Church and want to connect more closely with us, please speak to Andrew about becoming a member.

## Church Lunch

Sunday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June is our second Church Lunch this year it would be good to see you there is a great time to catch up with those who you don't always get the time to speak to. Please see Susan or Keren with numbers and any dietary needs.

## What's on this month June 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
						2. Prayer meeting 10.00. Sunday Service 11.00. Communion. Followed by a Church Lunch
3.	4. Andrew at the classroom/office 07.30 - 15.00 • Prayer Meeting 19.30-21.00	5. P Home Group 13.30-15.30 Home Group 19.00-21.00	6. Andrew at the classroom/office 07.30 - 15.00   4 Home Group 19.30-21.30	7.	8.	9. Prayer meeting 10.00. Sunday Service 11.00
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# **Opportunities to Serve!**

#### **Sunday Morning Prayer Meeting 10.00:**

If you would like to join us for prayers each Sunday Morning If you can help by preparing and serving refreshments please come along and find Andrew

#### Refreshments:

before and after worship please speak to Caroline or Susan

#### Welcome Team:

Do you have good people skills? We are always on the lookout for people to join in welcoming people. Have a word with Gill or Jill

### **Home Groups:**

We currently have a variety of home groups would you like to meet with like-minded people to encourage one another, do some bible study and spend time together in prayer, speak to Andrew for details.

### Children's Sunday Groups:

There are some current opportunities to help with our children's Sunday morning groups. If you would like to get involved please speak to Susan.

#### Set up pack away:

Do you want to be part of the 'supa' team, Set Up and Pack Away! For more details please speak to Clive.

Serving within the church can be like a jigsaw where will you fit in. If you feel you are able to help don't be shy we have lots of opportunities for you.

