

May God bless you as you step into this New Year.

Zephyr, our Labrador, died just before Christmas. He was 16 years old, which is a huge age for a Labrador, and had been the most wonderful friend and family member for those years. All three of our children have known him for the majority of their lives and it has been sad to say farewell. However, our attention has swiftly turned to two rabbits who have now joined us, Snowy and Midnight, as part of C's Christmas present. She is caring for them very thoughtfully and is very proud of them.

I am continually blessed by the fact that so many of you follow my diary. Thank you so much for your care and your prayers. It has been good to hear from so many of you over Christmas but please feel free at any time to get in touch. I am delighted to be able to hold you in my prayers.

Yours ever,

Jonathan

JANUARY 2020 DIARY

Wednesday 1st to Saturday 4th

Holiday

Sunday 5th

Waterlooville Baptist Church – we are welcoming a Ministerial candidate who is preaching at the church for the first time

Monday 6th

Newbury Office

Tuesday 7th

Meetings at Spurgeon's College

Wednesday 8th

Premier Staff Meeting and other meetings in London

Thursday 9th

Lunch Meeting of Churches Together in Waterlooville

Waterlooville Baptist Church Members' Meeting

Friday 10th

DAY OFF

Saturday 11th

Eastleigh Baptist Church Leadership Team Away Day

Sunday 12th

Ashley Baptist Church, New Milton, Hampshire – I have agreed to walk with this excellent church as they prepare for the retirement of their ministers, David and Alison John, over the next couple of years

Monday 13th

Eastleigh Baptist Church full day ... from 9am to 10pm! From Ministry Team Meeting to Leadership Team Meeting

Tuesday 14th

Auction in Newbury

Wednesday 15th

Auction in Arborfield, south of Reading

Thursday 16th

Churches for All Meeting in London

Waterlooville Baptist Church Deacons' Meeting

Friday 17th

Newbury Office

Saturday 18th

DAY OFF

Sunday 19th

Morning – Eastleigh Baptist Church

Evening – St Nic's Parish Church, Newbury

Monday 20th

Newbury Office

Tuesday 21st

Oxford Visits

Wednesday 22nd

Local Ministers' Cluster Lunch in Camberley

Thursday 23rd

Spurgeon's College Governors' Meeting

Eastleigh Baptist Church Members' Meeting

Friday 24th

DAY OFF

Saturday 25th

Ashley Baptist Church Deacons' Away Day

Saturday 26th

Newbury Baptist Church

Sunday 27th

Newbury Office

Monday 28th

Mentoring in Eton

Woodley Baptist Church Leadership Team

Tuesday 29th

Gloucestershire visits

Wednesday 30th

Eastleigh Baptist Church Vision Meeting

Thursday 31st

Mentoring in Sandhurst

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