

# The Watford Word

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## What's on

**Thursday 19 February 08:00 PM:**

*Third Thursday prayer meeting. <https://zoom.us/j/98834309524?pwd=wONcU85ShjGHpjWkjA24icjW3j1gLU1>*



*Meeting ID: 988 3430 9524. Passcode: 332426*

*“May my prayer be set before you like incense” Ps 141:2*

**Sunday 22 February:** Church service. Malcolm speaking on *Philippians 2.19-30*.

*Calling the ladies who lunch! Lunch after church for those that can make it. Bring your own butties* 🍽

**Sunday 01 March:** Church service.

**Sunday 08 March:** Church service. *Philippians 2.3-11*.

**Friday 13th of March:** 7:30 PM. The next meeting of our Spiritual Practices group will be looking at the spiritual practice of solitude. ☀

**Sunday 15 March:** Church service.

## Events further ahead

**Saturday, 14th March:** UK children's ministry training day: London and South

**Friday 03rd to 06th April:** European International Campus Ministry Conference, Paris, France

**Friday 22nd to Sunday 24th May:** UK & Ireland mature singles retreat – “Trust In The Lord”

**Friday 24th to 27th July:** ICCM Preteen Camp

**Saturday 25th to Friday 31st July:** ICCM Teen Camp

**Friday 11th - 13 September:** UK & Ireland Young Professionals Retreat in Chesham.

**Sept 30th - Oct 04th:** Celtic Spirituality Retreat.

**Friday 30th October to Sunday 01st November:** Autumn Student Retreat for the UK & Ireland.

**Thursday 12-15th November:** UK, Ireland and Nordics leadership retreat.

## Please Pray for a New YoPro Ministry in Central & East London

I am pleased to bring you some good news. A new Young Professionals (YoPro) ministry in Central and East London has been established. The following message was sent to me by the coordinator, Daniel Miller.

“We would love the Watford church’s prayers as we seek God’s guidance and provision for this next venture. Our prayer is to see a Christ-centred community form, one that meets regularly, grows together in faith, and becomes a visible light in Central and East London. We’re trusting God to use this ministry to draw many people to Himself and to build deep, lasting relationships rooted in the gospel.

*“As Jesus said, ‘You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden.” — Matthew 5:14*

Please keep this vision in your prayers. If you’d like to know more or get involved, contact me, Daniel Miller, on 07888 213521. Thank you for standing with us in prayer.”



## UKRAINE RELIEF INVITATION

This is an invitation from the European School of Missions (where I taught New Testament Survey last summer) to participate in a Day of Prayer and Fasting (Feb 24th) and a Day of Giving (March 1st) for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine.

The request is best explained in this video (<https://youtu.be/ZaEFMRPtQFs>) and this Infographic ([https://drive.google.com/file/d/1XuvHNiwiCw5A\\_bylt9yStoZAWlFhItq9/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1XuvHNiwiCw5A_bylt9yStoZAWlFhItq9/view?usp=sharing)).

### Day of Prayer & Fasting: February 24th

On February 24th, the fourth anniversary of the invasion, we are calling our global family of churches to a day of prayer & fasting for Ukraine.

### Day of Giving: March 1st

We are calling for a day of giving with a collective goal of \$250,000, to be directed entirely toward trusted, existing ministry efforts in Ukraine. These funds will support three urgent priorities:

#### 1. Sustaining Faithful Shepherds

Providing financial support for current ministers, pastors, and church staff who remain at their posts, caring for their people and proclaiming Christ under extraordinary pressure.

#### 2. Training the Next Generation of Ministers

Providing training for younger leaders — men and women who will carry hope into the future and ensure that the church in Ukraine not only survives, but endures and grows.

#### 3. Humanitarian and Recovery Needs

Supporting critical humanitarian efforts, including the support of a recovery center for those battling addiction, a growing crisis intensified by war, trauma, and displacement.

## Useful Links

Ukraine Relief Campaign Website: [euromissions.org/ukraine-relief](https://euromissions.org/ukraine-relief)

Ukraine Relief Fund Donation Link: [donorbox.org/ukraine-relief](https://donorbox.org/ukraine-relief)

Day of Giving Video: (<https://youtu.be/e826vNfUEds>)

EMS Instagram and YouTube pages:

Instagram: @euromissions (<https://www.instagram.com/euromissions>)

YouTube: @europeanmissions (<http://www.youtube.com@europeanmissions>)

Note from Malcolm:

I received this information last week. I know some of the people involved and believe it to be a worthy endeavour. Please do not feel obliged to engage, but if you do so, remember that your prayers are even more important than your ability to contribute financially.

## Watford Contribution Details

**Church bank account:**  
Three Counties churches of Christ HSBC

**Sort Code:** 401915  
**Account Number:** 04759613



## Watford Media

