

## News & Update

**Welcome to IGC, the International Gospel Church** we hope that you will feel at home whether you're just visiting or you're considering being with us more regularly. Our aim is that IGC will prove to be an inclusive graceful community where you will be enabled not simply to live gracefully, but to live fully by grace. Meetings are held on Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

## Prayer Meeting

**Prayer Meeting** is held every Tuesday morning at 9:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. in the upper hall.

## ABUNDANT

**Abundant Life Group** meetings is a place where we would love to see as many people as possible connected and belong, so that we can build a community of oneness. We hope that these new groups will be our next step towards us living to our highest level of love.

Please see below for the directory of our ALGs.

Group Leaders	Meeting Locations	Meeting Day
Phil & Brian	Harrow, Greenford or Wembley (alternating)	Wednesday <b>Monthly</b>
Paul & Yetunde	Mill Hill	Thursday <b>Fortnightly</b>
Jane & Mama Kate	IGC Lower Hall (covering Burnt Oak & Colindale)	Wednesday <b>Fortnightly</b>
Damini & Tajhame	IGC Youth Lower Hall	Thursday <b>Fortnightly</b> (meeting venue alternating with the above group)
Johnson & Catherine	Mill Hill & Edgware	Wednesday <b>Fortnightly</b>
Everton & Dorothy	Ruislip	Friday <b>Fortnightly</b>
Tunde & Titti	Borehamwood	Thursday <b>Fortnightly</b>

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# In The Know...



## Inclusive Grace-Filled Community

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## Grace Notes

**There has to be something in the soul of an organisation that does not change that will enable people to live with change. For us that unchangeable truth is rooted in our history and it's crucial that we anchor ourselves in the core.**

The truth is that whilst we don't live in the past the past lives in us, and that reality came home to me afresh as we have been working on the 90th anniversary celebration. Combing through the archive I came across a copy of The Times And Guardian dated Friday January 20th 1933 with a headline: **Prince of Wales opens Watling Community Centre.** The article's sub-deck read: A splendid example to the big housing estates around London.

The feature then leads with the Prince of Wales' remarks, which began thus, "The Watling Centre is a splendid example of how communities can get together to help themselves. It can be an example to the other big housing estates which have grown-up in exactly the same way. What you have done here is exactly the kind of thing that I want to see going on all over the country and that I do my best to encourage." Explaining to its readers what the Watling Centre was the paper helpfully continued... "His Royal Highness opened the new community centre that is to be the hub of the future social life of the estate."

I was thrilled to read the article. It was both affirming and galvanising in equal measure. When we [Hayley and I] came here, a mere handful of years ago and started to seek the Lord for His goal for the work here in Burnt Oak, you know that overarching purpose, that big dream, that visionary master idea that one stretches out to but rarely achieves.

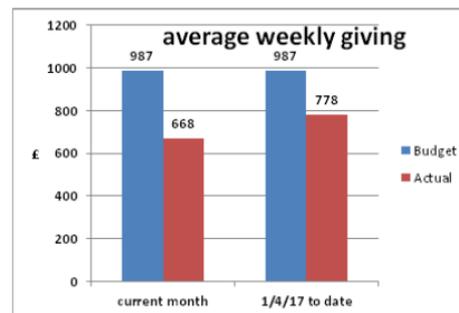
I could not have imagined that a simple talk entitled "Rehoboth" digging the wells of our forefathers would have proved to be so divinely pertinent. Unbeknown to me, in that one talk we excavated, articulated and re-activated our founding truth. We are for others..

For IGC and our sister social justice charity LBO (Love Burnt Oak) our mission is to ensure that those we serve grow as people, become healthier, wiser, freer, more autonomous and that those who society considers the last and the least benefit from our being here at the centre of the community.

Look around you. What do you see springing up? Is it not a centre for the community that is becoming the hub of hope for the residents of Burnt Oak? Here we are 90 years on building on the legacy of love. May we become an exemplar of best practice in the area of Social Justice.

**Paul & Hayley**

## Average weekly giving



## The Real Junk Food Project London NW



LET'S REALLY FEED THE WORLD

Every Wednesdays from 10:30 till 14:30  
Supported By Hope Kitchen & IGC Contact: Info@hopekitchen.org

Please join us to celebrate this special event

on 21st January 2018  
Time: 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
Lunch will be provided

at 102a Watling Avenue  
Burnt Oak, Edgware  
Middlesex, HA8 0LN

RSVP

Michelle or Vivette  
on 0208 9063918

or email:

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\*No Morning service

## International Gospel Church

(formerly known as Woodroft Evangelical Church)

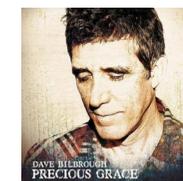
# 90th ANNIVERSARY



**Hosts**

**David & Carrie Grant**

Television Presenters  
and Vocal Coaches



**Worship Leader**

**Dave Bilbrough**

## Teaching Schedule

### 2 Corinthians "Light Shining in the Darkness"

In this wonderful book we will discover that our power is in weakness and that winning through weakness is the part of the paradoxical mystery of the Christian life.

7th January	The One In Whom We Find Comfort 1:1-7	Paul Anderson-Walsh
14th January	The One In Whom We Place Our Trust 1:8-11	Frank Bolaji Irawo
21st January	90th Anniversary Service	Paul Anderson-Walsh
28th January	The One In Whom We Have Our Guarantee 1:12-22	Paul Onifade