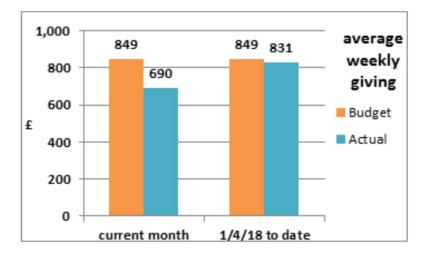
### **Prayer Meeting**

**Prayer meeting** held on Tuesday's will break up for Christmas on 11th December 2018 and will recommence on 15th January 2019.

## **Average Weekly Giving**

Thank you for your continued financial support. Although we are half way towards this year's additional giving requirement of £10,000 including tax. We are starting to fall behind this target.



# **Teaching Schedule:** The Miracles of Christ

6th Jan.	Giving voice to the voiceless - Jesus Heals a Man Who Was Unable to Speak. Mtt. 9:32-34	Graham Mercer
13th Jan.	Healing the in-valid - Jesus Heals an Invalid at Bethesda	Paul Anderson-Walsh
20th Jan.	The God of multiplication - Jesus feeds 5,000	Rian Francis
27th Jan.	Jesus walks on the water	Paul Anderson-Walsh







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#### **Grace Note:** A Time to Heal

Well first and foremost a happy New Year to you and yours. I hope that the festive season has been as much about His Presence as it was about the giving and receiving of presents.

It is only by experiencing and sharing the experience of His presence that we will be able to be of lasting service to the community we are planted in.

Look around - we are living through divisive times. Never in my lifetime can I remember our country being so split. Regardless of which side of the Brexit debate you are on, I'm sure you can recognise that what we're reaping is the fruit of exclusion. When people feel excluded they hold back from one another rather than holding one another dear.

My prayer for us is that IGC begins to truly live into the name we've given it for our second phase of life: The Inclusive Grace-filled Community.

IGC (the international gospel church) is a commentary about our diversity, but valuing diversity and getting value from diversity are two distinctly different things. To get value from diversity we need to embrace Inclusion. Inclusion makes people feel valued, safe, respected, trusted, having a sense of belonging such that they can be their best self and make their best contribution to society.

When we are included we heal. When we are healed and as we heal, we heal others. In my spirit I sense that 2019/20 is a time to heal.

"For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven: 3 a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up." Ecclesiastes 3:1-3

Over the Christmas period we lived the values of inclusion; our first ever Christmas market with our friends and social justice partners, The Real Junk Food Project London was testament to that as was the wonderful Christmas service and Christmas lunch. Our thanks to our young people and to all who made both of those events possible. I hope you enjoy the pictures which capture so much of the spirit of these events.

Let's be intentional and attentional to making our community more inclusive this year.

#### **Christmas Market 2018**

# Memories in pictures



























