

## CRADLE ROLL

For several years the Free Church has made Mothering Sunday an opportunity to invite to a special Cradle-Roll Reunion service, all those families who have had a child baptised at the Church within the previous five years.

Sunday, March 13 saw a large congregation, including 40 cradle role parents with their babies and 46 children who normally attend Junior Church. This group moved on to their

own service in the Free Church Hall and were later joined by the rest of the congregation. There was an exhibition of Junior Church work, and coffee was served by the teachers and children.

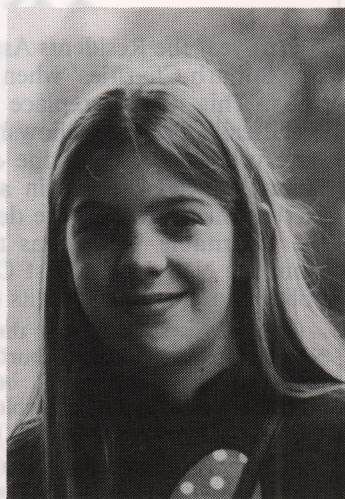
Junior Church is a lively place to gain a Christian education. Children, from babies to teenagers are welcome. Contact Rev. Peter Barraclough 455 4509 or Brian Stonhold 458 5606 for more information.



## WORDSEARCH WINNER

### WINTER '88 WORDSEARCH

Congratulations to Pia Janering, aged 12, of Harford Walk who won the winter wordsearch competition. Pia, who has lived in the Suburb for 11 years and was formerly at Annemount School is now in the Senior Department of South Hampstead High School. The subject of American states was of great interest to Pia after a visit to the US last summer. Pia's main hobbies are tennis and swimming. She is a member of the Barnet Copthall swimming club. Her other interests include Piano, Drama, Badminton, Reading, TV, Photography and cats. She loves travelling and will be making her first French exchange this year in Nice. She is also a keen collector of stickers, stamps, teddy-bears, postcards and theatre programmes. Pia has already decided to embark on a career in Science. As she



loves Agatha Christie, she plans to buy a mystery or adventure novel with her Book Token.

## BROWNIES' RABBITS AT THE ZOO

If you are visiting the childrens' zoo at London Zoo in the near future look out for Brownie and Softy, the rabbits adopted by the brownies of the 3rd Hampstead Garden Suburb St Jude's pack. A plaque affixed on their cages should mention this fact.

All through the winter the brownies were busy cleaning shoes (20 pence a pair) to raise the necessary £30 to adopt these animals. £15 would have been enough to adopt one small animal, but their limitless enthusiasm raised enough for two rabbits.

A visit to meet their "adopted" pets and keepers was the highlight of a daycamp during half-term. After the excitement of the zoo visit the brownies returned to base camp at St Jude's church rooms for a picnic lunch and an afternoon of craft, knots, baking and games. **KC**



## SPRING IN MILTON CLOSE

*Spring in Milton Close there is so much to be seen,  
Spring in Milton Close when all the leaves turn green,  
Spring in Milton Close when the blossom's on the trees,  
Spring in Milton Close, the pansies sway in the breeze,  
Spring in Milton Close to hear the humming of the bees,  
Seeing all the pinks, reds and whites -  
Oh it is such a lovely sight!  
Spring in Milton Close when the birds hop from nest  
to nest,  
Spring in Milton Close, hear the song of the robin red  
breast,  
Spring in Milton Close, I love living here,  
Spring in Milton Close, I'll give Spring a cheer!*



Poppy Sebag-Montefiore.

## WORDSEARCH COMPETITION

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF AFRICAN COUNTRIES  
Find and ring the names of fifteen countries in the Continent of Africa hidden in the box of letters. They may read forwards, backwards, up, down and diagonally.

A	C	E	G	I	K	M	O	Q	S	U	W	T	X	A	Y	Z	G	C	E
B	O	T	S	W	A	N	A	B	C	A	D	U	E	F	D	G	J	I	H
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R	Q	P	N	T	O	G	R	N	W	N	M	I	L	P	K	K	C	B	U
U	S	V	W	O	I	U	I	V	O	X	A	A	Y	B	D	E	C	G	F
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Q	O	O	I	V	B	C	R	A	S	A	R	Q	N	M	L	A	K	I	J
S	U	Z	N	W	C	M	E	S	Q	L	L	P	R	O	H	A	G	R	I
T	U	A	A	O	V	X	Y	I	V	O	R	Y	C	O	A	S	T	F	F
M	L	K	N	M	E	I	O	A	O	G	U	K	U	J	S	T	I	A	O
N	P	G	F	E	B	P	D	R	B	N	C	Z	A	I	R	E	A	H	E
F	O	Q	Q	S	W	I	T	U	I	A	E	J	V	W	F	X	E	T	U
O	E	P	I	G	H	E	Q	K	J	I	H	G	E	W	X	Y	D	U	C
N	T	P	Y	G	E	N	A	U	I	E	T	H	I	O	P	I	A	O	B
D	C	U	O	R	M	L	U	O	E	M	C	B	A	D	C	A	B	S	A

If you are under fourteen on the 1st June 1988, you may list the answers on a postcard with your name, age, address and telephone number and post to: 35 Wildwood Road. The first correct entry drawn on the closing date, 1.6.88, will receive a £5 Book Token. To help you on your way we have given you the first answer.  
Happy Hunting!

## HOMELESS DOGS

Little Jinx and Puff-Puff are they are looking for kind sisters who live in Constable owners. If you would like to Close. They were born on meet either Little Jinx (pictured February 7th to Gemma who left) or Puff-Puff (pictured had five beautiful puppies. Now right) then please phone 01-455 that they are more grown up, 6419.



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